

*inspiring Leadership, Education, & Advanced Development, Inc. (iLEAD)*

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Arkansas Department of Education  
Public Charter School Office  
4 Capitol Mall, Room 105- C  
Little Rock, AR 72201

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Dear Sir or Madam,

Please accept this **Letter of Intent to apply for an open enrollment public charter school from inspiring Leadership, Education, & Advanced Development, Inc (iLEAD)** for the 2012-13 school year. iLEAD, Inc. is a newly established nonprofit public benefit corporation created to provide strategic educational programs and services. iLEAD, Inc. is currently in the process of acquiring nonprofit 501 (c) (3) status. The proposed school will be located in North Little Rock, Arkansas with the name "iLEAD Public Charter School". The school will serve grades 3-5 with an approximate enrollment of 200 students during the 1<sup>st</sup> year of operation. The school will add 1-2 grades a year until it has reached the maximum enrollment in 3-12 grade levels of 650 students.

The **Mission** of iLEAD is to *inspire Leadership and Educate all students through Advanced Development in core academic subjects.* iLEAD mission is grounded in seven principles of past research for effective schools: (a) *a clear sense of purpose, (b) core standards within a rigorous curriculum, (c) high expectations, (d) a commitment to educate all students, (e) a safe and orderly learning environment, (f) strong partnerships with parents, and (g) a problem-solving attitude (Murphy & Hallinger, Sizemore, 1988).* iLEAD will embark each student on a strategic educational journey that builds on the Common Core State Standards Initiative. iLEAD students will receive rigorous academic instruction and enhancement in the areas of Leadership, Technology and Entrepreneurship. iLEAD promises to deliver a unique blend of high quality academics programs consisting of precise instructions in critical thinking skills, hands-on learning and consistent parental involvement.

Additional information about iLEAD can be obtained by contacting:

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Please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions or concerns. At iLEAD, we incorporate ten essential characteristic of effective leaders into our instruction to transform our students and our community: *Integrity, Excellence, Passion, Community, Discipline, Communication, Knowledge, Confidence, Temperance, and Perseverance.*

Respectfully Submitted,

  
Frank H. Stewart