

## SYNERGY ACADEMY SCHOOL CLOSURE PLAN RSA 194-B:3

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Provision for Dissolution of the Charter School including disposition of its assets or amendment of its program plan, and a plan for the education of the school's pupils after the charter school may cease operation.

In the event that Synergy Academy Chartered Public School ceases operation, the Board shall consult with an attorney and the Department of Education to assure that contractual and financial obligations are met in accordance with RSA 194-B:3,II(z).

Upon dissolution of Synergy Academy Chartered Public School, the property remaining after the payment of all liabilities, and the return of any loaned items to the rightful owner, shall be offered to other similar educational organizations in hopes that the assets will continue to benefit students in New Hampshire. Any money earned through the sale of assets shall be used to settle all outstanding debts. Once all debts have been settled, the remaining money earned shall be distributed according to the following guidelines:

- Money obtained through the sale of items purchased using governmental grant funds will be returned to the State for distribution to other state-funded school programs.
- To the best of our ability, money obtained through the sale of items purchased using private donations or non-governmental grants will be offered back to the funders.
- Should that not be possible, assets will be offered to other non-profit organizations for work that resembles the intended purpose of the original donation.
- Money obtained from the sale of items purchased through community fundraising will be donated to other non-profit community organizations committed to supporting innovative education in New Hampshire.



## Our Plan for the Education of the School's Pupils after the Charter School May Cease Operation:

In the event that the Synergy Academy Chartered Public School shall have cause to cease operation, the Executive Director will work with the Board to develop a student transfer process and advise all parents/guardians, Staff and Faculty of the process to be followed. All student records will be finalized and returned to sending districts.

Synergy Academy Chartered Public School will work with the parents/guardians in order to provide the best appropriate education in accordance with RSA 194-B:3,II(bb).

In the event that Synergy was to close we would preserve all student records and share all student reports/plans with the student and families. We will conduct this exercise for all graduates as well. Students continuing their high school careers will have an exit interview with their team. We will work with each student to create the best transition plan from Synergy to a different high school. Synergy will provide all student records to the student's family as well as to their new school. Active students would go on to their sending districts, and all graduate records would be sent to NHDOE.