Idaho Charter Schools

This list contains general and contact information for the charter schools in Idaho. Also contained are application deadlines. Charter schools in Idaho are required to conduct lotteries if they have more applications than the seats available. The schools do accept applications all year, however the deadline provided is for the next lottery. Please contact the school for the specific application information.

For general charter school questions contact: Michelle Clement Taylor, School Choice Coordinator; mtaylor@sde.idaho.gov; 208-332-6963
Alturas International Academy - LEA# 495
Reece Drkula, Principal reece.drkula@alturasacademy.org
Michelle Ball, Executive Director michelle.ball@alturasacademy.org
Focus/Program: International Baccalaureate
151 N. Ridge Ave., Idaho Falls, ID 83402
208-522-5145
Application deadline late March Alturas International Academy School Website

Alturas Preparatory Academy - LEA# 560
Brian Bingham, Principal brian.bingham@alturasacademy.org
Michelle Ball, Executive Director michelle.ball@alturasacademy.org
Grades: 6-12 / Opened in 2021
Focus/Program: International Baccalaureate
2280 E 17th Street, Idaho Falls, ID 83404
208-932-99440
Application deadline late March Alturas Prep Academy School Website

American Heritage Charter School - LEA# 482
Tiffnee Hurst, Elementary Principal hursttt@ahcspatriots.us
Shawn Rose, Secondary Principal roses@ahcspatriots.us
Grades: K-12 Opened in 2013
Focus/Program: Core Knowledge
1736 South 35th West, Idaho Falls, ID 83402
208-529-6570
Application deadline late March American Heritage Charter School Website

Anser Charter School – LEA #492
Michelle Lee Dunstan, Educational Director mdunstan@ansercharterschool.org
Grades: K-8 / Opened 1999
Focus/Program: Expeditionary Learning
202 E 42nd Street, Garden City, ID 837014
208-426-9840
Application deadline mid-February Anser Charter School Website
Bingham Academy – LEA #485
Mark Fisk, Principal  mfisk@bingham.academy
Grades: 9-12 / Opened 2014
Focus/Program: STEM, College/Career Technical
1350 Parkway Drive #18, Blackfoot, ID 83221
208-557-4003
Application deadline in early March  Bingham Academy Website

Blackfoot Charter Community Learning Center – LEA #477
Craig Gerard, Administrator  cgerard@bcclc.com
Grades: K-8 / Opened 2000
Focus/Program: Brain-based learning
2801 Hunter’s Loop, Blackfoot, ID 83221
208-782-0744
Application deadline in mid-March  Blackfoot Charter Community Learning Center Website

Cardinal Academy – LEA #566
Jamie Garn, Head Teacher  jgarn@cardinalacademycharter.org
Grades: 9-12 / Opened 2021
Focus/Program: Academic program for expectant and parenting students
9492 W. Emerald Street, Boise, ID 83704
208-918-1693
Contact the school for the application deadline  Cardinal Academy Website

Chief Tahgee Elementary Academy – LEA #483
Joel F. Weaver, Director  joel.weaver@cteacademy.org
Cyd Crue, Director  cyd.crue@cteacademy.org
Grades: K-8 / Opened 2013
Focus/Program: Dual Language and Culture - Shoshone Bannock, English
38 South Hiline Road, P. O. Box 217, Fort Hall, ID 83202
208-237-2710
Contact the school for the application deadline  Chief Tahgee Elementary Academy Website
Coeur d’Alene Charter Academy – LEA #491
Daniel Nicklay, Principal  dnicklay@cdacharter.org
Grades: 6-12 / Opened 1999
Focus/Program: College Preparatory
4904 N Duncan Drive, Coeur d’Alene, ID 83815
208-676-1667
Application deadline early March  Coeur d’Alene Charter Academy Website

Compass Public Charter School – LEA #455
Susan Luke, Elementary Principal  sluke@compasscharter.org
Kelly Trudeau, Charter Administrator  ktrudeau@compasscharter.org
Grades: K-12 / Opened 2005
Focus/Program: Strong academics, safe school culture, and college prep academics
4667 W. Aviator, Meridian, ID 83642
208-855-2802
Application deadline mid-February  Compass Public Charter School Website

