

Form 5500 Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation	Annual Return/Report of Employee Benefit Plan This form is required to be filed for employee benefit plans under sections 104 and 4065 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA) and sections 6057(b) and 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code). ▶ Complete all entries in accordance with the instructions to the Form 5500.	OMB Nos. 1210-0110 1210-0089 2021 This Form is Open to Public Inspection
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Part I Annual Report Identification Information	
For calendar plan year 2021 or fiscal plan year beginning <u>07/01/2021</u> and ending <u>06/30/2022</u>	
A This return/report is for:	☐ a multiemployer plan ☐ a multiple-employer plan (Filers checking this box must attach a list of participating employer information in accordance with the form instructions.) ☒ a single-employer plan ☐ a DFE (specify) _____
B This return/report is:	☐ the first return/report ☐ the final return/report ☒ an amended return/report ☐ a short plan year return/report (less than 12 months)
C If the plan is a collectively-bargained plan, check here.	▶ ☐
D Check box if filing under:	☒ Form 5558 ☐ automatic extension ☐ the DFVC program ☐ special extension (enter description)
E If this is a retroactively adopted plan permitted by SECURE Act section 201, check here.	▶ ☐

Part II Basic Plan Information—enter all requested information													
1a Name of plan <u>CHICAGO INTERNATIONAL CHARTER SCHOOL 401(K) PLAN</u>	<table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 80%;">1b Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶</td> <td style="width: 20%; text-align: center;"><u>001</u></td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2">1c Effective date of plan <u>08/01/2019</u></td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2">2b Employer Identification Number (EIN) <u>36-4141583</u></td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2">2c Plan Sponsor's telephone number <u>312-497-3709</u></td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2">2d Business code (see instructions) <u>611000</u></td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2" style="background-color: #f2f2f2; height: 30px;"></td> </tr> </table>	1b Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶	<u>001</u>	1c Effective date of plan <u>08/01/2019</u>		2b Employer Identification Number (EIN) <u>36-4141583</u>		2c Plan Sponsor's telephone number <u>312-497-3709</u>		2d Business code (see instructions) <u>611000</u>			
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2a Plan sponsor's name (employer, if for a single-employer plan) Mailing address (include room, apt., suite no. and street, or P.O. Box) City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code (if foreign, see instructions) <u>CHICAGO CHARTER SCHOOL FOUNDATIO</u> <u>11 E ADAMS ST. STE 600</u> <u>CHICAGO, IL 60603</u>													

Caution: A penalty for the late or incomplete filing of this return/report will be assessed unless reasonable cause is established.

Under penalties of perjury and other penalties set forth in the instructions, I declare that I have examined this return/report, including accompanying schedules, statements and attachments, as well as the electronic version of this return/report, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete.

SIGN HERE	Filed with authorized/valid electronic signature.	04/11/2023	ELIZABETH WILLIAMS-CLARK
	Signature of plan administrator	Date	Enter name of individual signing as plan administrator
SIGN HERE	Signature of employer/plan sponsor	Date	Enter name of individual signing as employer or plan sponsor
	Signature of DFE	Date	Enter name of individual signing as DFE

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3a Plan administrator's name and address ☒ Same as Plan Sponsor		3b Administrator's EIN
		3c Administrator's telephone number
4 If the name and/or EIN of the plan sponsor or the plan name has changed since the last return/report filed for this plan, enter the plan sponsor's name, EIN, the plan name and the plan number from the last return/report: a Sponsor's name c Plan Name		4b EIN 4d PN
5 Total number of participants at the beginning of the plan year		5 283
6 Number of participants as of the end of the plan year unless otherwise stated (welfare plans complete only lines 6a(1) , 6a(2) , 6b , 6c , and 6d).		
a(1) Total number of active participants at the beginning of the plan year.....		6a(1) 258
a(2) Total number of active participants at the end of the plan year		6a(2) 264
b Retired or separated participants receiving benefits.....		6b 0
c Other retired or separated participants entitled to future benefits		6c 35
d Subtotal. Add lines 6a(2) , 6b , and 6c		6d 299
e Deceased participants whose beneficiaries are receiving or are entitled to receive benefits.		6e 0
f Total. Add lines 6d and 6e		6f 299
g Number of participants with account balances as of the end of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item)		6g 101
h Number of participants who terminated employment during the plan year with accrued benefits that were less than 100% vested		6h 0
7 Enter the total number of employers obligated to contribute to the plan (only multiemployer plans complete this item).....		7
8a If the plan provides pension benefits, enter the applicable pension feature codes from the List of Plan Characteristics Codes in the instructions: 2E 2F 2G 2J 2K 2T 3D		
b If the plan provides welfare benefits, enter the applicable welfare feature codes from the List of Plan Characteristics Codes in the instructions:		
9a Plan funding arrangement (check all that apply) (1) ☐ Insurance (2) ☐ Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts (3) ☒ Trust (4) ☐ General assets of the sponsor	9b Plan benefit arrangement (check all that apply) (1) ☐ Insurance (2) ☐ Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts (3) ☒ Trust (4) ☐ General assets of the sponsor	
10 Check all applicable boxes in 10a and 10b to indicate which schedules are attached, and, where indicated, enter the number attached. (See instructions)		
a Pension Schedules (1) ☒ R (Retirement Plan Information) (2) ☐ MB (Multiemployer Defined Benefit Plan and Certain Money Purchase Plan Actuarial Information) - signed by the plan actuary (3) ☐ SB (Single-Employer Defined Benefit Plan Actuarial Information) - signed by the plan actuary	b General Schedules (1) ☒ H (Financial Information) (2) ☐ I (Financial Information – Small Plan) (3) ☐ A (Insurance Information) (4) ☒ C (Service Provider Information) (5) ☒ D (DFE/Participating Plan Information) (6) ☐ G (Financial Transaction Schedules)	

Part III Form M-1 Compliance Information (to be completed by welfare benefit plans)

11a If the plan provides welfare benefits, was the plan subject to the Form M-1 filing requirements during the plan year? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-2.) ☐ Yes ☐ No

If "Yes" is checked, complete lines 11b and 11c.

11b Is the plan currently in compliance with the Form M-1 filing requirements? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-2.) ☐ Yes ☐ No

11c Enter the Receipt Confirmation Code for the 2021 Form M-1 annual report. If the plan was not required to file the 2021 Form M-1 annual report, enter the Receipt Confirmation Code for the most recent Form M-1 that was required to be filed under the Form M-1 filing requirements. (Failure to enter a valid Receipt Confirmation Code will subject the Form 5500 filing to rejection as incomplete.)

Receipt Confirmation Code _____

SCHEDULE C (Form 5500) Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation	Service Provider Information This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA). ▶ File as an attachment to Form 5500.	OMB No. 1210-0110
		2021
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For calendar plan year 2021 or fiscal plan year beginning 07/01/2021 and ending 06/30/2022		
A Name of plan CHICAGO INTERNATIONAL CHARTER SCHOOL 401(K) PLAN	B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶	001
C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 CHICAGO CHARTER SCHOOL FOUNDATIO	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 36-4141583	

Part I	Service Provider Information (see instructions)
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You must complete this Part, in accordance with the instructions, to report the information required for **each person** who received, directly or indirectly, \$5,000 or more in total compensation (i.e., money or anything else of monetary value) in connection with services rendered to the plan or the person's position with the plan during the plan year. If a person received **only** eligible indirect compensation for which the plan received the required disclosures, you are required to answer line 1 but are not required to include that person when completing the remainder of this Part.

1 Information on Persons Receiving Only Eligible Indirect Compensation

a Check "Yes" or "No" to indicate whether you are excluding a person from the remainder of this Part because they received only eligible indirect compensation for which the plan received the required disclosures (see instructions for definitions and conditions)..... ☒ Yes ☐ No

b If you answered line 1a "Yes," enter the name and EIN or address of each person providing the required disclosures for the service providers who received only eligible indirect compensation. Complete as many entries as needed (see instructions).

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation	
AMERICAN FUNDS DISTRIBUTORS, INC.	
95-2769620	

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation	
BLACKROCK INVESTMENTS, INC.	
23-2784752	

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation	
FIDELITY DISTRIBUTORS CORP.	500 SALEM STREET MAIL ZONE 03N SMITHFIELD, RI 02917

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation	
INVESCO	1555 PEACHTREE STREET NW 1800 ATLANTA, GA 30309

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation

J.P. MORGAN INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT

13-3200244

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation

JANUS DISTRIBUTORS, LLC

151 DETROIT STREET
DENVER, CO 80206

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation

MFS FUND DISTRIBUTORS, INC.

04-2747644

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation

STATE STREET GLOBAL MARKETS

81-4095974

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation

T. ROWE PRICE

100 EAST PRATT STREET
BALTIMORE, MD 21202

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation

VANGUARD

455 DEVON PARK DRIVE
WAYNE, PA 19087

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation

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2. Information on Other Service Providers Receiving Direct or Indirect Compensation. Except for those persons for whom you answered "Yes" to line 1a above, complete as many entries as needed to list each person receiving, directly or indirectly, \$5,000 or more in total compensation (i.e., money or anything else of value) in connection with services rendered to the plan or their position with the plan during the plan year. (See instructions).

(a) Enter name and EIN or address (see instructions)

ADP, INC.

13-3036745

(b) Service Code(s)	(c) Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest	(d) Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-.	(e) Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor)	(f) Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures?	(g) Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0-.	(h) Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount?
37 50 15 64 26 49 99	RECORD KEEPER	22690	Yes ☐ No ☒	Yes ☐ No ☒	0	Yes ☐ No ☒

(a) Enter name and EIN or address (see instructions)

(b) Service Code(s)	(c) Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest	(d) Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-.	(e) Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor)	(f) Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures?	(g) Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0-.	(h) Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount?
			Yes ☐ No ☐	Yes ☐ No ☐		Yes ☐ No ☐

(a) Enter name and EIN or address (see instructions)

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			Yes ☐ No ☐	Yes ☐ No ☐		Yes ☐ No ☐

Part I Service Provider Information (continued)

3. If you reported on line 2 receipt of indirect compensation, other than eligible indirect compensation, by a service provider, and the service provider is a fiduciary or provides contract administrator, consulting, custodial, investment advisory, investment management, broker, or recordkeeping services, answer the following questions for (a) each source from whom the service provider received \$1,000 or more in indirect compensation and (b) each source for whom the service provider gave you a formula used to determine the indirect compensation instead of an amount or estimated amount of the indirect compensation. Complete as many entries as needed to report the required information for each source.

(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	(b) Service Codes (see instructions)	(c) Enter amount of indirect compensation
(d) Enter name and EIN (address) of source of indirect compensation	(e) Describe the indirect compensation, including any formula used to determine the service provider's eligibility for or the amount of the indirect compensation.	
(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	(b) Service Codes (see instructions)	(c) Enter amount of indirect compensation
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Part II Service Providers Who Fail or Refuse to Provide Information

4 Provide, to the extent possible, the following information for each service provider who failed or refused to provide the information necessary to complete this Schedule.

