

**South Carolina Education Oversight Committee (EOC)
Annual Standards Assurance Form**

H.4077 (R.247) as Signed by the Governor on May 18, 2018

2018-19

Document A – Application for NEW Schools to Participate in ECENC Program

Please complete the information requested below concerning your independent school. This information will be listed on the South Carolina Education Oversight Committee's website, www.eoc.sc.gov.

Independent School Name:	PALMETTO CHRISTIAN ACADEMY OF GREENWOOD
Independent School Contact Person:	BRIDGET P. BONETTI
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City, State, Zip Code:	GREENWOOD SC 29649
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Please review the standards below based on H.4077 (R.247) as signed by the Governor on May 18, 2018. An "eligible school" is defined as "an independent school including those religious in nature, other than a public school, at which the compulsory attendance requirements of Section 59-65-10 may be met," and does not discriminate based on the grounds of race, color, or national origin. Please indicate whether your school has met each standard to ensure the following academic requirements are being met. The S.C. Education Oversight Committee reserves the right to request additional documentation to show the school is in compliance with state law.

STANDARDS	YES	NO
1. Offers a general education to primary or secondary school students.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, or national origin.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Is located in this state.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Has an educational curriculum that includes courses set forth in the state's diploma requirements, graduation certificate requirements (for special needs children), and where the students attending are administered national achievement or state standardized tests, or both, at progressive grade levels to determine student progress.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Has school facilities that are subject to applicable federal, state, and local laws.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Is a member in good standing of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, the South Carolina Association of Christian Schools, the South Carolina Independent Schools Association, or the Palmetto Association of Independent Schools.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Provides a specially designed program or learning resource center to provide needed accommodations based on the needs of exceptional needs students or provides onsite educational services or supports to meet the needs of exceptional needs students, or is a school specifically existing to meet the needs of only exceptional needs students with documented disabilities. Please provide a summary of the services provided based on exceptional needs of students served.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8. Did this school receive any grants last fiscal year (July 1, 2017 until June 30, 2018) from Exceptional SC from the Educational Credit for Exceptional Needs Children Fund? Please complete Document B.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
9. By December 31, 2018, will your school submit school-level test score results from the prior school year on national achievement tests and individual student test scores for students who received a grant from Exceptional SC in the prior school year? Please complete Document C.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
10. By June 30, 2019, will your school submit a compilation, review, or compliance audit of the school's financial statements as relating to the grants received and conducted by a certified public accounting firm if you receive grants from Exceptional SC between July 1, 2018 and June 30, 2019? Please complete Document D.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

I assure that all documents submitted to the SC Education Oversight Committee for the purpose of applying as an eligible school, as defined by state law, is true, accurate, and complete under penalty of perjury in accordance with Section 16-9-10 of the South Carolina Code of Laws.

Signature: Bridget P. Bonetti

Date: 6/27/18

Print Name of Signature Above: BRIDGET P. BONETTI

Title: DIRECTOR of THE ARC at PCAG (Academic Resource Ctr.)

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The ARC at PCAG

The ARC (Academic Resource Center) at PCAG (Palmetto Christian Academy of Greenwood) is designed to assist students with a specific learning disability, cognitive or processing difficulties, those with attention deficit (hyperactivity) disorder, and/or students diagnosed on the Autism Spectrum. The ARC is available for students in grades 6 -12th and K5-5th. A variety of teaching techniques and learning strategies are utilized, offering students opportunities to build on their strengths, to improve areas of weakness, and to achieve success while enhancing self-confidence.

Each student of The ARC has 504 Accommodations that are reviewed and adjusted annually to evaluate academic performance and placement. Expectations are individualized, and students are challenged to perform at their full potential. The ARC not only offers academic excellence but also includes a Christian foundation to help students grow academically, socially, physically and spiritually. The ARC utilizes all available input and feedback from the student's parents, teachers, and physicians. The ultimate goal for students with learning difficulties is to help them to integrate the necessary compensatory skills to become independent, life-long learners.

Following graduation students of The ARC will pursue placement in a university, two year technical school, or job position. The faculty and staff of The ARC and PCAG are committed to providing students with a high quality education and the spiritual guidance needed to succeed for today and for a lifetime.

For more information or to make an appointment with Bridget Bonetti (Director of The ARC) please contact the offices of PCAG at (864) 223-0391.



The ARC at PCAG

**1615 Woodlawn Rd
Greenwood, SC 29649
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The ARC (Academic Resource Center) at PCAG (Palmetto Christian Academy of Greenwood) assists students and parents as they navigate through the paper work needed for 504 Accommodations provided in the classroom as well as standardized test accommodations.

