

**Notice of Intent to Apply for an
Arkansas Public Charter School License**

Type of Charter:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Open-Enrollment <input type="checkbox"/> District Conversion
Proposed Charter School Name:	Pinecrest Academy
Proposed Location:	Fayetteville and surrounding areas
School District Where Charter Will be Located:	Fayetteville Schools – Surrounding Areas
Grade Levels Served:	9-12
Enrollment Cap:	1,000
Name of Contact for Application:	Carlos Alvarez, Governing Board Chair
Contact Cell and Office Numbers:	305 – 878 – 9993
Contact Email:	calvarez@pinecrestacademyschools.org / adri@academica.org
Focus Area:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Traditional <input type="checkbox"/> Alternative Learning Environment <input type="checkbox"/> Virtual <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> College Prep <input type="checkbox"/> Credit Recovery <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other: STEM, College Readiness, CTE, Researching needs of community to identify school focus

Provide a brief description of the purpose or emphasis of the school:

Varying from College Preparation to Performing Arts to Science and Engineering, each Pinecrest program follows a state standards-based curriculum unique to the community and students it serves. Pinecrest Academy schools have high expectations for student learning with multiple opportunities for all students to acquire requisite knowledge, skills, and attitudes. All Pinecrest Academy schools implement research-based instructional strategies and innovative resources in technology-rich environments in order to maximize learning for all students. This has proven highly successful in that each of the Pinecrest schools has been recognized at local and state levels and has won multiple awards annually for high academic achievement while serving a high percentage of minority students.

Printed Name: Carlos Alvarez **Title:** Governing Board Chair

Signature:  **Date:** 3/13/2023