(a) Enter name and EIN or address of service provider (see instructions)	(b) Nature of Service Code(s)	(c) Describe the information that the service provider failed or refused to provide
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Part III Termination Information on Accountants and Enrolled Actuaries (see instructions)
(complete as many entries as needed)

a Name:	b EIN:
c Position:	
d Address:	e Telephone:

Explanation:

a Name:	b EIN:
c Position:	
d Address:	e Telephone:

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SCHEDULE D (Form 5500) Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration		DFE/Participating Plan Information This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA). ▶ File as an attachment to Form 5500.		OMB No. 1210-0110 2021 This Form is Open to Public Inspection.	
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C Plan or DFE sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 CHICAGO CHARTER SCHOOL FOUNDATIO				D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 36-4141583	
Part I Information on interests in MTIAs, CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs (to be completed by plans and DFEs) (Complete as many entries as needed to report all interests in DFEs)					
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: INVESCO STABLE ASSET - ADPZ					
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): INVESCO TRUST COMPANY					
c EIN-PN 27-3884161-001		d Entity code C		e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 323344	
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:					
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):					
c EIN-PN		d Entity code		e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)	
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c EIN-PN		d Entity code		e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)	

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a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:**b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):**c** EIN-PN**d** Entity
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103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)

Part II Information on Participating Plans (to be completed by DFEs)

(Complete as many entries as needed to report all participating plans)

a Plan name**b** Name of
plan sponsor**c** EIN-PN**a** Plan name**b** Name of
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Part I	Asset and Liability Statement
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1 Current value of plan assets and liabilities at the beginning and end of the plan year. Combine the value of plan assets held in more than one trust. Report the value of the plan's interest in a commingled fund containing the assets of more than one plan on a line-by-line basis unless the value is reportable on lines 1c(9) through 1c(14). Do not enter the value of that portion of an insurance contract which guarantees, during this plan year, to pay a specific dollar benefit at a future date. **Round off amounts to the nearest dollar.** MTIAs, CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs do not complete lines 1b(1), 1b(2), 1c(8), 1g, 1h, and 1i. CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs also do not complete lines 1d and 1e. See instructions.

Assets		(a) Beginning of Year	(b) End of Year
a Total noninterest-bearing cash.....	1a		
b Receivables (less allowance for doubtful accounts):			
(1) Employer contributions	1b(1)		
(2) Participant contributions.....	1b(2)		
(3) Other	1b(3)		
c General investments:			
(1) Interest-bearing cash (include money market accounts & certificates of deposit)	1c(1)		
(2) U.S. Government securities	1c(2)		
(3) Corporate debt instruments (other than employer securities):			
(A) Preferred	1c(3)(A)		
(B) All other	1c(3)(B)		
(4) Corporate stocks (other than employer securities):			
(A) Preferred	1c(4)(A)		
(B) Common	1c(4)(B)		
(5) Partnership/joint venture interests	1c(5)		
(6) Real estate (other than employer real property)	1c(6)		
(7) Loans (other than to participants)	1c(7)		
(8) Participant loans	1c(8)	18791	67447
(9) Value of interest in common/collective trusts	1c(9)	297411	323344
(10) Value of interest in pooled separate accounts	1c(10)		
(11) Value of interest in master trust investment accounts	1c(11)		
(12) Value of interest in 103-12 investment entities	1c(12)		
(13) Value of interest in registered investment companies (e.g., mutual funds)	1c(13)	1917319	1402788
(14) Value of funds held in insurance company general account (unallocated contracts).....	1c(14)		
(15) Other.....	1c(15)		

1d Employer-related investments:		(a) Beginning of Year	(b) End of Year
(1) Employer securities.....	1d(1)		
(2) Employer real property.....	1d(2)		
e Buildings and other property used in plan operation	1e		
f Total assets (add all amounts in lines 1a through 1e)	1f	2233521	1793579

Liabilities

g Benefit claims payable	1g		
h Operating payables	1h		
i Acquisition indebtedness.....	1i		
j Other liabilities.....	1j		
k Total liabilities (add all amounts in lines 1g through 1j)	1k	0	0

Net Assets

l Net assets (subtract line 1k from line 1f)	1l	2233521	1793579
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Part II Income and Expense Statement

2 Plan income, expenses, and changes in net assets for the year. Include all income and expenses of the plan, including any trust(s) or separately maintained fund(s) and any payments/receipts to/from insurance carriers. Round off amounts to the nearest dollar. MTIAs, CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs do not complete lines 2a, 2b(1)(E), 2e, 2f, and 2g.

Income

		(a) Amount	(b) Total
a Contributions:			
(1) Received or receivable in cash from: (A) Employers	2a(1)(A)	94064	
(B) Participants	2a(1)(B)	314096	
(C) Others (including rollovers).....	2a(1)(C)	5251	
(2) Noncash contributions.....	2a(2)		
(3) Total contributions. Add lines 2a(1)(A) , (B) , (C) , and line 2a(2)	2a(3)		413411
b Earnings on investments:			
(1) Interest:			
(A) Interest-bearing cash (including money market accounts and certificates of deposit).....	2b(1)(A)		
(B) U.S. Government securities	2b(1)(B)		
(C) Corporate debt instruments	2b(1)(C)		
(D) Loans (other than to participants)	2b(1)(D)		
(E) Participant loans.....	2b(1)(E)	1454	
(F) Other	2b(1)(F)		
(G) Total interest. Add lines 2b(1)(A) through (F)	2b(1)(G)		1454
(2) Dividends: (A) Preferred stock.....	2b(2)(A)		
(B) Common stock	2b(2)(B)		
(C) Registered investment company shares (e.g. mutual funds).....	2b(2)(C)	87155	
(D) Total dividends. Add lines 2b(2)(A) , (B) , and (C)	2b(2)(D)		87155
(3) Rents	2b(3)		
(4) Net gain (loss) on sale of assets: (A) Aggregate proceeds	2b(4)(A)		
(B) Aggregate carrying amount (see instructions).....	2b(4)(B)		
(C) Subtract line 2b(4)(B) from line 2b(4)(A) and enter result	2b(4)(C)		0
(5) Unrealized appreciation (depreciation) of assets: (A) Real estate	2b(5)(A)		
(B) Other	2b(5)(B)		
(C) Total unrealized appreciation of assets. Add lines 2b(5)(A) and (B)	2b(5)(C)		0

		(a) Amount	(b) Total
(6) Net investment gain (loss) from common/collective trusts.....	2b(6)		4208
(7) Net investment gain (loss) from pooled separate accounts.....	2b(7)		
(8) Net investment gain (loss) from master trust investment accounts.....	2b(8)		
(9) Net investment gain (loss) from 103-12 investment entities.....	2b(9)		
(10) Net investment gain (loss) from registered investment companies (e.g., mutual funds).....	2b(10)		-300700
c Other income.....	2c		
d Total income. Add all income amounts in column (b) and enter total.....	2d		205528
Expenses			
e Benefit payment and payments to provide benefits:			
(1) Directly to participants or beneficiaries, including direct rollovers.....	2e(1)	622779	
(2) To insurance carriers for the provision of benefits.....	2e(2)		
(3) Other.....	2e(3)		
(4) Total benefit payments. Add lines 2e(1) through (3).....	2e(4)		622779
f Corrective distributions (see instructions).....	2f		
g Certain deemed distributions of participant loans (see instructions).....	2g		
h Interest expense.....	2h		
i Administrative expenses: (1) Professional fees.....	2i(1)		
(2) Contract administrator fees.....	2i(2)		
(3) Investment advisory and management fees.....	2i(3)		
(4) Other.....	2i(4)	22691	
(5) Total administrative expenses. Add lines 2i(1) through (4).....	2i(5)		22691
j Total expenses. Add all expense amounts in column (b) and enter total.....	2j		645470
Net Income and Reconciliation			
k Net income (loss). Subtract line 2j from line 2d.....	2k		-439942
l Transfers of assets:			
(1) To this plan.....	2l(1)		0
(2) From this plan.....	2l(2)		0

Part III Accountant's Opinion

3 Complete lines 3a through 3c if the opinion of an independent qualified public accountant is attached to this Form 5500. Complete line 3d if an opinion is not attached.

a The attached opinion of an independent qualified public accountant for this plan is (see instructions):

(1) ☒ Unmodified (2) ☐ Qualified (3) ☐ Disclaimer (4) ☐ Adverse

b Check the appropriate box(es) to indicate whether the IQPA performed an ERISA section 103(a)(3)(C) audit. Check both boxes (1) and (2) if the audit was performed pursuant to both 29 CFR 2520.103-8 and 29 CFR 2520.103-12(d). Check box (3) if pursuant to neither.

(1) ☒ DOL Regulation 2520.103-8 (2) ☐ DOL Regulation 2520.103-12(d) (3) ☐ neither DOL Regulation 2520.103-8 nor DOL Regulation 2520.103-12(d).

c Enter the name and EIN of the accountant (or accounting firm) below:

(1) Name: ORBA

(2) EIN: 36-2938874

d The opinion of an independent qualified public accountant is **not attached** because:

(1) ☐ This form is filed for a CCT, PSA, or MTIA. (2) ☐ It will be attached to the next Form 5500 pursuant to 29 CFR 2520.104-50.

Part IV Compliance Questions

4 CCTs and PSAs do not complete Part IV. MTIAs, 103-12 IEs, and GIAs do not complete lines 4a, 4e, 4f, 4g, 4h, 4k, 4m, 4n, or 5. 103-12 IEs also do not complete lines 4j and 4l. MTIAs also do not complete line 4l.

During the plan year:

a Was there a failure to transmit to the plan any participant contributions within the time period described in 29 CFR 2510.3-102? Continue to answer "Yes" for any prior year failures until fully corrected. (See instructions and DOL's Voluntary Fiduciary Correction Program.).....

	Yes	No	Amount
4a		X	

	Yes	No	Amount
b Were any loans by the plan or fixed income obligations due the plan in default as of the close of the plan year or classified during the year as uncollectible? Disregard participant loans secured by participant's account balance. (Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part I if "Yes" is checked.)			
4b		X	
c Were any leases to which the plan was a party in default or classified during the year as uncollectible? (Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part II if "Yes" is checked.)			
4c		X	
d Were there any nonexempt transactions with any party-in-interest? (Do not include transactions reported on line 4a. Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part III if "Yes" is checked.)			
4d		X	
e Was this plan covered by a fidelity bond?	X		224000
f Did the plan have a loss, whether or not reimbursed by the plan's fidelity bond, that was caused by fraud or dishonesty?		X	
4f		X	
g Did the plan hold any assets whose current value was neither readily determinable on an established market nor set by an independent third party appraiser?		X	
4g		X	
h Did the plan receive any noncash contributions whose value was neither readily determinable on an established market nor set by an independent third party appraiser?		X	
4h		X	
i Did the plan have assets held for investment? (Attach schedule(s) of assets if "Yes" is checked, and see instructions for format requirements.)	X		
4i	X		
j Were any plan transactions or series of transactions in excess of 5% of the current value of plan assets? (Attach schedule of transactions if "Yes" is checked and see instructions for format requirements.)		X	
4j		X	
k Were all the plan assets either distributed to participants or beneficiaries, transferred to another plan, or brought under the control of the PBGC?		X	
4k		X	
l Has the plan failed to provide any benefit when due under the plan?		X	
4l		X	
m If this is an individual account plan, was there a blackout period? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-3.)		X	
4m		X	
n If 4m was answered "Yes," check the "Yes" box if you either provided the required notice or one of the exceptions to providing the notice applied under 29 CFR 2520.101-3.			
4n			

5a Has a resolution to terminate the plan been adopted during the plan year or any prior plan year? ☐ Yes ☒ No
If "Yes," enter the amount of any plan assets that reverted to the employer this year _____.

