

## MOT Charter School

### Performance Agreement Objectives

MOT Charter School has successfully met and exceeded its performance targets year after year.

- I. During the term of this Agreement, the school shall attain the classification of "commendable" or "superior" as set forth by the requirements for public schools in the regulations adopted pursuant to Del. C., Title 14, Section 154.**

MOT Charter School was rated a "Superior" school in 2010-2011, and met all state AYP targets to achieve a "Superior" status in 2011-2012.

**II. DSTP and NWEA**

- A. Student Achievement Target ONE: On the DSTP, average performance on each subject at each grade level will be at or above the state average.**

In the two years since our last renewal, the average performance of MOT Charter students has consistently exceeded the state average at each grade level in each subject—in many cases substantially so. The only instance where the mean score achieved by MOT Charter students has not exceeded the state's average was in third grade reading in the Spring 2012. However, in that same year 88% of MOT Charter students met or exceeded the state standard versus 75% achieved statewide.

MOT Charter ranks in the top 10 of schools statewide in math, reading, science and social studies at the middle school level.

**Average Score**

	Reading							Mathematics						
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
MOT '12	699	728	770	802	838	835	865	682	721	791	806	845	842	872
MOT '11	683	708	747	795	809	849	874	685	717	759	797	817	848	876
State '12	669	734	757	785	790	807	830	649	713	752	776	795	813	840
State '11	667	711	735	766	777	789	818	646	696	733	766	777	803	827

**Percent of Students Meeting Standard**

	Reading							Mathematics						
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
MOT '12	81.00%	88.00%	82.00%	95.00%	99.00%	88.00%	93.00%	89.00%	92.00%	91.00%	93.00%	92.00%	91.00%	89.00%
MOT '11	77.00%	66.00%	66.00%	82.00%	85.00%	88.00%	92.00%	91.00%	75.00%	83.00%	79.00%	80.00%	89.00%	90.00%
State '12	67.00%	75.00%	74.00%	78.00%	74.00%	71.00%	73.00%	80.00%	76.00%	77.00%	74.00%	67.00%	71.00%	74.00%
State '11	65.00%	63.00%	60.00%	64.00%	62.00%	59.00%	61.00%	79.00%	67.00%	65.00%	65.00%	58.00%	60.00%	62.00%

Average Scale	Science		Social Studies		% of Students Meeting	Science		Social Studies	
	5	8	4	7		5	8	4	7
MOT '12	429	419	422	445	MOT '12	78%	68%	78%	88%
MOT '11	416	421	428	443	MOT '11	66%	78%	84%	85%
State '12	403	403	414	414	State '12	52%	51%	68%	58%
State '11	397	397	411	411	State '11	49%	48%	64%	56%

**B. Student Achievement Target TWO: On the NWEA, average annual student growth in Math, Reading and Language Usage at each grade level will be at or above the national mean growth.**

In 2010-2011 and in 2011-2012, the average growth of MOT Charter school students met or exceeded the national mean growth for reading at all grade levels with the exception of 2<sup>nd</sup> grade in the spring 2012. Students met or exceeded the national mean growth in math at all grade levels in 2011 and in kindergarten and grades 4-8 in 2012. Summaries of the fall-to-spring growth for each year are attached to this application.

**III. During the term of this Agreement, the school will demonstrate that its students exhibit positive behavior related to academic success through the following:**

**A. For each year of the school operation, average daily attendance will be at least 90% of the average daily enrollment.**

Year	Average Daily Attendance
2010-2011:	96.64%
2011-2012:	97.13%

**B. For each year of school operation, the school will have fewer reportable (behavior) incidents than the average for all schools with a similar grade configuration in New Castle County.**

Year	Reportable Incidents	Police Charges
2010-2011	3	0
2011-2012	4	0

- C. Each year, with the exception of students that move out of the area served by the school, at least 75% of the total non-graduating student body enrolled during the final month of the school year will return to the school the following fall.**

<u>Year</u>	<u>Expected Returning Students*</u>	<u>Returning Students</u>	<u>% Returning</u>
2010-2011	591	586	<b>WHAT IS</b>
2011-2012	597	568	99%

*\*Total number of students, less students who moved out of the area and those who graduated.*

- IV. During the term of this Agreement, the school will demonstrate that it has strong market accountability through the following:**

- A. Each year, the school will have at least enough students seek admission to the school to enroll at least 90% of the number of students allowed by the charter at the beginning of the school year and will have a waiting list.**

<u>Year</u>	<u>Total Enrollment</u>	<u>% of Maximum</u>	<u>Waiting List</u>
2010-2011	675	100%	Yes
2011-2012	676	100%	Yes

- B. Throughout the school year, the school will maintain an enrollment of at least 90% of the maximum allowed by the charter.**

<u>Year</u>	<u>Average Daily Membership</u>
2010-2011	+99%
2011-2012	+99%

- V. During the term of this Agreement, the parents of students enrolled at the school will express satisfaction with the school's administration and educational program through the following:**

**The school will conduct an annual survey of parents of students who attend the school, and at least 85% of parents of enrolled students who return the survey will indicate overall satisfaction with the school's administration and educational program.**

<u>Year</u>	<u>% Satisfaction</u>
2011	96%
2012	Did not conduct satisfaction survey