Connor Academy – LEA #460
Joel Lovstedt, Administrator  joel.lovstedt@academycharter.net
Grades: K-8 / Opened 2006
Focus/Program: Safe environment; challenging, accelerated learning
1295 Alpine Ave, Chubbuck, ID 83202
208-232-1447
Application deadline early March  Connor Academy Public Charter School Website

Doral Academy of Idaho – LEA #550
Julianna Turley, Administrator  julian.turley@doralidaho.org
Grades: K-7 / Opened 2020
Focus/Program: Arts focused education
2511 W Cherry Lane, Meridian, ID 83642
208-901-8281
Contact the school for the application deadline  Doral Academy of Idaho Website
Elevate Academy – LEA #523
C. J. Watson, Administrator  cjwatson@elevate2c.org
Jessica Figueroa, Administrator  jfigueroa@elevate2c.org
Grades: 6-12 / Opened 2019
Focus/Program: Career Technical, Alternative
114 W. Chicago St., Caldwell, ID 83605
208-407-4963
Application deadline in mid-March  Elevate Academy Website

Elevate Academy: Nampa – LEA #575
Jewels Carpenter, Administrator  jcarpenter@elevatenampa.org
Phil Diplock, Administrator  pdiplock@elevatenampa.org
Grades: 6-10 / Opened 2022
Focus/Program: Career Technical, Alternative
11425 Orchard Ave., Nampa, ID 83651
208-352-0146
Application deadline in mid-March  Elevate Academy: Nampa Website

Elevate Academy: North – LEA #574
Marita Differbaugh, Principal  mdifferbaugh@elevate-north.org
Grades: 6-10 / Opened 2022
Focus/Program: Career Technical, Alternative
3716 E. Killdeer Ave., Post Falls Idaho
208-398-0184
Application deadline in mid-March  Elevate Academy: North Website

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Falcon Ridge Public Charter School–#456
Christie Jorgensen, Administrator  cjorgensen@falconridgecharter.org
Grades: K-8 / Opened 2005
Focus/Program: Develop a passion for learning and academic excellence
278 S Ten Mile Road, Kuna, ID 83634
208-922-9228
Applications deadline in mid-March  Falcon Ridge Public Charter School Website
Fern Waters Charter School – LEA #531
Kristin Foss, Administrator  kristinfoss@fernwaters.org
Grades: 4-8 / Opened 2019
Focus/Program: Individualized instruction, multi-grade setting
103 Van Dreff Street, Salmon, ID 83467
208-742-1881
Application deadline in early April  FernWaters Charter School Website

Forge International School – LEA #528
Darci Stelzner, Head of School  darci.stelzner@forgeintl.org
Grades: K-10 / Opened 2019
Focus/Program: International Baccalaureate
208 S. Hartley Lane, Middleton, ID 83644
208-244-0577
Application deadline in late February  Forge International School Website

Forrest M. Bird Charter School – LEA #487
Mary Jensen, Charter Administrator  maryjensen@forrestbirdcharterschool.org
Jennifer Greve, Principal  jennifergreve@forrestbirdcharterschool.org
Grades: 6-12 / Opened 2001
Focus/Program: Project-Based Learning
614 South Madison Avenue, Sandpoint, ID 83864
208-255-7771 - Middle School
208-265-9737 – High School
Application deadline late March  Forrest M. Bird Charter School Website

Future Public Charter School – LEA #499
Amanda Peterson, Director  amanda@futurepublicschool.org
Grades: K-6 / Opened 2018
Focus/Program: STEM and future-focused teaching
511 E 43rd Street, Boise, ID 83714
208-854-3923
Application deadline in mid-February  Future Public School Website
Gem Prep: Meridian – LEA #498
Liz Warburton, Principal  lizwarburton@gemprep.org
Grades: K-12 / Opened 2018
Focus/Program: Blended, Personalized Learning
2750 E. Gala Street, Meridian, ID 83642
208-917-9150
Application deadline early February  Gem Prep: Meridian Website