5b If, during this plan year, any assets or liabilities were transferred from this plan to another plan(s), identify the plan(s) to which assets or liabilities were transferred. (See instructions.)

5b(1) Name of plan(s)	5b(2) EIN(s)	5b(3) PN(s)

5c Was the plan a defined benefit plan covered under the PBGC insurance program at any time during this plan year? (See ERISA section 4021 and instructions.) ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Not determined
If "Yes" is checked, enter the My PAA confirmation number from the PBGC premium filing for this plan year _____.

SCHEDULE R (Form 5500) Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation	Retirement Plan Information This schedule is required to be filed under sections 104 and 4065 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA) and section 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code). ► File as an attachment to Form 5500.	OMB No. 1210-0110 2021 This Form is Open to Public Inspection.
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For calendar plan year 2021 or fiscal plan year beginning 07/01/2021 and ending 06/30/2022

A Name of plan CHICAGO INTERNATIONAL CHARTER SCHOOL 401(K) PLAN	B Three-digit plan number (PN) ► 001
C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 CHICAGO CHARTER SCHOOL FOUNDATIO	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 36-4141583

Part I	Distributions
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All references to distributions relate only to payments of benefits during the plan year.

1 Total value of distributions paid in property other than in cash or the forms of property specified in the instructions.....	1	0
2 Enter the EIN(s) of payor(s) who paid benefits on behalf of the plan to participants or beneficiaries during the year (if more than two, enter EINs of the two payors who paid the greatest dollar amounts of benefits): EIN(s): 57-1198022 Profit-sharing plans, ESOPs, and stock bonus plans, skip line 3.		
3 Number of participants (living or deceased) whose benefits were distributed in a single sum, during the plan year	3	

Part II	Funding Information (If the plan is not subject to the minimum funding requirements of section 412 of the Internal Revenue Code or ERISA section 302, skip this Part.)
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4 Is the plan administrator making an election under Code section 412(d)(2) or ERISA section 302(d)(2)? If the plan is a defined benefit plan, go to line 8.	☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A
5 If a waiver of the minimum funding standard for a prior year is being amortized in this plan year, see instructions and enter the date of the ruling letter granting the waiver. Date: Month _____ Day _____ Year _____ If you completed line 5, complete lines 3, 9, and 10 of Schedule MB and do not complete the remainder of this schedule.	
6 a Enter the minimum required contribution for this plan year (include any prior year accumulated funding deficiency not waived)	6a
b Enter the amount contributed by the employer to the plan for this plan year	6b
c Subtract the amount in line 6b from the amount in line 6a. Enter the result (enter a minus sign to the left of a negative amount).....	6c
If you completed line 6c, skip lines 8 and 9.	
7 Will the minimum funding amount reported on line 6c be met by the funding deadline?	☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A
8 If a change in actuarial cost method was made for this plan year pursuant to a revenue procedure or other authority providing automatic approval for the change or a class ruling letter, does the plan sponsor or plan administrator agree with the change?	☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A

Part III	Amendments
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9 If this is a defined benefit pension plan, were any amendments adopted during this plan year that increased or decreased the value of benefits? If yes, check the appropriate box. If no, check the "No" box.....	☐ Increase ☐ Decrease ☐ Both ☐ No
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Part IV	ESOPs (see instructions). If this is not a plan described under section 409(a) or 4975(e)(7) of the Internal Revenue Code, skip this Part.
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10 Were unallocated employer securities or proceeds from the sale of unallocated securities used to repay any exempt loan?	☐ Yes ☐ No
11 a Does the ESOP hold any preferred stock?	☐ Yes ☐ No
b If the ESOP has an outstanding exempt loan with the employer as lender, is such loan part of a "back-to-back" loan? (See instructions for definition of "back-to-back" loan.)	☐ Yes ☐ No
12 Does the ESOP hold any stock that is not readily tradable on an established securities market?	☐ Yes ☐ No

For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the Instructions for Form 5500.

Schedule R (Form 5500) 2021
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Part V Additional Information for Multiemployer Defined Benefit Pension Plans

13 Enter the following information for each employer that contributed more than 5% of total contributions to the plan during the plan year (measured in dollars). See instructions. *Complete as many entries as needed to report all applicable employers.*

a Name of contributing employer

b EIN

c Dollar amount contributed by employer

d Date collective bargaining agreement expires (If employer contributes under more than one collective bargaining agreement, check box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, enter the applicable date.) Month _____ Day _____ Year _____

e Contribution rate information (If more than one rate applies, check this box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, complete lines 13e(1) and 13e(2).)

(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) _____

(2) Base unit measure: ☐ Hourly ☐ Weekly ☐ Unit of production ☐ Other (specify): _____

a Name of contributing employer

b EIN

c Dollar amount contributed by employer

d Date collective bargaining agreement expires (If employer contributes under more than one collective bargaining agreement, check box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, enter the applicable date.) Month _____ Day _____ Year _____

e Contribution rate information (If more than one rate applies, check this box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, complete lines 13e(1) and 13e(2).)

(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) _____

(2) Base unit measure: ☐ Hourly ☐ Weekly ☐ Unit of production ☐ Other (specify): _____

a Name of contributing employer

b EIN

c Dollar amount contributed by employer

d Date collective bargaining agreement expires (If employer contributes under more than one collective bargaining agreement, check box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, enter the applicable date.) Month _____ Day _____ Year _____

e Contribution rate information (If more than one rate applies, check this box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, complete lines 13e(1) and 13e(2).)

(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) _____

(2) Base unit measure: ☐ Hourly ☐ Weekly ☐ Unit of production ☐ Other (specify): _____

a Name of contributing employer

b EIN

c Dollar amount contributed by employer

d Date collective bargaining agreement expires (If employer contributes under more than one collective bargaining agreement, check box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, enter the applicable date.) Month _____ Day _____ Year _____

e Contribution rate information (If more than one rate applies, check this box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, complete lines 13e(1) and 13e(2).)

(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) _____

(2) Base unit measure: ☐ Hourly ☐ Weekly ☐ Unit of production ☐ Other (specify): _____

a Name of contributing employer

b EIN

c Dollar amount contributed by employer

d Date collective bargaining agreement expires (If employer contributes under more than one collective bargaining agreement, check box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, enter the applicable date.) Month _____ Day _____ Year _____

e Contribution rate information (If more than one rate applies, check this box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, complete lines 13e(1) and 13e(2).)

(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) _____

(2) Base unit measure: ☐ Hourly ☐ Weekly ☐ Unit of production ☐ Other (specify): _____

a Name of contributing employer

b EIN

c Dollar amount contributed by employer

d Date collective bargaining agreement expires (If employer contributes under more than one collective bargaining agreement, check box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, enter the applicable date.) Month _____ Day _____ Year _____

e Contribution rate information (If more than one rate applies, check this box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, complete lines 13e(1) and 13e(2).)

(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) _____

(2) Base unit measure: ☐ Hourly ☐ Weekly ☐ Unit of production ☐ Other (specify): _____

- 14** Enter the number of deferred vested and retired participants (inactive participants), as of the beginning of the plan year, whose contributing employer is no longer making contributions to the plan for:

a The current plan year. Check the box to indicate the counting method used to determine the number of inactive participants: ☐ last contributing employer ☐ alternative ☐ reasonable approximation (see instructions for required attachment).....

14a

b The plan year immediately preceding the current plan year. ☐ Check the box if the number reported is a change from what was previously reported (see instructions for required attachment).....

14b

c The second preceding plan year. ☐ Check the box if the number reported is a change from what was previously reported (see instructions for required attachment).....

14c

- 15** Enter the ratio of the number of participants under the plan on whose behalf no employer had an obligation to make an employer contribution during the current plan year to:

a The corresponding number for the plan year immediately preceding the current plan year.....

15a

b The corresponding number for the second preceding plan year

15b

- 16** Information with respect to any employers who withdrew from the plan during the preceding plan year:

a Enter the number of employers who withdrew during the preceding plan year

16a

b If line 16a is greater than 0, enter the aggregate amount of withdrawal liability assessed or estimated to be assessed against such withdrawn employers.....

16b

- 17** If assets and liabilities from another plan have been transferred to or merged with this plan during the plan year, check box and see instructions regarding supplemental information to be included as an attachment..... ☐

Part VI Additional Information for Single-Employer and Multiemployer Defined Benefit Pension Plans

- 18** If any liabilities to participants or their beneficiaries under the plan as of the end of the plan year consist (in whole or in part) of liabilities to such participants and beneficiaries under two or more pension plans as of immediately before such plan year, check box and see instructions regarding supplemental information to be included as an attachment..... ☐

- 19** If the total number of participants is 1,000 or more, complete lines (a) through (c)

a Enter the percentage of plan assets held as:

Stock: _____% Investment-Grade Debt: _____% High-Yield Debt: _____% Real Estate: _____% Other: _____%

b Provide the average duration of the combined investment-grade and high-yield debt:

☐ 0-3 years ☐ 3-6 years ☐ 6-9 years ☐ 9-12 years ☐ 12-15 years ☐ 15-18 years ☐ 18-21 years ☐ 21 years or more

c What duration measure was used to calculate line 19(b)?

☐ Effective duration ☐ Macaulay duration ☐ Modified duration ☐ Other (specify): _____

- 20 PBGC missed contribution reporting requirements.** If this is a multiemployer plan or a single-employer plan that is not covered by PBGC, skip line 20.

a Is the amount of unpaid minimum required contributions for all years from Schedule SB (Form 5500) line 40 greater than zero? ☐ Yes ☐ No

b If line 20a is "Yes," has PBGC been notified as required by ERISA sections 4043(c)(5) and/or 303(k)(4)? Check the applicable box:

☐ Yes.

☐ No. Reporting was waived under 29 CFR 4043.25(c)(2) because contributions equal to or exceeding the unpaid minimum required contribution were made by the 30th day after the due date.

☐ No. The 30-day period referenced in 29 CFR 4043.25(c)(2) has not yet ended, and the sponsor intends to make a contribution equal to or exceeding the unpaid minimum required contribution by the 30th day after the due date.

