

**HAAS HALL ACADEMY  
AN OPEN-ENROLLMENT CHARTER SCHOOL  
WAIVERS**

<b>District LEA:</b>	0443700	<b>High School LEA:</b>	0443703
<b>City:</b>	Bentonville	<b>Middle School LEA:</b>	
<b>Opening Date:</b>	Fall 2015	<b>Grades Served 2015-16:</b>	7-12
<b>Grades Approved:</b>	7-12	<b>Expiration Date:</b>	6/30/2020
<b>CAP:</b>	500		

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

6-10-106(a)(1)	School year dates
6-13-109	Concerning Superintendents
6-13-608	Length of directors' terms
6-13-611	Vacancies generally
6-13-616	Director eligibility
6-13-619(a)(1)(A)(c)	Monthly meetings
6-13-630	Election by zone and at large
6-13-634	School District Board of Directors-Size
6-14-101 et. seq.	Applicability of general election laws
6-15-214	AP Course counted as core curriculum course taught
6-15-1004	Qualified teachers in every public school classroom
6-15-1005(b)(5)	Pertaining to alternative learning environments
6-17-301	Employment of licensed personnel
6-17-302	Principals—Responsibilities
6-17-309	Certification to teach grade or subject matter—Exceptions—Waivers
6-17-401	Teacher licensure requirement
6-17-427	Concerning Superintendents
6-17-902	Definition (definition of a teacher as licensed)
6-17-919	Warrants void without valid certification and contract (the only requirement which would be waived is the ability to pay a teacher's salary only upon filing of a teacher's certificate with the county clerk's office, if the requirement of a teacher's certificate is waived for such teacher)
6-17-1501 et seq.	Teacher Fair Dismissal Act
6-17-1502	Teacher Fair Dismissal Act
6-17-1701 et seq.	Public School Employee Fair Hearing Act
6-17-2301	Certified Staff Salary Schedule
6-17-2403	Minimum Teacher Compensation Schedule
6-18-223(a)(1)	College credits (rules and regulations of any institution of higher education and/or the Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board are not waived)
6-18-501 et seq.	Concerning Student Discipline Policies
6-18-503(a)1(C)(i)	Written student discipline policies required
6-18-706	Health and Safety Services
6-18-1001 et seq.,	Guidance and Counseling
6-18-1005(a)(6)	Health and Safety Services
6-20-2208(c)(6)	Monitoring of expenditures (gifted and talented)
6-25-101 et seq.	Public School Library and Technology Act
6-42-102	Gifted and Talented
6-42-109	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**

9.03.4.10	Concerning Career and Technical Education
9.03.4.11	Concerning Career and Technical Education
15.01	School District Superintendent
15.02	Licensure and Renewal
15.03	Licensure and Renewal
16.01	Guidance and Counseling
16.02	Media Services
16.03	Health and Safety Services
18	Gifted and Talented Education
19.03	Pertaining to alternative learning environments
21	Auxiliary Services

**Waivers from Other Rules:**

- 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 Governing Personnel Policies and Salary Schedules and Websites-Sections 5-9
- ADE Rules Governing Student Discipline and School Safety Policies
- ADE Rules Governing Gifted and Talented Program Approval Standards
- ADE Rules Governing Concurrent College and High School Credit Sections 3.01 and 4.01
- ADE Rules Governing Public School Student Services Section 3.01.6
- ADE Rules Governing Educator Licensure

**Regardless of any waivers granted, every charter school must always abide by the following requirements:**

- All standardized assessments required by the state must be administered solely by licensed personnel, as required by ADE Rules Governing the Arkansas Comprehensive Testing Assessment and Accountability Program, Sections 5.02.4 and 5.03.2. Violations of ADE assessment procedures are subject to sanctions by the State Board, including without limitation sanctions pursuant to Ark. Code Ann. §§ 6-15-438 and 6-23-105.
- All teachers and school personnel, whether licensed or unlicensed, must submit to the criminal background and central registry checks required by law.
- Any teacher, whether licensed or unlicensed, who teaches a core academic subject area must meet the requirements of the ADE Rules Governing Highly Qualified Teachers Pursuant to the No Child Left Behind Act of 2001. Core academic subject areas are defined by federal law to include English Language Arts, Reading, Mathematics, Science, Foreign Languages, Social Studies, Music, and Art.