It can be a daunting tasks for first time parents of students with learning differences to contact their school district and the College Board without some assistance provided. We have a positive working relationship with both of these businesses and are glad to provide such assistance.

The ARC has a working relationship with Wrightslaw Special Education and Advocacy which we can contact with any pertinent questions we are unable to answer – if the need should arise.

With over 10 years of experience in this area we are committed to assisting our families as they maneuver through this process - as stress-free as possible.

For more information: contact Bridget Bonetti – Director of The ARC at PCAG at (864) 223-0391 or bbonetti@pcagreenwood.org

**Document B
Grants Received**

**Application for NEW Schools to Participate in
Educational Credit for Exceptional Needs Children (ECENC) Program
2018-2019**

Independent School Name: PALMETTO CHRISTIAN ACADEMY OF
GREENWOOD

An independent school participating the Educational Credit for Exceptional Needs Children for Fiscal Year 2018-19 is required to submit the following information:

**Total number of grants and total amount of grants received in the
preceding fiscal year, from July 1, 2017 through June 30, 2018.**

Please complete the following chart. If no grants for any qualifying student were received from Exceptional SC in Fiscal Year 2017-18, which should apply to NEW schools participating in the ECENC program, please indicate with "0" grants received and "\$0" in total amount of grants received.

Total Number of Grants Received	Total Amount of Grants Received
0	\$ 0

Total number of grants is the number of individual children/students who received a grant even if the school received more than one grant for a specific child/student. The total amount of grants per child/student should not have exceeded \$11,000.

Document C
Student Assessment Data

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Educational Credit for Exceptional Needs Children (ECENC) Program
2018-2019**

Independent School Name: PALMETTO CHRISTIAN ACADEMY,
OF GREENWOOD

By state law, schools participating in the Educational Credit for Exceptional Needs Children Program are required to submit the following:

Student test scores, by category, on national achievement or state standardized tests, or both, for all grades tested and administered by the school receiving or entitled to receive scholarship grants pursuant to this section in the previous school year. The school shall also provide individual student test scores on national achievement or state standardized tests, or both, for any student in grades one through twelve who received a grant from the program during the prior school year. The information must be used to provide program level reports to determine whether students participating in the program have experienced measurable improvement. Students with disabilities for whom standardized testing is not appropriate are exempt from this requirement.

Section 12-6-3790(E)(1)(b)

The information will be used to issue an annual report.

Annually, the Education Oversight Committee shall issue a report to the General Assembly documenting the impact of the Educational Credit for Exceptional Needs Children Program on student achievement. In addition, the report must include information on individual schools if at least fifty-one percent of the total enrolled students in the private school participated in the Educational Credit for Exceptional Needs Children Program in the prior school year. The report must be according to each participating private school, and for participating students, in which there are at least thirty participating students who have scores for tests administered. If the Education Oversight Committee determines that the thirty participating-student cell size may be reduced without disclosing personally identifiable information of a participating student, the Education Oversight Committee may reduce the participating-student cell size, but the cell size may not be reduced to less than ten participating students.

Section 12-6-3790(E)(6)

Therefore, schools applying for participation in the ECENC Program for the first time in 2018-19 must provide the following to the EOC by **December 31, 2018**:

School-level assessment results for school year 2017-18 on national achievement tests for all grades tested in the school and for each grade with at least 10 students tested. Information should be provided for English language arts (reading) and mathematics achievement of students in the grade. Examples include: *TerraNova*, *Stanford 10*, *Iowa Test of Basic Skills*, etc. For grades 9-12, the school may provide average PSAT, SAT, ACT, or other scores as appropriate. Since your school did not participate in the ECENC program in the prior school year, 2017-18, you are **not** required to submit **individual student test scores** on national achievement tests.

For schools that specifically exist to meet the needs of only exceptional needs students with documented disabilities, the EOC will work with the schools to provide information (including formative assessments, portfolios, etc.) that document the students' academic and social development.

How many students were enrolled in your school in 2017-18? 88

The following is a **template** that you may use for reporting purposes. For questions, please contact the EOC office.

TERRA NOVA 3
2017-18 School Year Results for (NAME OF ASSESSMENT)
National Percentiles, Mean (Average) Scale Scores, Grade Equivalents, etc.

Grade	English language arts (Reading)	Mathematics
1	591.3 / 68%	534.5 / 54%
2	651 / 88%	631 / 92%
3	646 / 72%	641.5 / 79%
4	665 / 79%	647.5 / 64%
5	668 / 65%	653.5 / 54%
6	643.8 / 30%	637. / 22%
7	668 / 51%	679.9 / 55%
8	678.7 / 56%	697.7 / 63%
9	738 / 95%	747.3 / 89%

Note: None of our grades exceeded 10 students.