☐ No. Other. Provide explanation _____

**CHICAGO INTERNATIONAL CHARTER
SCHOOL 401(k) PLAN**

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
AND SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 2022 AND 2021

CHICAGO INTERNATIONAL CHARTER SCHOOL 401(k) PLAN

YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 2022 AND 2021

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Independent Auditors' Report

Plan Administrator and Board of Trustees
Chicago International Charter School 401(k) Plan

Scope and Nature of the ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) Audit for the 2022 Financial Statements

We have performed an audit of the financial statements of Chicago International Charter School 401(k) Plan, an employee benefit plan subject to the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), as permitted by ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) [ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit]. The financial statements comprise the statement of net assets available for benefits as of June 30, 2022, and the related statement of changes in net assets available for benefits for the year then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements (2022 Financial Statements).

Management, having determined it is permissible in the circumstances, has elected to have the audit of the 2022 financial statements performed in accordance with ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) pursuant to 29 CFR 2520.103-8 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA. As permitted by ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C), our audit need not extend to any statements or information related to assets held for investment of the plan (investment information) by a bank or similar institution or insurance carrier that is regulated, supervised, and subject to periodic examination by a state or federal agency, provided that the statements or information regarding assets so held are prepared and certified to by the bank or similar institution or insurance carrier in accordance with 29 CFR 2520.103-5 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA (qualified institution).

Management has obtained a certification from a qualified institution as of and for the year ended June 30, 2022, stating that the certified investment information, as described in Note 4 to the financial statements, is complete and accurate.

Opinion on the 2022 Financial Statements

In our opinion, based on our audit and on the procedures performed as described in the Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the 2022 Financial Statements section—

- the amounts and disclosures in the accompanying 2022 financial statements, other than those agreed to or derived from the certified investment information, are presented fairly, in all material respects, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.
- the information in the accompanying 2022 financial statements related to assets held by and certified to by a qualified institution agrees to, or is derived from, in all material respects, the information prepared and certified by an institution that management determined meets the requirements of ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C).

Basis for Opinion on the 2022 Financial Statements

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAS). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the 2022 Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of Chicago International Charter School 401(k) Plan and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit opinion.

Responsibilities of Management for the 2022 Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, and for the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error. Management's election of the ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit does not affect management's responsibility for the financial statements.

In preparing the financial statements, management is required to evaluate whether there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about Chicago International Charter School 401(k) Plan's ability to continue as a going concern for one year after the date the financial statements are available to be issued.

Management is also responsible for maintaining a current plan instrument, including all plan amendments, administering the plan, and determining that the plan's transactions that are presented and disclosed in the financial statements are in conformity with the plan's provisions, including maintaining sufficient records with respect to each of the participants, to determine the benefits due or which may become due to such participants.

Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the 2022 Financial Statements

Except as described in the Scope and Nature of the ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) Audit for the 2022 Financial Statements section of our report, our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditors' report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with GAAS will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Misstatements are considered material if, there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, they would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user based on the financial statements.

In performing an audit in accordance with GAAS, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of Chicago International Charter School 401(k) Plan's internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the financial statements.
- Conclude whether, in our judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about Chicago International Charter School 401(k) Plan's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

Our audit did not extend to the certified investment information, except for obtaining and reading the certification, comparing the certified investment information with the related information presented and disclosed in the 2022 financial statements, and reading the disclosures relating to the certified investment information to assess whether they are in accordance with the presentation and disclosure requirements of accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Accordingly, the objective of an ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit is not to express an opinion about whether the financial statements as a whole are presented fairly, in all material respects, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit, significant audit findings, and certain internal control-related matters that we identified during the audit.

Other Matters

2022 Supplemental Schedule Required by ERISA

The supplemental schedule of assets (held at end of year) as of June 30, 2022, is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the financial statements but is supplementary information required by the Department of Labor’s Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements. The information included in the supplemental schedule, other than that agreed to or derived from the certified investment information, has been subjected to auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with GAAS. For information included in the supplemental schedule that agreed to or is derived from the certified investment information, we compared such information to the related certified investment information.

In forming our opinion on the supplemental schedule, we evaluated whether the supplemental schedule, other than the information agreed to or derived from the certified investment information, including its form and content, is presented in conformity with the Department of Labor’s Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA.

In our opinion—

- the form and content of the supplemental schedule, other than the information in the supplemental schedule that agreed to or is derived from the certified investment information, is presented, in all material respects, in conformity with the Department of Labor’s Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA.
- the information in the supplemental schedule related to assets held by and certified to by a qualified institution agrees to, or is derived from, in all material respects, the information prepared and certified by an institution that management determined meets the requirements of ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C).

Auditors' Report on the 2021 Financial Statements

We were engaged to audit the financial statements of Chicago International Charter School 401(k) Plan for the year ended June 30, 2021 (2021 Financial Statements). As permitted by 29 CFR 2520.103-8 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA, the plan administrator instructed us not to perform and we did not perform any auditing procedures with respect to the information certified by a qualified institution. In our report dated April 12, 2022, we indicated that (a) because of the significance of the information that we did not audit, we were not able to obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence to provide a basis for an audit opinion and accordingly, we did not express an opinion on the 2021 Financial Statements, and (b) the form and content of the information included in the 2021 Financial Statements other than that derived from the certified information were presented in compliance with the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA.

Ostrow Reisin Berk & Abrams, Ltd.

March 10, 2023

CHICAGO INTERNATIONAL CHARTER SCHOOL 401(k) PLAN

STATEMENTS OF NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS

June 30,	2022	2021
Assets:		
Investments at fair value	\$ 1,726,132	\$ 2,214,730
Receivables:		
Employer contributions	4,897	
Participant contributions	19,083	
Notes receivable from participants	67,447	18,791
Total receivables	91,427	18,791
Net assets available for benefits	\$ 1,817,559	\$ 2,233,521

See notes to financial statements.

CHICAGO INTERNATIONAL CHARTER SCHOOL 401(k) PLAN

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS

Year ended June 30, 2022	
Additions to net assets attributed to:	
Investment income (loss):	
Net depreciation in fair value of investments	\$ (296,492)
Dividend and interest income	87,155
Total investment loss, net	(209,337)
Interest on participant loans	1,454
Contributions:	
Participants	333,179
Employer	98,961
Rollover	5,251
Total contributions	437,391
Total additions	229,508
Deductions from net assets attributed to:	
Benefits paid to participants	622,779
Administrative expenses	22,691
Total deductions	645,470
Net decrease	(415,962)
Net assets available for benefits:	
Beginning of year	2,233,521
End of year	\$ 1,817,559

See notes to financial statements.

CHICAGO INTERNATIONAL CHARTER SCHOOL 401(k) PLAN

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

1. Description of the Plan

The following description of Chicago International Charter School 401(k) Plan (the Plan) provides only general information. Participants should refer to the Plan agreement for a complete description of the Plan's provisions.

General:

The Plan is a defined-contribution plan covering all full-time employees of Chicago Charter School Foundation, doing business as the Chicago International Charter School (the Foundation). The Plan was established effective August 1, 2019.

The Plan is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).

Eligibility:

Any full-time employee of the Foundation who is a citizen or resident of the United States of America and has attained 21 years of age is eligible to participate. Eligible employees may enter the Plan upon the first day of the month following date of hire.

Contributions:

Participants may contribute up to 90% of eligible compensation on a pre-tax and/or post-tax basis. Contributions to the Plan may also include rollovers from other qualified defined-benefit or defined-contribution plans and employer safe harbor matching contributions.

Employer safe harbor matching contributions are based on a formula matching 100% of employee salary deferrals up to the first 3% of Plan compensation and 50% of employee salary deferrals up to the next 2% of Plan compensation. Employees classified as Campus Employees, employees who are members of and participating in the Public School Teachers' Pension and Retirement Fund of Chicago, and employees classified as "CTPF" are excluded from receiving the employer safe harbor matching contributions.

CHICAGO INTERNATIONAL CHARTER SCHOOL 401(k) PLAN

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

1. Description of the Plan (continued)

Participant accounts:

Each participant's account is credited with the participant's contribution and allocations of (a) the Foundation's contributions and (b) Plan earnings and charged with an allocation of administrative expenses not paid by the Foundation. Allocations are based on the participant's earnings or account balances, as defined. The benefit to which a participant is entitled is the benefit that can be provided from the participant's vested account. Participants self-direct their contributions and their share of the Foundation's contributions among various investment options.

Vesting:

Participants are always 100% vested in their employee deferral contributions, rollover contributions, employer safe harbor matching contributions, and earnings thereon.

Participants who had account balances transferred from the Civitas Education Partners 401(k) Plan vest in their employer matching contributions and their profit-sharing accounts (allocations of the employer discretionary contributions) and earnings thereon in accordance with the following table:

Years of service	Percentage vested
Less than 1	0%
At least 1 but less than 2	34%
At least 2 but less than 3	67%
3 or more	100%

Participant loans:

Participants may borrow from their fund accounts a minimum of \$1,000 up to a maximum equal to the lesser of \$50,000 or 50% of their vested account balance. All loans are required to be repaid within five years of the date of the loan, unless the loan is for the purchase of a primary residence, in which case the loan repayment period may not extend beyond 30 years. Only two outstanding loans are allowable at any time for each participant. The loans are secured by balances in the participants' accounts and bear interest at the Prime rate (4.75% as of June 30, 2022 and 3.25% as of June 30, 2021) at time of issuance plus 1%. Principal and interest is paid ratably through payroll deductions. Outstanding loans must be immediately repaid upon termination of employment and loan defaults are treated as distributions.

CHICAGO INTERNATIONAL CHARTER SCHOOL 401(k) PLAN

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

1. Description of the Plan (continued)

Payment of benefits:

A participant becomes entitled to benefits under the Plan upon reaching normal retirement age (as defined by the Plan), death, permanent disability or resignation from the Foundation, to be paid in a manner specified in the Plan. Upon death, disability or reaching normal retirement age, a participant's account balance becomes fully vested. Upon resignation, participants are entitled to receive the vested portion of their account balance.

The Plan also allows in-service withdrawals from a participant's account balance upon attaining age 59 1/2.

2. Summary of significant accounting policies

Basis of accounting:

The financial statements of the Plan are prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Investment valuation and income recognition:

The Plan's investments are stated at fair value. Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. See Note 5 for discussion of fair value measurements. Shares of mutual funds are valued at the market value of shares held by the Plan at year-end. Units of the common collective trust fund are valued based on the net asset value per share as a practical expedient.

Purchases and sales of investments are recorded on a trade-date basis. Interest income is recorded on the accrual basis. Dividends are recorded on the ex-dividend date. Net appreciation or depreciation includes the Plan's gains and losses on investments bought and sold, as well as held during the year.

