

As required by Missouri statutes and the contracts between Saint Louis University (SLU) and our sponsored charter schools, SLU establishes for each of its sponsored schools what the Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education (DESE) refers to as a "Performance Contract." The Performance Contract is an explicit statement of the specific academic, financial, and organizational performance standards SLU has established and uses to annually evaluate the charter:

SLU's annual evaluation of a charter school shall be based primarily— though not exclusively— on the school's achievement of standards established in the governing Performance Contract. Failure to achieve certain Performance Contract standards may result in SLU requirements of the school including but not limited to the following:

- the submission of a school report to SLU addressing the sources of concerns, as well as school plans for remediation thereof;
- the publication of any such required report (as noted above) on the charter's website for public access;
- a school contract with an independent, external auditor/consultant approved by SLU, and the completion of an audit of the school's educational, financial, or organizational performance as defined by SLU;
- specific training for board members, administrators, staff, or teachers;
- changes in membership and/or officers of the board of directors.

SLU's decision to renew a charter with a sponsored school will also be informed by the school's record of annual achievement of standards in the governing Performance Contracts.

The standards of the Performance Contract criteria, as defined

11	School-wide, the percent of who score at either the on the () assessment shall be at or greater* than the average for all Kansas City Public School (KPS) District schools with the same grade levels	Missouri Comprehensive Data System (MDS) - DISEMAP Data	*pending public release of assessment data
12	School-wide, the percent of who score at either the on the assessment shall be at or greater* than the average for all KPS District schools with the same grade levels	MDS- DISEMAP Data	*pending public release of assessment data
13	School-wide, the percent of who score at either the on the assessment shall be 25% greater* than the average for all KPS District schools with the same grade levels	MDS DISEMAP Data	*pending public release of assessment data
14	School-wide, the annual DISE reported average for the assessment is either at or above the expected NCE for HAs calculated by DISE	MDS DISEMAP Data	*pending public release of assessment data
15	School-wide, the annual DISE reported for the assessment is either at or above the expected NCE for HAs calculated by DISE	MDS DISEMAP Data	*pending public release of assessment data

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16 School-wide, the annual DISE reported for the assessment is either at or above the expected NCE for HAAs calculated by DISE