Gem Prep: Meridian North – LEA #549
Nanette Merrill, Principal  nanettemerrill@gemprep.org
Grades: K-8 / Opened 2021
Focus/Program: Blended, Personalized Learning
5390 McDermott Road, Meridian, ID 83646
208-373-9950
Application deadline early February  Gem Prep: Meridian North Website

Gem Prep: Meridian South – LEA #571
Kyle Leybas, Principal  KyleLeybas@gemprep.org
Grades: K-5/ Opened 2022
Focus/Program: Blended, Personalized Learning
1925 Lake Hazel Road, Meridian, ID 83642
208-617-8118
Application deadline early February  Gem Prep: Meridian South Website

Gem Prep: Nampa – LEA # 796
Gerald Love, Principal  geraldlove@gemprep.org
Grades: K-12 / Opened 2016
Focus/Program: Blended, Personalized Learning
310 W Iowa Ave, Nampa, ID 83686
208-468/2848
Application deadline early February  Gem Prep: Nampa Website
Gem Prep: Online – LEA# 534
Heather Mckenna heathermckenna@gemprep.org
Grades: K-12 / Opened 2004
Focus/Program: Online Education, Dual Credit
Resource Centers in Post Falls, Pocatello, and Meridian
Physical Address: 606 South Avenue, Deary, ID 83823
208-877-1513
Application deadline early March Gem Prep: Online Website

Gem Prep: Pocatello – LEA #496
Jake Sorensen, Principal jakesorensen@gemprep.org
Grades: K-12 / Opened 2014
Focus/Program: Blended, Personalized Learning
4145 Yellowstone Ave, Chubbuck, ID 83202
208-238-1388
Application deadline early February Gem Prep: Pocatello Website

Hayden Canyon Charter School – LEA #508
Bill Rutherford, Education Director brutherford@haydencanyoncharter.org
Grades: K-8 / Opened 2020
Focus/Program: Expeditionary Learning
13782 N Government Way, Hayden, ID 83835
208-477-1812
Application deadline in mid-March Hayden Canyon Charter Website

Heritage Academy – LEA #479
Christine Ivie, Superintendent civie@heritageacademy.org
Grades: K-8 / Opened 2011
Focus/Program: Schoolwide Enrichment Model and Social Emotional Learning
500 South Lincoln, Jerome, ID 83338
208-595-1617
Application deadline late March Heritage Academy Website
Heritage Community Charter School–LEA #481
Shantell Mullanix, Principal  smullanix@heritagecommunitycharter.com
Grades: K-8 Opened 2011
Dual Language
1803 E. Ustick Ave., Caldwell, ID 83605
208-453-8070

Application deadline mid-March  Heritage Community Charter School Website

Idaho Arts Charter School – LEA #795
Edward Longfield, Executive Director  ed.longfield@idahoartscharter.org
Kendal Fleshman, Principal grades K-4  kendal.fleshman@idahoartscharter.org
Marie McGrath, Principal grades 5-12  marie.mcgrath@idahoartscharter.org
Grades: K-12 / Opened 2005
Arts Based, Focused Investigations
1220 5th Street N., Nampa, ID 83687
208-463-4324

Application deadline mid-March  Idaho Arts Charter School Website

Idaho Connects Online School (ICON) – LEA #469
Vickie McCullough, Administrator  vickie.mccullough@iconschool.org
Grades: 6-12 / Opened 2009
Online Education including an alternative school
1012 North 18th Street, Boise, ID 83702
208-345-2909

Enrollment occurs daily. Contact the school for details. Idaho Connects Online School Website

Idaho Science & Technology Charter School – LEA #468
Tami Dortch – Director  tami.dortch@istcharter.org
Grades: K-8 / Opened 2009
Science & Technology
21 N. 550 W., Blackfoot, ID 83221
208-785-7827

Application deadline early March  Idaho Science & Technology Charter School Website
Idaho Technical Career Academy – LEA # 489
Monti Pittman, Administrator  
mpittman@k12.com
Grades: 9-12 / Opened 2014
On-line Career Technical Education
1965 S. Eagle Road, Suite 150 Meridian 83642
208-917-2420

Applications accepted year-round.  [Idaho Technical Career Academy Website]