Notes receivable from participants:

As described in Note 1, the Plan allows participants to borrow against their vested account balance and the loans are secured by the participants' account balances. Participant loans are valued at their unpaid principal balance plus any accrued but unpaid interest. The Plan is required to review the collectibility of the outstanding loan balances and record an allowance for loans considered to be uncollectible. As of June 30, 2022 and 2021, no allowance for uncollectible loans was necessary.

CHICAGO INTERNATIONAL CHARTER SCHOOL 401(k) PLAN

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

2. Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

Payment of benefits:

Benefits are recorded when paid.

Administrative expenses:

All administrative costs, charges and expenses are paid by the Plan to the extent not paid by the Foundation.

Use of estimates:

The preparation of financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of net assets available for benefits as of the end of the Plan year and the reported amounts of changes in net assets available for benefits during the year. Accordingly, actual results could differ from those estimates.

Subsequent events:

The Plan Administrator has reviewed and evaluated subsequent events through March 10, 2023, the date the financial statements were available to be issued.

3. Risks and uncertainties

The Plan invests in various investment securities. Investment securities are exposed to various risks such as interest rate, market and credit risks. Due to the level of risk associated with certain investment securities, it is at least reasonably possible that changes in the values of investment securities will occur in the near term and that such changes could materially affect participants' account balances and the amounts reported in the statements of net assets available for benefits.

CHICAGO INTERNATIONAL CHARTER SCHOOL 401(k) PLAN

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

4. Investments (information prepared and certified by Reliance Trust Company (the Trustee))

The Plan Administrator has elected the method of compliance permitted by 29 CFR 2520.103-8 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA. Accordingly, the following information included in these financial statements and supplemental schedule was obtained from data that has been prepared and certified as complete and accurate by the Trustee.

The Trustee certified the fair value of investments of \$1,726,132 and \$2,214,730 as of June 30, 2022 and 2021, respectively, and notes receivable from participants of \$67,447 and \$18,791 as of June 30, 2022 and 2021, respectively, and to the completeness and accuracy of the dividend and interest income of \$87,155, interest on participant loans of \$1,454 and net depreciation in fair value of investments of \$296,492 for the year ended June 30, 2022.

CHICAGO INTERNATIONAL CHARTER SCHOOL 401(k) PLAN

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

5. Fair value measurements

There are three levels of inputs used to measure fair value. The definition of each input is described below:

Level 1	Inputs to the valuation methodology are unadjusted quoted prices for identical assets or liabilities in active markets that the Plan has the ability to access.
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Level 2	Inputs to the valuation methodology include: • quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities in active markets; • quoted prices for identical or similar assets or liabilities in inactive markets; • inputs other than quoted prices that are observable for the asset or liability; • inputs that are derived principally from or corroborated by observable market data by correlation or other means.
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If the asset or liability has a specified (contractual) term, the Level 2 input must be observable for substantially the full term of the asset or liability.

Level 3	Inputs that are unobservable inputs for the asset or liability.
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The asset's or liability's fair value measurement level within the fair value hierarchy is based on the lowest level of any input that is significant to the fair value measurement. Valuation techniques used need to maximize the use of observable inputs and minimize the use of unobservable inputs.

CHICAGO INTERNATIONAL CHARTER SCHOOL 401(k) PLAN

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

5. Fair value measurements (continued)

The following is a description of the valuation methodologies used for assets measured at fair value.

Mutual funds:	Valued at the market value of shares held by the Plan at year-end.
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Common collective trust fund:	Valued at the net asset value (NAV) of the units held by the Plan. The Fund invests in fully benefit-responsive investment contracts that are held at contract value. NAV is determined to be contract value, the value at which participants ordinarily transact. This practical expedient would not be used if it is determined to be probable that the Fund will sell the investment for an amount different from the reported NAV. Participant transactions (purchases and sales) may occur daily.
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The preceding methods described may produce a fair value calculation that may not be indicative of net realizable value or reflective of future fair values. Furthermore, although the Plan Administrator believes that the Plan's valuation methods are appropriate and consistent with other market participants, the use of different methodologies or assumptions to determine the fair value of certain financial instruments could result in a different fair value measurement at the reporting date.

The following tables set forth by level, within the fair value hierarchy, the Plan's assets at fair value as of June 30, 2022 and 2021. Classification within the fair value hierarchy table is based on the lowest level of any input that is significant to the fair value measurement.

CHICAGO INTERNATIONAL CHARTER SCHOOL 401(k) PLAN

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

5. Fair value measurements (continued)

Assets at fair value as of June 30, 2022:

June 30, 2022	Level 1	Total
Mutual funds	\$ 1,402,788	\$ 1,402,788
		1,402,788
Common collective trust fund measured at NAV*		323,344
Total investments at fair value		\$ 1,726,132

Assets at fair value as of June 30, 2021:

June 30, 2021	Level 1	Total
Mutual funds	\$ 1,917,319	\$ 1,917,319
		1,917,319
Common collective trust fund measured at NAV*		297,411
Total investments at fair value		\$ 2,214,730

*Certain investments that are measured at fair value using the NAV per share (or its equivalent) practical expedient have not been categorized in the fair value hierarchy. The fair value amounts presented in these tables are intended to permit reconciliation of the fair value hierarchy to the amounts presented in the statements of net assets available for benefits.

The following table summarizes investments for which fair value is measured using the NAV per share practical expedient as of June 30, 2022 and 2021:

Investment	2022	2021	Unfunded commitment	Redemption frequency	Redemption notice period
Common collective trust fund	\$ 323,344	\$ 297,411	N/A	Daily	None

CHICAGO INTERNATIONAL CHARTER SCHOOL 401(k) PLAN

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

6. Party-in-interest transactions

The Plan's investments are managed by the Trustee and, therefore, these transactions qualify as party-in-interest transactions. Fees paid by the Plan to the Trustee for recordkeeping services totaled \$22,691 for the year ended June 30, 2022.

7. Tax status

The Plan currently operates under a Prototype Non-standardized Profit Sharing Plan with Cash or Deferred Arrangement, which has an opinion letter dated July 16, 2014. In the opinion letter, the Internal Revenue Service stated that the Prototype Plan, as then designed, was in compliance with the applicable requirements of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code). The Plan has been amended since receiving the letter; however, the Plan Administrator believes that the Plan is designed and is currently being operated in compliance with applicable requirements of the Code and, therefore, believes that the Plan is qualified, and the related trust is tax-exempt.

8. Plan termination

Although it has not expressed any intent to do so, the Foundation has the right under the Plan to discontinue its contributions at any time and to terminate the Plan subject to the provisions of ERISA. In the event of Plan termination, participants will become 100% vested in their accounts.

9. Reconciliation of financial statements to Schedule H of Form 5500

The following is a reconciliation of net assets available for benefits per the financial statements to Schedule H of Form 5500:

June 30,	2022	2021
Net assets available for benefits per the financial statements	\$ 1,817,559	\$ 2,233,521
Employer contributions receivable	(4,897)	
Participant contributions receivable	(19,083)	
Net assets available for benefits per Form 5500 Schedule H	\$ 1,793,579	\$ 2,233,521

CHICAGO INTERNATIONAL CHARTER SCHOOL 401(k) PLAN

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

9. Reconciliation of financial statements to Schedule H of Form 5500 (continued)

The following is a reconciliation of contributions per the financial statements for the year ended June 30, 2022 to Schedule H of Form 5500:

<u>Year ended June 30, 2022</u>	
Contributions per the financial statements	\$ 437,391
Employer contributions receivable	(4,897)
Participant contributions receivable	(19,083)
Contributions per Form 5500 Schedule H	\$ 413,411

The following is a reconciliation of the decrease in net assets available for benefits per the financial statements for the year ended June 30, 2022 to Schedule H of Form 5500:

<u>Year ended June 30, 2022</u>	
Decrease in net assets available for benefits per the financial statements	\$ (415,962)
Employer contributions receivable	(4,897)
Participant contributions receivable	(19,083)
Decrease in net assets available for benefits per Form 5500 Schedule H	\$ (439,942)

CHICAGO INTERNATIONAL CHARTER SCHOOL 401(k) PLAN

SCHEDULE OF ASSETS (HELD AT END OF YEAR)

JUNE 30, 2022

FEIN 36-4141583

Plan Number 001

Schedule H, Part IV, Line 4i - Schedule of assets (held at end of year)

(a)	(b) Identity of issuer, borrower, lessor or similar party	(c) Description of investment including maturity date, rate of interest, collateral, par or maturity value	(d) Cost	(e) Current value
	Shares of mutual funds:			
	American Funds	The Growth Fund of America	**	\$ 43,149
	BlackRock	Total Return Fund	**	2,586
	iShares	MSCI EAFE International Index Fund	**	12,680
	Janus Henderson	Triton Fund	**	23,013
	JP Morgan	Equity Income Fund	**	3,345
	MFS	Total Return Bond Fund	**	639,998
	State Street	Equity 500 Index Fund	**	68,336
	T. Rowe Price	Dividend Growth Fund	**	34,674
	T. Rowe Price	Overseas Stock Fund	**	28,910
	Vanguard	Intermediate Term Bond Index Fund	**	19,266
	Vanguard	Mid-Cap Index Fund	**	90,831
	Vanguard	Small-Cap Value Index Fund	**	29,215
	Vanguard	Small-Cap Index Fund	**	15,818
	Fidelity	Freedom Index 2015 Fund	**	1,243
	Fidelity	Freedom Index 2020 Fund	**	6,516
	Fidelity	Freedom Index 2025 Fund	**	13,953
	Fidelity	Freedom Index 2030 Fund	**	10,206
	Fidelity	Freedom Index 2035 Fund	**	22,163
	Fidelity	Freedom Index 2040 Fund	**	43,871
	Fidelity	Freedom Index 2045 Fund	**	83,181
	Fidelity	Freedom Index 2050 Fund	**	95,543
	Fidelity	Freedom Index 2055 Fund	**	43,334
	Fidelity	Freedom Index 2060 Fund	**	48,664
	Fidelity	Freedom Index 2065 Fund	**	22,293
	Total mutual funds			1,402,788
	Common collective trust fund:			
	Invesco	Stable Asset Fund	**	323,344
*	Notes receivable from participants	Interest rates ranging from 4.25% to 6.25%		67,447
	Total			\$ 1,793,579

*Represents a party-in-interest.

**Cost information is not required for participant-directed investments.

Schedule C, Line 2(h) Formula Description

For those service providers listed on Line 2 for which Line 2(h) has been checked “yes”:

For a description of indirect compensation received by service providers listed on Line 2 that was disclosed as a formula, please see Line 3(e). Please note: If indirect compensation disclosed as a formula was received by a service provider from more than one source, there will be multiple Lines 3(e) for that service provider.

