

**ACADEMICS PLUS
AN OPEN-ENROLLMENT CHARTER SCHOOL
APPROVED WAIVERS**

District LEA:	60-40-700	Elementary School LEA:	60-40-702
City:	Maumelle	Middle School LEA:	N/A
Opening Date:	Fall 2001	High School LEA:	60-40-703
Grades Approved:	K-12	Expiration Date:	6/30/2015
CAP:	650	Grades Served 2013-14:	K-12

Waivers from Title 6 of the Arkansas Code Annotated (Education Code)

6-10-106	School year dates
6-13-619(c)(1)(A)	Requiring a board member to be physically present at a meeting to be counted for purposes of a quorum to vote
6-13-620(5)(A)	Powers and duties of board of directors to employ staff
6-13-608	Length of directors' terms
6-13-611	Vacancies generally
6-13-619	Meetings
6-13-630	Election by zone and at large
6-13-634	School district board of directors—Size
6-14-101 et seq.	School Elections
6-15-902(a)	Grading scale—Exemptions—Special education (in grades 3-8, the uniform grading scale is waived only as to non-core courses)
6-15-1004	Qualified teachers in every public school classroom
6-15-1005(b)(5)	Pertaining to alternative learning environments
6-17-111	Duty-free Lunch Periods
6-17-114	Daily Planning Period
6-17-201 et seq.	Requirements—Written personnel policies—Teacher salary schedule
6-17-203	Committee for each school district
6-17-302	Principals—Responsibilities
6-17-309	Certification to teach grade or subject matter—Exceptions—Waivers
6-17-401	Teacher licensure requirement
6-17-418	Teacher licensure—Arkansas history requirement
6-17-902	Definition (definition of a teacher as licensed)
6-17-908	Teachers' salary fund—Authorized disbursements
6-17-919	Warrants void without valid certification and contract
6-17-1501 et seq.	Teacher Fair Dismissal Act
6-17-1701 et seq.	Public School Employee Fair Hearing Act
6-17-2301 et seq.	Classified School Employee Personnel Policy Law
6-18-503(a)(1)(C)(i)	Pertaining to alternative learning environments
6-20-2208(c)(6)	Monitoring of expenditures (gifted and talented)
6-21-303(b)(1)	Reimbursements to kindergarten through sixth grade teachers for classroom materials
6-25-101 et seq.	Public School Library and Media Technology Act
6-42-101 et seq.	General Provisions (gifted and talented)
6-48-101 et seq.	Alternative Learning Environments

Waivers from Arkansas Department of Education Rules Governing Standards for Accreditation of Arkansas Public Schools and Districts

9.03.3.9	Teaching of keyboarding
10.02	Class size and teaching load
14.03	Unit of credit and clock hours for a unit of credit
15	Personnel
16.02	Media Services
16.03.1	School Nurse
18	Gifted and Talented Education
19	Supplementary Educational Opportunities

Waivers from Other Rules:

- ADE Rules Governing Waivers for Substitute Teachers
- ADE Rules Governing Parental Notification of an Assignment of a Non-Licensed Teacher to Teach a Class for More than Thirty (30) Consecutive Days and for Granting Waivers
- Section 4 of the ADE Rules Governing the Distribution of Student Special Needs Funding and the Determination of Allowable Expenditures of those Funds (Pertaining to alternative learning environments)
- ADE Rules for Gifted and Talented Program Approval Standards