**Document D
Compilation, Review or Compliance Audit**

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2018-2019**

Independent School Name: PALMETTO CHRISTIAN ACADEMY
of GREENWOOD

An independent school applying to participate in the Educational Credit for Exceptional Needs Children Program is required to submit the following information:

a copy of a compilation, review, or compliance audit of the organization's financial statements as relating to the grants received, conducted by a certified public accounting firm. (Section 12-6-3790)

By law the compilation, review or compliance audit will be posted online at www.eoc.sc.gov.

Please answer the following questions:

	YES	NO
Did your school receive from Exceptional SC any grants in the prior fiscal year, between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
If Yes , will your school submit to the EOC a compilation, review, or compliance audit of the school's financial statements as relating to the grants received during the prior fiscal year and conducted by a certified public accounting firm by December 30, 2018 ? Failure to provide the compilation, review or compliance audit will result in your school's removal as an eligible school under the ECENC program.	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A	<input type="checkbox"/>
If No , will your school submit to the EOC a compilation, review, or compliance audit of the school's financial statements as relating to the grants received and conducted by a certified public accounting firm by June 30, 2019 if you receive grants from Exceptional SC between July 1, 2018 and June 30, 2019? Failure to provide the compilation, review or compliance audit will result in your school's removal as an eligible school under the ECENC program.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

**PALMETTO CHRISTIAN ACADEMY
OF GREENWOOD, INC.**

GREENWOOD, SOUTH CAROLINA

INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANTS' COMPILATION REPORT

AND

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2017



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To the Board of Directors
Palmetto Christian Academy of Greenwood
Greenwood, South Carolina

Management is responsible for the accompanying financial statements of Palmetto Christian Academy of Greenwood (a nonprofit organization), which comprise the statement of financial position as of June 30, 2017, and the related statement of activities for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. We have performed a compilation engagement in accordance with Statements on Standards for Accounting and Review Services promulgated by the Accounting and Review Services Committee of the AICPA. We did not audit or review the financial statements nor were we required to perform any procedures to verify the accuracy or completeness of the information provided by management. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion, a conclusion, nor provide any form of assurance on these financial statements.

Management has elected to omit substantially all of the disclosures and the statement of cash flows required by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. If the omitted disclosures and statement of cash flows were included in the financial statements, they might influence the user's conclusions about the Organization's financial position, changes in net assets, and cash flows. Accordingly, these financial statements are not designed for those who are not informed about such matters.

Cox Accounting Solutions, LLC

Greenwood, South Carolina

January 23, 2018

Palmetto Christian Academy of Greenwood
Statement of Financial Position
June 30, 2017

Assets

Current Assets:	
Cash	\$ 29,055
Tuition Receivable	12,681
Miscellaneous Receivables	3,242
Prepaid Expenses	<u>1,412</u>
Total Current Assets	<u>46,390</u>
Property and Equipment (Net of Accumulated Depreciation of \$108,254)	<u>43,528</u>
Total Assets	<u><u>\$ 89,918</u></u>

Liabilities and Net Assets

Current Liabilities:	
Payroll Liabilities	\$ 730
Deferred Tuition	18,998
Note Payable	5,299
Other Liabilities	<u>2,572</u>
Total Current Liabilities	<u>27,599</u>
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Net Assets:	
Unrestricted Net Assets	56,103
Temporarily Restricted Net Assets	<u>6,216</u>
Total Net Assets	<u>62,319</u>
Total Liabilities and Net Assets	<u><u>\$ 89,918</u></u>

Palmetto Christian Academy of Greenwood
Statement of Activities
For the Year Ended June 30, 2017

Changes in Unrestricted Net Assets

Unrestricted Revenues and Support:

Tuition	\$	434,456
Contributions		176,626
In-Kind Contributions		20,398
Program Income		29,099
Fundraising Income		48,821
Miscellaneous Income		1,749
Loss on Sale of Assets		(2,494)
Net Assets Released From Restrictions		53,005
Total Unrestricted Revenues and Support		761,660

Expenses:

Program Services		533,945
Management and General		110,764
Fundraising		41,325
Total Expenses		686,034

Change in Unrestricted Net Assets		75,626
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Changes in Temporarily Restricted Net Assets

Contributions		54,027
Net Assets Released From Restrictions		(53,005)
Change in Temporarily Restricted Net Assets		1,022

Change in Net Assets		76,648
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Net Assets, Beginning of Year		(14,329)
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Net Assets, End of Year	\$	62,319
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