**CHICAGO INTERNATIONAL CHARTER
SCHOOL 401(k) PLAN**

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
AND SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 2022 AND 2021

CHICAGO INTERNATIONAL CHARTER SCHOOL 401(k) PLAN

YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 2022 AND 2021

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Independent Auditors' Report

Plan Administrator and Board of Trustees
Chicago International Charter School 401(k) Plan

Scope and Nature of the ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) Audit for the 2022 Financial Statements

We have performed an audit of the financial statements of Chicago International Charter School 401(k) Plan, an employee benefit plan subject to the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), as permitted by ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) [ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit]. The financial statements comprise the statement of net assets available for benefits as of June 30, 2022, and the related statement of changes in net assets available for benefits for the year then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements (2022 Financial Statements).

Management, having determined it is permissible in the circumstances, has elected to have the audit of the 2022 financial statements performed in accordance with ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) pursuant to 29 CFR 2520.103-8 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA. As permitted by ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C), our audit need not extend to any statements or information related to assets held for investment of the plan (investment information) by a bank or similar institution or insurance carrier that is regulated, supervised, and subject to periodic examination by a state or federal agency, provided that the statements or information regarding assets so held are prepared and certified to by the bank or similar institution or insurance carrier in accordance with 29 CFR 2520.103-5 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA (qualified institution).

Management has obtained a certification from a qualified institution as of and for the year ended June 30, 2022, stating that the certified investment information, as described in Note 4 to the financial statements, is complete and accurate.

Opinion on the 2022 Financial Statements

In our opinion, based on our audit and on the procedures performed as described in the Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the 2022 Financial Statements section—

- the amounts and disclosures in the accompanying 2022 financial statements, other than those agreed to or derived from the certified investment information, are presented fairly, in all material respects, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.
- the information in the accompanying 2022 financial statements related to assets held by and certified to by a qualified institution agrees to, or is derived from, in all material respects, the information prepared and certified by an institution that management determined meets the requirements of ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C).

Basis for Opinion on the 2022 Financial Statements

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAS). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the 2022 Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of Chicago International Charter School 401(k) Plan and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit opinion.

Responsibilities of Management for the 2022 Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, and for the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error. Management's election of the ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit does not affect management's responsibility for the financial statements.

In preparing the financial statements, management is required to evaluate whether there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about Chicago International Charter School 401(k) Plan's ability to continue as a going concern for one year after the date the financial statements are available to be issued.

Management is also responsible for maintaining a current plan instrument, including all plan amendments, administering the plan, and determining that the plan's transactions that are presented and disclosed in the financial statements are in conformity with the plan's provisions, including maintaining sufficient records with respect to each of the participants, to determine the benefits due or which may become due to such participants.

Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the 2022 Financial Statements

Except as described in the Scope and Nature of the ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) Audit for the 2022 Financial Statements section of our report, our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditors' report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with GAAS will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Misstatements are considered material if, there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, they would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user based on the financial statements.

In performing an audit in accordance with GAAS, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of Chicago International Charter School 401(k) Plan's internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the financial statements.
- Conclude whether, in our judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about Chicago International Charter School 401(k) Plan's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

Our audit did not extend to the certified investment information, except for obtaining and reading the certification, comparing the certified investment information with the related information presented and disclosed in the 2022 financial statements, and reading the disclosures relating to the certified investment information to assess whether they are in accordance with the presentation and disclosure requirements of accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Accordingly, the objective of an ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit is not to express an opinion about whether the financial statements as a whole are presented fairly, in all material respects, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit, significant audit findings, and certain internal control-related matters that we identified during the audit.

Other Matters

2022 Supplemental Schedule Required by ERISA

The supplemental schedule of assets (held at end of year) as of June 30, 2022, is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the financial statements but is supplementary information required by the Department of Labor’s Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements. The information included in the supplemental schedule, other than that agreed to or derived from the certified investment information, has been subjected to auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with GAAS. For information included in the supplemental schedule that agreed to or is derived from the certified investment information, we compared such information to the related certified investment information.

In forming our opinion on the supplemental schedule, we evaluated whether the supplemental schedule, other than the information agreed to or derived from the certified investment information, including its form and content, is presented in conformity with the Department of Labor’s Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA.

In our opinion—

- the form and content of the supplemental schedule, other than the information in the supplemental schedule that agreed to or is derived from the certified investment information, is presented, in all material respects, in conformity with the Department of Labor’s Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA.
- the information in the supplemental schedule related to assets held by and certified to by a qualified institution agrees to, or is derived from, in all material respects, the information prepared and certified by an institution that management determined meets the requirements of ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C).

Auditors' Report on the 2021 Financial Statements

We were engaged to audit the financial statements of Chicago International Charter School 401(k) Plan for the year ended June 30, 2021 (2021 Financial Statements). As permitted by 29 CFR 2520.103-8 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA, the plan administrator instructed us not to perform and we did not perform any auditing procedures with respect to the information certified by a qualified institution. In our report dated April 12, 2022, we indicated that (a) because of the significance of the information that we did not audit, we were not able to obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence to provide a basis for an audit opinion and accordingly, we did not express an opinion on the 2021 Financial Statements, and (b) the form and content of the information included in the 2021 Financial Statements other than that derived from the certified information were presented in compliance with the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA.

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March 10, 2023

CHICAGO INTERNATIONAL CHARTER SCHOOL 401(k) PLAN

STATEMENTS OF NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS

June 30,	2022	2021
Assets:		
Investments at fair value	\$ 1,726,132	\$ 2,214,730
Receivables:		
Employer contributions	4,897	
Participant contributions	19,083	
Notes receivable from participants	67,447	18,791
Total receivables	91,427	18,791
Net assets available for benefits	\$ 1,817,559	\$ 2,233,521

See notes to financial statements.

CHICAGO INTERNATIONAL CHARTER SCHOOL 401(k) PLAN

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS

Year ended June 30, 2022	
Additions to net assets attributed to:	
Investment income (loss):	
Net depreciation in fair value of investments	\$ (296,492)
Dividend and interest income	87,155
Total investment loss, net	(209,337)
Interest on participant loans	1,454
Contributions:	
Participants	333,179
Employer	98,961
Rollover	5,251
Total contributions	437,391
Total additions	229,508
Deductions from net assets attributed to:	
Benefits paid to participants	622,779
Administrative expenses	22,691
Total deductions	645,470
Net decrease	(415,962)
Net assets available for benefits:	
Beginning of year	2,233,521
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NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

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CHICAGO INTERNATIONAL CHARTER SCHOOL 401(k) PLAN

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

1. Description of the Plan (continued)

Payment of benefits:

A participant becomes entitled to benefits under the Plan upon reaching normal retirement age (as defined by the Plan), death, permanent disability or resignation from the Foundation, to be paid in a manner specified in the Plan. Upon death, disability or reaching normal retirement age, a participant's account balance becomes fully vested. Upon resignation, participants are entitled to receive the vested portion of their account balance.

The Plan also allows in-service withdrawals from a participant's account balance upon attaining age 59 1/2.

2. Summary of significant accounting policies

Basis of accounting:

The financial statements of the Plan are prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Investment valuation and income recognition:

The Plan's investments are stated at fair value. Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. See Note 5 for discussion of fair value measurements. Shares of mutual funds are valued at the market value of shares held by the Plan at year-end. Units of the common collective trust fund are valued based on the net asset value per share as a practical expedient.

Purchases and sales of investments are recorded on a trade-date basis. Interest income is recorded on the accrual basis. Dividends are recorded on the ex-dividend date. Net appreciation or depreciation includes the Plan's gains and losses on investments bought and sold, as well as held during the year.

Notes receivable from participants:

As described in Note 1, the Plan allows participants to borrow against their vested account balance and the loans are secured by the participants' account balances. Participant loans are valued at their unpaid principal balance plus any accrued but unpaid interest. The Plan is required to review the collectibility of the outstanding loan balances and record an allowance for loans considered to be uncollectible. As of June 30, 2022 and 2021, no allowance for uncollectible loans was necessary.

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NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

2. Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

Payment of benefits:

Benefits are recorded when paid.

Administrative expenses:

All administrative costs, charges and expenses are paid by the Plan to the extent not paid by the Foundation.

Use of estimates:

The preparation of financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of net assets available for benefits as of the end of the Plan year and the reported amounts of changes in net assets available for benefits during the year. Accordingly, actual results could differ from those estimates.

Subsequent events:

The Plan Administrator has reviewed and evaluated subsequent events through March 10, 2023, the date the financial statements were available to be issued.

3. Risks and uncertainties

The Plan invests in various investment securities. Investment securities are exposed to various risks such as interest rate, market and credit risks. Due to the level of risk associated with certain investment securities, it is at least reasonably possible that changes in the values of investment securities will occur in the near term and that such changes could materially affect participants' account balances and the amounts reported in the statements of net assets available for benefits.

CHICAGO INTERNATIONAL CHARTER SCHOOL 401(k) PLAN

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

4. Investments (information prepared and certified by Reliance Trust Company (the Trustee))

The Plan Administrator has elected the method of compliance permitted by 29 CFR 2520.103-8 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA. Accordingly, the following information included in these financial statements and supplemental schedule was obtained from data that has been prepared and certified as complete and accurate by the Trustee.

The Trustee certified the fair value of investments of \$1,726,132 and \$2,214,730 as of June 30, 2022 and 2021, respectively, and notes receivable from participants of \$67,447 and \$18,791 as of June 30, 2022 and 2021, respectively, and to the completeness and accuracy of the dividend and interest income of \$87,155, interest on participant loans of \$1,454 and net depreciation in fair value of investments of \$296,492 for the year ended June 30, 2022.

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NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

5. Fair value measurements

There are three levels of inputs used to measure fair value. The definition of each input is described below:

Level 1	Inputs to the valuation methodology are unadjusted quoted prices for identical assets or liabilities in active markets that the Plan has the ability to access.
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Level 2	Inputs to the valuation methodology include: • quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities in active markets; • quoted prices for identical or similar assets or liabilities in inactive markets; • inputs other than quoted prices that are observable for the asset or liability; • inputs that are derived principally from or corroborated by observable market data by correlation or other means.
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If the asset or liability has a specified (contractual) term, the Level 2 input must be observable for substantially the full term of the asset or liability.

Level 3	Inputs that are unobservable inputs for the asset or liability.
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The asset's or liability's fair value measurement level within the fair value hierarchy is based on the lowest level of any input that is significant to the fair value measurement. Valuation techniques used need to maximize the use of observable inputs and minimize the use of unobservable inputs.

CHICAGO INTERNATIONAL CHARTER SCHOOL 401(k) PLAN

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

5. Fair value measurements (continued)

The following is a description of the valuation methodologies used for assets measured at fair value.

Mutual funds:	Valued at the market value of shares held by the Plan at year-end.
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Common collective trust fund:	Valued at the net asset value (NAV) of the units held by the Plan. The Fund invests in fully benefit-responsive investment contracts that are held at contract value. NAV is determined to be contract value, the value at which participants ordinarily transact. This practical expedient would not be used if it is determined to be probable that the Fund will sell the investment for an amount different from the reported NAV. Participant transactions (purchases and sales) may occur daily.
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The preceding methods described may produce a fair value calculation that may not be indicative of net realizable value or reflective of future fair values. Furthermore, although the Plan Administrator believes that the Plan's valuation methods are appropriate and consistent with other market participants, the use of different methodologies or assumptions to determine the fair value of certain financial instruments could result in a different fair value measurement at the reporting date.