Idaho Virtual Academy – LEA #452
Kelly Edginton, Head of School  
kedginton@k12.com
Kerri Brown, Principal grades K-5  
kebrown@idahova.org
Amber Hatrock, Principal grades 6-12  
ahatrock@idahova.org
Grades: K-12 / Opened 2002
Online Education including an alternative school
1965 S Eagle Road, Suite 190, Meridian, ID 83642
208-322-3559

Applications deadlines are based on the cohort schedule.  Contact the school for details.  [Idaho Virtual Academy Website]

Inspire Connections Academy – LEA #457
Kenny Mcalister, Interim Superintendent  
kmcalister@inspire.connectionsacademy.org
Grades: K-12 / Opened 2005
Online Education
600 N Steelhead Way, Suite 164, Boise, ID 83702
208-322-4002

Application deadline based on the semester dates.  Contact the school for details.  [Inspire Connections Academy Website]

Island Park Charter School – LEA #540
Connie Day, Director of Education  
islandparkelementary@gmail.com
Grades: K-4 / Opened 2020
Multi-age classrooms allowing for individual needs and different learning styles
4133 Shoshone Ave, Island Park, ID 83429
208-558-4727

For enrollment information contact the school.  [Island Park Charter School Website]
iSucceed Virtual School – LEA #466
Katie Allison, Executive Director  kallison@isucceedvhs.net
Clayton Trehal, Principal  ctrehal@isucceedvhs.net
Grades: 7-12 / Opened 2008
Online Education including an alternative school
6148 N, Discovery Way, Suite 120, Boise, ID 83713
208-375-3116

Enrollment occurs throughout the year for each quarter.  iSucceed Virtual School Website

K

Kootenai Bridge Academy – LEA #470
Charles Kenna, Program Director  kootenaibridgeacademy@gmail.com
Grades: 9-12 / Opened 2009
Online, Non-Traditional Students
606 River Street, Coeur d' Alene, ID 83814
208-930-4515

Enrollment occurs on the first Monday of each month, with a few exceptions. Contact the school for details.
Kootenai Bridge Academy Website

L

Legacy Charter School – LEA #478
Seth Stallcop, Administrator  admin@legacycharterschool.net
Grades: K-8 / Opened 2011
Harbor Method
4015 S. Legacy Way, Nampa, ID 83686
208-467-0947

Application deadline early April  Legacy Charter School Website
Liberty Charter School – LEA #458
Mark Wachsmuth, Principal  mwachsmuth@libertycharterschool.com
Grades: K-12 / Opened 1999
Harbor Method
9955 Kris Jensen Lane, Nampa, ID 83686
208-466-7952
Application deadline early April  Liberty Charter School Website

Meridian Medical Arts Charter High School – Joint School District #2
Dawnetta Earnest, Principal  earnest.dawnetta@westada.org
Grades: 9-12 / Opened 2003
Health Science Professions
1789 E Heritage Park Lane, Meridian, ID 83646
208-855-4075
Application deadline early-February Meridian Medical Arts Charter High School Website

Randy Yadon, Principal  Randy.yadon@mtchs.org
Grades: 9-12 / Opened 1999
Technology, Engineering, College Preparatory
3800 N Locust Grove, Meridian, ID 83646
208-288-2928
Application deadline early-February Meridian Technical Charter High School Website

Monticello Montessori School – LEA #474
Jeanne Johnson, Administrator  administrator@monticellomontessori.com
Grades: K-8 / Opened 2010
Montessori education
4707 S. Sweetwater Way, Ammon, ID 83406
208-419-0742
Application deadline mid-April  Monticello Montessori School Website
Mountain Community School – LEA# 536
Patrick Berg, Head of School  pberg@mtncommunityschool.org
Grades: K-8 / Opened 2022
Place-based education
P.O. Box 490, McCall, ID 83638
208-697-3345
Application deadline late March  Mountain Community School Website

Moscow Charter School – Moscow School District #281
Tony Bonuccelli, Principal  tonyb@moscowcharterschool.org
Grades: K-8 / Opened 1998
STEAM – Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, Math
1723 East F Street, Moscow, ID 83843
208-883-3195
Application deadline late March  Moscow Charter School Website

