

Charter School Renewal Timeline 2026

Renewal Stage	Purpose	Due Date
Release of Renewal Timeline	Staff will provide school leader with expectations.	June 2026
Renewal Orientation Conducted with Charter School leader	The charter school will receive charter school renewal guidance.	June 2026
Renewal Report Provided to Charter School	Evidence of School Performance in relation to expectations in performance framework including evidence in annual reports, statewide assessments, ALSDE Compliance Monitoring, state report card, Anvilar reporting, and contractual obligations.	July 15, 2026
Charter School Response To Performance Report	The charter school has 15 days to respond to the performance report and submit any requested corrections or clarifications to the report.	July 30, 2026
Charter School Renewal Application	A renewal application will be available in June. The application will include a formal request for renewal, factual corrections to the performance report and details for the new charter term.	Sept. 1, 2026
Public Hearing	The charter school will be afforded a public hearing before the Alabama Public Charter School Commission (APCSC) at which it can present testimony and evidence in support of the renewal application.	Oct. 13, 2026
Rule by Resolution	Following the public hearing, APCSC will rule by resolution, specifying its reasons for either granting or denying the renewal application.	Oct. 13, 2026
Standard for Renewal Public Report	The APCSC will ground its decision in the charter school's performance over the term of the charter school's contract in accordance with the performance framework set forth in the charter contract. The data used will be available to the school and the public summarizing the evidence for its decision.	Nov. 27, 2026