The following tables set forth by level, within the fair value hierarchy, the Plan's assets at fair value as of June 30, 2022 and 2021. Classification within the fair value hierarchy table is based on the lowest level of any input that is significant to the fair value measurement.

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NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

5. Fair value measurements (continued)

Assets at fair value as of June 30, 2022:

June 30, 2022	Level 1	Total
Mutual funds	\$ 1,402,788	\$ 1,402,788
		1,402,788
Common collective trust fund measured at NAV*		323,344
Total investments at fair value		\$ 1,726,132

Assets at fair value as of June 30, 2021:

June 30, 2021	Level 1	Total
Mutual funds	\$ 1,917,319	\$ 1,917,319
		1,917,319
Common collective trust fund measured at NAV*		297,411
Total investments at fair value		\$ 2,214,730

*Certain investments that are measured at fair value using the NAV per share (or its equivalent) practical expedient have not been categorized in the fair value hierarchy. The fair value amounts presented in these tables are intended to permit reconciliation of the fair value hierarchy to the amounts presented in the statements of net assets available for benefits.

The following table summarizes investments for which fair value is measured using the NAV per share practical expedient as of June 30, 2022 and 2021:

Investment	2022	2021	Unfunded commitment	Redemption frequency	Redemption notice period
Common collective trust fund	\$ 323,344	\$ 297,411	N/A	Daily	None

CHICAGO INTERNATIONAL CHARTER SCHOOL 401(k) PLAN

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

6. Party-in-interest transactions

The Plan's investments are managed by the Trustee and, therefore, these transactions qualify as party-in-interest transactions. Fees paid by the Plan to the Trustee for recordkeeping services totaled \$22,691 for the year ended June 30, 2022.

7. Tax status

The Plan currently operates under a Prototype Non-standardized Profit Sharing Plan with Cash or Deferred Arrangement, which has an opinion letter dated July 16, 2014. In the opinion letter, the Internal Revenue Service stated that the Prototype Plan, as then designed, was in compliance with the applicable requirements of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code). The Plan has been amended since receiving the letter; however, the Plan Administrator believes that the Plan is designed and is currently being operated in compliance with applicable requirements of the Code and, therefore, believes that the Plan is qualified, and the related trust is tax-exempt.

8. Plan termination

Although it has not expressed any intent to do so, the Foundation has the right under the Plan to discontinue its contributions at any time and to terminate the Plan subject to the provisions of ERISA. In the event of Plan termination, participants will become 100% vested in their accounts.

9. Reconciliation of financial statements to Schedule H of Form 5500

The following is a reconciliation of net assets available for benefits per the financial statements to Schedule H of Form 5500:

June 30,	2022	2021
Net assets available for benefits per the financial statements	\$ 1,817,559	\$ 2,233,521
Employer contributions receivable	(4,897)	
Participant contributions receivable	(19,083)	
Net assets available for benefits per Form 5500 Schedule H	\$ 1,793,579	\$ 2,233,521

CHICAGO INTERNATIONAL CHARTER SCHOOL 401(k) PLAN

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

9. Reconciliation of financial statements to Schedule H of Form 5500 (continued)

The following is a reconciliation of contributions per the financial statements for the year ended June 30, 2022 to Schedule H of Form 5500:

<u>Year ended June 30, 2022</u>	
Contributions per the financial statements	\$ 437,391
Employer contributions receivable	(4,897)
Participant contributions receivable	(19,083)
Contributions per Form 5500 Schedule H	\$ 413,411

The following is a reconciliation of the decrease in net assets available for benefits per the financial statements for the year ended June 30, 2022 to Schedule H of Form 5500:

<u>Year ended June 30, 2022</u>	
Decrease in net assets available for benefits per the financial statements	\$ (415,962)
Employer contributions receivable	(4,897)
Participant contributions receivable	(19,083)
Decrease in net assets available for benefits per Form 5500 Schedule H	\$ (439,942)

CHICAGO INTERNATIONAL CHARTER SCHOOL 401(k) PLAN

SCHEDULE OF ASSETS (HELD AT END OF YEAR)

JUNE 30, 2022

FEIN 36-4141583

Plan Number 001

Schedule H, Part IV, Line 4i - Schedule of assets (held at end of year)

(a)	(b) Identity of issuer, borrower, lessor or similar party	(c) Description of investment including maturity date, rate of interest, collateral, par or maturity value	(d) Cost	(e) Current value
	Shares of mutual funds:			
	American Funds	The Growth Fund of America	**	\$ 43,149
	BlackRock	Total Return Fund	**	2,586
	iShares	MSCI EAFE International Index Fund	**	12,680
	Janus Henderson	Triton Fund	**	23,013
	JP Morgan	Equity Income Fund	**	3,345
	MFS	Total Return Bond Fund	**	639,998
	State Street	Equity 500 Index Fund	**	68,336
	T. Rowe Price	Dividend Growth Fund	**	34,674
	T. Rowe Price	Overseas Stock Fund	**	28,910
	Vanguard	Intermediate Term Bond Index Fund	**	19,266
	Vanguard	Mid-Cap Index Fund	**	90,831
	Vanguard	Small-Cap Value Index Fund	**	29,215
	Vanguard	Small-Cap Index Fund	**	15,818
	Fidelity	Freedom Index 2015 Fund	**	1,243
	Fidelity	Freedom Index 2020 Fund	**	6,516
	Fidelity	Freedom Index 2025 Fund	**	13,953
	Fidelity	Freedom Index 2030 Fund	**	10,206
	Fidelity	Freedom Index 2035 Fund	**	22,163
	Fidelity	Freedom Index 2040 Fund	**	43,871
	Fidelity	Freedom Index 2045 Fund	**	83,181
	Fidelity	Freedom Index 2050 Fund	**	95,543
	Fidelity	Freedom Index 2055 Fund	**	43,334
	Fidelity	Freedom Index 2060 Fund	**	48,664
	Fidelity	Freedom Index 2065 Fund	**	22,293
	Total mutual funds			1,402,788
	Common collective trust fund:			
	Invesco	Stable Asset Fund	**	323,344
*	Notes receivable from participants	Interest rates ranging from 4.25% to 6.25%		67,447
	Total			\$ 1,793,579

*Represents a party-in-interest.

**Cost information is not required for participant-directed investments.

SCHEDULE H (Form 5500) Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation	Financial Information This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), and section 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code). ► File as an attachment to Form 5500.	OMB No. 1210-0110
		2021
		This Form is Open to Public Inspection

For calendar plan year 2021 or fiscal plan year beginning		and ending	
A Name of plan	B Three-digit plan number (PN) ►		
C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500		D Employer Identification Number (EIN)	

Part I	Asset and Liability Statement
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1 Current value of plan assets and liabilities at the beginning and end of the plan year. Combine the value of plan assets held in more than one trust. Report the value of the plan's interest in a commingled fund containing the assets of more than one plan on a line-by-line basis unless the value is reportable on lines 1c(9) through 1c(14). Do not enter the value of that portion of an insurance contract which guarantees, during this plan year, to pay a specific dollar benefit at a future date. **Round off amounts to the nearest dollar.** MTIAs, CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs do not complete lines 1b(1), 1b(2), 1c(8), 1g, 1h, and 1i. CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs also do not complete lines 1d and 1e. See instructions.

Assets		(a) Beginning of Year	(b) End of Year
a Total noninterest-bearing cash.....	1a		
b Receivables (less allowance for doubtful accounts):			
(1) Employer contributions	1b(1)		
(2) Participant contributions.....	1b(2)		
(3) Other	1b(3)		
c General investments:			
(1) Interest-bearing cash (include money market accounts & certificates of deposit)	1c(1)		
(2) U.S. Government securities	1c(2)		
(3) Corporate debt instruments (other than employer securities):			
(A) Preferred	1c(3)(A)		
(B) All other.....	1c(3)(B)		
(4) Corporate stocks (other than employer securities):			
(A) Preferred	1c(4)(A)		
(B) Common	1c(4)(B)		
(5) Partnership/joint venture interests	1c(5)		
(6) Real estate (other than employer real property)	1c(6)		
(7) Loans (other than to participants)	1c(7)		
(8) Participant loans	1c(8)		
(9) Value of interest in common/collective trusts	1c(9)		
(10) Value of interest in pooled separate accounts	1c(10)		
(11) Value of interest in master trust investment accounts	1c(11)		
(12) Value of interest in 103-12 investment entities	1c(12)		
(13) Value of interest in registered investment companies (e.g., mutual funds)	1c(13)		
(14) Value of funds held in insurance company general account (unallocated contracts).....	1c(14)		
(15) Other.....	1c(15)		

1d Employer-related investments:		(a) Beginning of Year	(b) End of Year
(1) Employer securities.....	1d(1)		
(2) Employer real property.....	1d(2)		
e Buildings and other property used in plan operation	1e		
f Total assets (add all amounts in lines 1a through 1e)	1f		

Liabilities

g Benefit claims payable	1g		
h Operating payables	1h		
i Acquisition indebtedness.....	1i		
j Other liabilities.....	1j		
k Total liabilities (add all amounts in lines 1g through 1j)	1k		

Net Assets

l Net assets (subtract line 1k from line 1f)	1l		
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Part II Income and Expense Statement

2 Plan income, expenses, and changes in net assets for the year. Include all income and expenses of the plan, including any trust(s) or separately maintained fund(s) and any payments/receipts to/from insurance carriers. Round off amounts to the nearest dollar. MTIAs, CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs do not complete lines 2a, 2b(1)(E), 2e, 2f, and 2g.