MOSIACS Public School - LEA #544
Anthony Haskett, Administrator  ahaskett@mosaicps.org
Grades: K-6 / Opened 2020
STEAM – Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, Math
3121 Lincoln Road, Caldwell, ID 8605
208-402-8899
Application deadline late March  MOSIACS Public School Website

North Idaho STEM Charter Academy – LEA #480
Scott Thomson, Administrator  sthomson@northidahostem.org
K-12 / Opened 2012
STEM Education
15633 N. Meyer Road, Rathdrum, Idaho 83858
208-687-8002
Application deadline late February  North Idaho STEM Charter Academy Website
North Star Charter School – LEA #493
Andy Horning, Head of School ahorning@northstarcharter.org
Shay Davis, Elementary Administrator sdavis@northstarcharter.org
Grades: K-12 / Opened 2003
School of Business, International Baccalaureate
839 N Linder Road, Eagle, ID 83616
208-939-9600

Application deadline early March North Star Charter School Website

North Valley Academy – LEA #465
Jeff Klamm, Principal klammj@navapatriots.us
Grades: K-12 / Opened 2008
Core Knowledge with an emphasis on Patriotism
906 Main Street, Gooding, ID 83330
208-934-4567

Application deadline late March North Valley Academy Website

P

Palouse Prairie Charter School – LEA #472
Sara Beggs, Executive Director sbeggs@palouseprairieschool.org
Grades: K-8 / Opened 2009
Expeditionary Learning
406 Powers Ave, Moscow, ID 83843
208-882-3684

Application deadline late March Palouse Prairie Charter School Website

Pathways in Education: Nampa – LEA #497
Leslie Lehnertz, Administrator leslielehertz@pathwaysedu.org
Grades: 9-12 / Opened 2017
Blended Customized Learning
124 Holly Street, Nampa, ID 83686
208-505-4800

Applications accepted year-round. Pathways in Education - Nampa Website
Payette River Technical Academy – Emmett School District #221
Patrick Goff, Principal  pgoff@pr2ta.com
Grades: 6-12 / Opened 2010
Career Technical Education
1805 Highway 16, Emmett, ID 83617
208-365-0985

Contact the school for enrollment details.  Payette River Technical Academy Website

Peace Valley Public Charter School – LEA #511
Andrew Ross, Administrator a.ross@boisewaldorf.org
Grades: K-8 / Opened 2018
Waldorf Inspired Methods
1845 S Federal Way, Boise, ID 83705
208-205-8818

Application deadline in mid-April  Peace Valley Charter School Website

Pinecrest Academy of Idaho – LEA #553
Andy Mirhaj, Principal andy.mirhaj@pinecrestidaho.org
Grades: K-8 / Opened 2020
STEAM focus
209 5th Ave N, Twin Fall, ID 83843
208-944-2129

Application deadline late March  Pinecrest Academy of Idaho Website

Pocatello Community Charter School – LEA# 494
Michael Mendive, Administrator michael.mendive@pcs.k12.id.us
Grades: K-8 / Opened 1999
Expeditionary Learning
995 S Arthur Street, Pocatello, ID 83204
208-478-2522

Application deadline late February  Pocatello Community Charter School Website
Project Impact STEM Academy – LEA #513
Jill Hettinger, Administrator  jhettinger@pistem.org
Grades: K-12 / Opened 2018
STEM, project-based learning
1422 S Tech Lane, Meridian, ID 83642
208-576-4811
Application deadline in late April  Pi STEM Academy Website

Richard McKenna Charter School – LEA #453
Dennis Wilson, Director  dwilson@rmckenna.org
Grades K-8 / Opened 2016
Montessori methods
1305 East 8th North, Mountain Home, ID 83647
208-580-2347
Application deadline late February
Grades 9-12 / Opened 2002
Online and Onsite Options
675 South Haskett Street, Mountain Home, ID 83647
208-580-2449
Application deadline varies by program. Richard McKenna Charter School Website

RISE Charter School – Kimberly School District #414
Heid Child, Administrator  hchild@kimberly.edu
Grades: 4-9 / Opened 2021
Personalized Learning
141 Center Street West, Kimberly, ID 83341
208-939-5400
Application deadline early April  RISE Charter School Website
Rolling Hills Charter School – LEA #454
Shane Pratt, Administrator  spratt@rhpcs.org
Grades: K-8 / Opened 2005
Personalized Learning
8900 Horseshoe Bend Road, Boise, ID 83714
208-939-5400
Application deadline early April  Rolling Hills Charter School Website