Income

		(a) Amount	(b) Total
a Contributions:			
(1) Received or receivable in cash from: (A) Employers	2a(1)(A)		
(B) Participants	2a(1)(B)		
(C) Others (including rollovers).....	2a(1)(C)		
(2) Noncash contributions.....	2a(2)		
(3) Total contributions. Add lines 2a(1)(A) , (B) , (C) , and line 2a(2)	2a(3)		
b Earnings on investments:			
(1) Interest:			
(A) Interest-bearing cash (including money market accounts and certificates of deposit).....	2b(1)(A)		
(B) U.S. Government securities	2b(1)(B)		
(C) Corporate debt instruments	2b(1)(C)		
(D) Loans (other than to participants)	2b(1)(D)		
(E) Participant loans.....	2b(1)(E)		
(F) Other	2b(1)(F)		
(G) Total interest. Add lines 2b(1)(A) through (F)	2b(1)(G)		
(2) Dividends: (A) Preferred stock.....	2b(2)(A)		
(B) Common stock	2b(2)(B)		
(C) Registered investment company shares (e.g. mutual funds).....	2b(2)(C)		
(D) Total dividends. Add lines 2b(2)(A) , (B) , and (C)	2b(2)(D)		
(3) Rents	2b(3)		
(4) Net gain (loss) on sale of assets: (A) Aggregate proceeds	2b(4)(A)		
(B) Aggregate carrying amount (see instructions).....	2b(4)(B)		
(C) Subtract line 2b(4)(B) from line 2b(4)(A) and enter result	2b(4)(C)		
(5) Unrealized appreciation (depreciation) of assets: (A) Real estate	2b(5)(A)		
(B) Other	2b(5)(B)		
(C) Total unrealized appreciation of assets. Add lines 2b(5)(A) and (B)	2b(5)(C)		

		(a) Amount	(b) Total
(6) Net investment gain (loss) from common/collective trusts.....	2b(6)		
(7) Net investment gain (loss) from pooled separate accounts.....	2b(7)		
(8) Net investment gain (loss) from master trust investment accounts	2b(8)		
(9) Net investment gain (loss) from 103-12 investment entities	2b(9)		
(10) Net investment gain (loss) from registered investment companies (e.g., mutual funds)	2b(10)		
c Other income	2c		
d Total income. Add all income amounts in column (b) and enter total.....	2d		

Expenses

e Benefit payment and payments to provide benefits:			
(1) Directly to participants or beneficiaries, including direct rollovers.....	2e(1)		
(2) To insurance carriers for the provision of benefits	2e(2)		
(3) Other.....	2e(3)		
(4) Total benefit payments. Add lines 2e(1) through (3)	2e(4)		
f Corrective distributions (see instructions)	2f		
g Certain deemed distributions of participant loans (see instructions).....	2g		
h Interest expense.....	2h		
i Administrative expenses: (1) Professional fees	2i(1)		
(2) Contract administrator fees	2i(2)		
(3) Investment advisory and management fees	2i(3)		
(4) Other.....	2i(4)		
(5) Total administrative expenses. Add lines 2i(1) through (4)	2i(5)		
j Total expenses. Add all expense amounts in column (b) and enter total.....	2j		

Net Income and Reconciliation

k Net income (loss). Subtract line 2j from line 2d.....	2k		
l Transfers of assets:			
(1) To this plan.....	2l(1)		
(2) From this plan	2l(2)		

Part III Accountant's Opinion

3 Complete lines 3a through 3c if the opinion of an independent qualified public accountant is attached to this Form 5500. Complete line 3d if an opinion is not attached.

a The attached opinion of an independent qualified public accountant for this plan is (see instructions):

(1) ☐ Unmodified (2) ☐ Qualified (3) ☐ Disclaimer (4) ☐ Adverse

b Check the appropriate box(es) to indicate whether the IQPA performed an ERISA section 103(a)(3)(C) audit. Check both boxes (1) and (2) if the audit was performed pursuant to both 29 CFR 2520.103-8 and 29 CFR 2520.103-12(d). Check box (3) if pursuant to neither.

(1) ☐ DOL Regulation 2520.103-8 (2) ☐ DOL Regulation 2520.103-12(d) (3) ☐ neither DOL Regulation 2520.103-8 nor DOL Regulation 2520.103-12(d).

c Enter the name and EIN of the accountant (or accounting firm) below:

(1) Name:

(2) EIN:

d The opinion of an independent qualified public accountant is **not attached** because:

(1) ☐ This form is filed for a CCT, PSA, or MTIA. (2) ☐ It will be attached to the next Form 5500 pursuant to 29 CFR 2520.104-50.

Part IV Compliance Questions

4 CCTs and PSAs do not complete Part IV. MTIAs, 103-12 IEs, and GIAs do not complete lines 4a, 4e, 4f, 4g, 4h, 4k, 4m, 4n, or 5. 103-12 IEs also do not complete lines 4j and 4l. MTIAs also do not complete line 4l.

During the plan year:

a Was there a failure to transmit to the plan any participant contributions within the time period described in 29 CFR 2510.3-102? Continue to answer "Yes" for any prior year failures until fully corrected. (See instructions and DOL's Voluntary Fiduciary Correction Program.)

	Yes	No	Amount
4a			

	Yes	No	Amount
b Were any loans by the plan or fixed income obligations due the plan in default as of the close of the plan year or classified during the year as uncollectible? Disregard participant loans secured by participant's account balance. (Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part I if "Yes" is checked.)			
4b			
c Were any leases to which the plan was a party in default or classified during the year as uncollectible? (Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part II if "Yes" is checked.)			
4c			
d Were there any nonexempt transactions with any party-in-interest? (Do not include transactions reported on line 4a. Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part III if "Yes" is checked.)			
4d			
e Was this plan covered by a fidelity bond?			
4e			
f Did the plan have a loss, whether or not reimbursed by the plan's fidelity bond, that was caused by fraud or dishonesty?			
4f			
g Did the plan hold any assets whose current value was neither readily determinable on an established market nor set by an independent third party appraiser?			
4g			
h Did the plan receive any noncash contributions whose value was neither readily determinable on an established market nor set by an independent third party appraiser?			
4h			
i Did the plan have assets held for investment? (Attach schedule(s) of assets if "Yes" is checked, and see instructions for format requirements.)			
4i			
j Were any plan transactions or series of transactions in excess of 5% of the current value of plan assets? (Attach schedule of transactions if "Yes" is checked and see instructions for format requirements.)			
4j			
k Were all the plan assets either distributed to participants or beneficiaries, transferred to another plan, or brought under the control of the PBGC?			
4k			
l Has the plan failed to provide any benefit when due under the plan?			
4l			
m If this is an individual account plan, was there a blackout period? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-3.)			
4m			
n If 4m was answered "Yes," check the "Yes" box if you either provided the required notice or one of the exceptions to providing the notice applied under 29 CFR 2520.101-3.			
4n			
5a Has a resolution to terminate the plan been adopted during the plan year or any prior plan year?..... ☐ Yes ☐ No If "Yes," enter the amount of any plan assets that reverted to the employer this year _____.			
5b If, during this plan year, any assets or liabilities were transferred from this plan to another plan(s), identify the plan(s) to which assets or liabilities were transferred. (See instructions.)			
5b(1) Name of plan(s)	5b(2) EIN(s)	5b(3) PN(s)	
5c Was the plan a defined benefit plan covered under the PBGC insurance program at any time during this plan year? (See ERISA section 4021 and instructions.) ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Not determined If "Yes" is checked, enter the My PAA confirmation number from the PBGC premium filing for this plan year _____.			

Attachment to 2021 Form 5500
Schedule H, line 4i - Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year)

Plan Name CHICAGO INTERNATIONAL CHARTER SCHOOL 401(K) PLAN

EIN: 36-4141583

Plan Sponsor's Name CHICAGO CHARTER SCHOOL FOUNDATIO

PN: 001

(a)	(b) Identity of issue, borrower, lessor, or similar party	(c) Description of investment including maturity date, rate of interest, collateral, par, or maturity value.	(d) Cost	(e) Current value
	PARTICIPANT LOANS	INTEREST RATES (4.25% TO 6.25%)		67,447
	FID FREEDOM INDEX 2040 PREMIER	REGISTERED INVESTMENT COMPANY		43,871
	FID FREEDOM INDEX 2055 PREMIER	REGISTERED INVESTMENT COMPANY		43,334
	VANGUARD INTERMEDIATE TERM BON	REGISTERED INVESTMENT COMPANY		19,266
	FID FREEDOM INDEX 2035 PREMIER	REGISTERED INVESTMENT COMPANY		22,163
	T ROWE PRICE OVERSEAS STOCK	REGISTERED INVESTMENT COMPANY		28,910
	BLACKROCK TOTAL RETURN K	REGISTERED INVESTMENT COMPANY		2,586

Attachment to 2021 Form 5500
Schedule H, line 4i - Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year)

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(a)	(b) Identity of issue, borrower, lessor, or similar party	(c) Description of investment including maturity date, rate of interest, collateral, par, or maturity value.	(d) Cost	(e) Current value
	VANGUARD MID CAP INDEX - ADM	REGISTERED INVESTMENT COMPANY		90,831
	FID FREEDOM INDEX 2060 PREMIER	REGISTERED INVESTMENT COMPANY		48,664
	JPMORGAN EQUITY INCOME FUND R6	REGISTERED INVESTMENT COMPANY		3,345
	FID FREEDOM INDEX 2020 PREMIER	REGISTERED INVESTMENT COMPANY		6,516
	JANUS HENDERSON TRITON FUND N	REGISTERED INVESTMENT COMPANY		23,013
	T. ROWE PRICE DIVIDEND GR I	REGISTERED INVESTMENT COMPANY		34,674
	FID FREEDOM INDEX 2025 PREMIER	REGISTERED INVESTMENT COMPANY		13,953

Attachment to 2021 Form 5500
Schedule H, line 4i - Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year)

Plan Name CHICAGO INTERNATIONAL CHARTER SCHOOL 401(K) PLAN

EIN: 36-4141583

Plan Sponsor's Name CHICAGO CHARTER SCHOOL FOUNDATIO

PN: 001

(a)	(b) Identity of issue, borrower, lessor, or similar party	(c) Description of investment including maturity date, rate of interest, collateral, par, or maturity value.	(d) Cost	(e) Current value
	VANGUARD SMALL CAP INDEX ADMRL	REGISTERED INVESTMENT COMPANY		15,818
	FID FREEDOM INDEX 2045 PREMIER	REGISTERED INVESTMENT COMPANY		83,181
	FID FREEDOM INDEX 2050 PREMIER	REGISTERED INVESTMENT COMPANY		95,543
	FID FREEDOM INDEX 2030 PREMIER	REGISTERED INVESTMENT COMPANY		10,206
	FID FREEDOM INDEX 2065 PREMIER	REGISTERED INVESTMENT COMPANY		22,293
	VANGUARD SM CAP VAL INDEX ADM	REGISTERED INVESTMENT COMPANY		29,215
	MFS TOTAL RETURN - R6	REGISTERED INVESTMENT COMPANY		639,998

Attachment to 2021 Form 5500
Schedule H, line 4i - Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year)

Plan Name CHICAGO INTERNATIONAL CHARTER SCHOOL 401(K) PLAN

EIN: 36-4141583

Plan Sponsor's Name CHICAGO CHARTER SCHOOL FOUNDATIO

PN: 001

(a)	(b) Identity of issue, borrower, lessor, or similar party	(c) Description of investment including maturity date, rate of interest, collateral, par, or maturity value.	(d) Cost	(e) Current value
	ISHARES MSCI EAFE INTL INDEX K	REGISTERED INVESTMENT COMPANY		12,680
	STATE ST EQUITY 500 INDEX K	REGISTERED INVESTMENT COMPANY		68,336
	FID FREE INDX 2015 PREM	REGISTERED INVESTMENT COMPANY		1,242
	AMF GROWTH FUND OF AMERICA R6	REGISTERED INVESTMENT COMPANY		43,149
	INVESCO STABLE ASSET - ADPZ	COMMON/COLLECTIVE TRUST		323,344