S

Sage International School of Boise – LEA #475
Kate Hunter, K-5 Director  kate.hunter@sageintl.org
Zach Parker, 6-8 Director  zachparker@sageintl.org
Bandy Burkett, 9-12 Director  brandy.burkett@sageintl.org
Grades: K-12 / Opened 2010
International Baccalaureate
457 E. Park Center Blvd., Boise ID 83706
208-343-7243
Application deadline end of February  Sage International School Website

Syringa Mountain School – LEA# 488
Christi Thompson, Director of School  cthompson@syringamountainschool.org
Grades: K-8 / Opened 2014
Waldorf Inspired Methods
4021 Glenbrook Dr., Hailey, ID 83333
208-806-2880
Application deadline mid-February  Syringa Mountain School Website
Taylor’s Crossing Public Charter School – LEA #461
Seth Boyle, Principal  sboyle@tceagles.com
Grades: K-12 / Opened 2006
Harbor Method
1445 N Wood River Drive, Idaho Falls, ID 83401
208-552-0397
Application deadline mid-March  Taylor’s Crossing Public Charter School Website

Thomas Jefferson Charter School – LEA#559
Jodi Endicott, Principal  jendicott.tjcs@tjcharterschool.org
Grades: K-12 / Opened 2004
Harbor Method
1209 Adam Smith Avenue, Caldwell, ID 83605
208-455-8772
Application deadline late February  Thomas Jefferson Charter School Website

Treasure Valley Classical Academy – LEA #532
Stephen Lambert, Principal  slambert@tvcacademy.org
Grades: K-9 / Opened 2019
Classical education
500 SW 3rd St., Fruitland, ID 83619
Application deadline in early April  Treasure Valley Classical Academy Website

Upper Carmen Public Charter School – LEA #486
Becky Smith, Principal  uppcarmencharterschool@gmail.com
Grades: K-3 / Opened 2005
Individualized instruction in multi-grade classes
508 Carmen Creek Road, Carmen, ID 83462
208-756-4590
Application deadline  Upper Carmen Public Charter School
Victory Charter School – LEA #451
Marianne Saunders, Co-Administrator
Tera Luce, Co-Administrator  admin@victorycharterschool.net
Grades: K-12 / Opened 2005
Harbor Method
9779 Kris Jensen Lane, Nampa, ID 83686
208-442-9400
Applications deadline early April  Victory Charter School Website

Village Leadership Academy – LEA #473
Josh Noteboom, Administrator  joshnoteboom@thevillagecharterschool.org
Grades: K-8 / Opened 2011
Leadership School; cultivating critical thinkers
1747 N. Fairmeadow Dr., Boise, ID 83704
208-336-2000
Application deadline early April  Village Leadership Academy Website

Vision Charter School – LEA #463
Wendy Oldenkamp, Administrator  wendyoldenkamp@visioncsd.org
Grades: K-12 / Opened 2007
Classical Education
19291 Ward Road, Caldwell, ID 83605
208-455-9220
Application deadline early March  Vision Charter School Website
White Pine Charter School – LEA #464
Ron Cote, Director  cotero@wpcscougars.org
Geoff Stubbs, Elementary Principal  stubbsge@wpcscougars.org
Mark Olsen, Secondary Principal  olsenma@wpcscougars.org
Grades: K-11 / Opened 2003
Core Knowledge, STEM

Elementary Site:
2959 John Adams Parkway, Ammon, ID 83406
208-522-4432

STEM Academy:
2664 1st Street, Ammon, ID 83401
208-715-9772

Application deadline early April  White Pine Charter School Website

X

Xavier Charter School – LEA #462
Gary Moon, Administrator  gmoon@xaviercharter.org
Grades: K-12 / Opened 2007
Classical Education, Core Knowledge
1218 North College Road West, Twin Falls, ID 83301
208-734-3947

Application deadline late March  Xavier Charter School Website