

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 <h1 style="text-align: center;">2024</h1> This Form is Open to Public Inspection
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Part I Annual Report Identification Information
 For calendar plan year 2024 or fiscal plan year beginning 07/01/2024 and ending 06/30/2025

A This return/report is for: a multiemployer plan a multiple-employer plan (Filers checking this box must provide 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>NICHOLS SCHOOL TIAA-CREF RETIREMENT PLAN</u>	1b Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ <u>002</u>
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>NICHOLS SCHOOL OF BUFFALO</u> <u>1250 AMHERST STREET</u> <u>BUFFALO, NY 14216</u>	1c Effective date of plan <u>07/01/1998</u> 2b Employer Identification Number (EIN) <u>16-0755808</u> 2c Plan Sponsor's telephone number <u>716-332-6300</u> 2d Business code (see instructions) <u>611000</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.	03/19/2026	DANIEL DOLAN
	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
SIGN HERE			
	Signature of DFE	Date	Enter name of individual signing as DFE

3a Plan administrator's name and address <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 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	337
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 a(2) Total number of active participants at the end of the plan year b Retired or separated participants receiving benefits..... c Other retired or separated participants entitled to future benefits d Subtotal. Add lines 6a(2) , 6b , and 6c e Deceased participants whose beneficiaries are receiving or are entitled to receive benefits. f Total. Add lines 6d and 6e g(1) Number of participants with account balances as of the beginning of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item) g(2) Number of participants with account balances as of the end of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item) h Number of participants who terminated employment during the plan year with accrued benefits that were less than 100% vested.....	6a(1)	144
	6a(2)	142
	6b	0
	6c	193
	6d	335
	6e	
	6f	335
	6g(1)	304
6g(2)	309	
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:
2F 2G 2K 2L 2M 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)	9b Plan benefit arrangement (check all that apply)
(1) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Insurance	(1) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Insurance
(2) <input type="checkbox"/> Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts	(2) <input type="checkbox"/> Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts
(3) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Trust	(3) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Trust
(4) <input type="checkbox"/> General assets of the sponsor	(4) <input type="checkbox"/> 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	b General Schedules
(1) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> R (Retirement Plan Information)	(1) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> H (Financial Information)
(2) <input type="checkbox"/> MB (Multiemployer Defined Benefit Plan and Certain Money Purchase Plan Actuarial Information) - signed by the plan actuary	(2) <input type="checkbox"/> I (Financial Information – Small Plan)
(3) <input type="checkbox"/> SB (Single-Employer Defined Benefit Plan Actuarial Information) - signed by the plan actuary	(3) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A (Insurance Information) – Number Attached <u>1</u>
(4) <input type="checkbox"/> DCG (Individual Plan Information) – Number Attached _____	(4) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> C (Service Provider Information)
(5) <input type="checkbox"/> MEP (Multiple-Employer Retirement Plan Information)	(5) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D (DFE/Participating Plan Information)
	(6) <input type="checkbox"/> 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 2024 Form M-1 annual report. If the plan was not required to file the 2024 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 _____

<p>SCHEDULE A (Form 5500)</p> <p>Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service</p> <hr/> <p>Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration</p> <hr/> <p>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation</p>	<p>Insurance Information</p> <p>This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).</p> <p>▶ File as an attachment to Form 5500.</p> <p>▶ Insurance companies are required to provide the information pursuant to ERISA section 103(a)(2).</p>	<p>OMB No. 1210-0110</p> <hr/> <p>2024</p> <hr/> <p>This Form is Open to Public Inspection</p>
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For calendar plan year 2024 or fiscal plan year beginning **07/01/2024** and ending **06/30/2025**

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<p>C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 NICHOLS SCHOOL OF BUFFALO</p>	<p>D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 16-0755808</p>	

Part I Information Concerning Insurance Contract Coverage, Fees, and Commissions Provide information for each contract on a separate Schedule A. Individual contracts grouped as a unit in Parts II and III can be reported on a single Schedule A.

1 Coverage Information:

(a) Name of insurance carrier
TIAA-CREF

(b) EIN	(c) NAIC code	(d) Contract or identification number	(e) Approximate number of persons covered at end of policy or contract year	Policy or contract year	
				(f) From	(g) To
13-1624203	69345	367495	225	07/01/2024	06/30/2025

2 Insurance fee and commission information. Enter the total fees and total commissions paid. List in line 3 the agents, brokers, and other persons in descending order of the amount paid.

(a) Total amount of commissions paid	(b) Total amount of fees paid
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3 Persons receiving commissions and fees. (Complete as many entries as needed to report all persons).

(a) Name and address of the agent, broker, or other person to whom commissions or fees were paid

(b) Amount of sales and base commissions paid	Fees and other commissions paid		(e) Organization code
	(c) Amount	(d) Purpose	

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Part II	Investment and Annuity Contract Information	
	Where individual contracts are provided, the entire group of such individual contracts with each carrier may be treated as a unit for purposes of this report.	
4	Current value of plan's interest under this contract in the general account at year end	11643640
5	Current value of plan's interest under this contract in separate accounts at year end.....	1242445
6	Contracts With Allocated Funds:	
a	State the basis of premium rates ▶	
b	Premiums paid to carrier	6b
c	Premiums due but unpaid at the end of the year	6c
d	If the carrier, service, or other organization incurred any specific costs in connection with the acquisition or retention of the contract or policy, enter amount. Specify nature of costs ▶	6d
e	Type of contract: (1) <input type="checkbox"/> individual policies (2) <input type="checkbox"/> group deferred annuity (3) <input type="checkbox"/> other (specify) ▶	
f	If contract purchased, in whole or in part, to distribute benefits from a terminating plan, check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>	
7	Contracts With Unallocated Funds (Do not include portions of these contracts maintained in separate accounts)	
a	Type of contract: (1) <input type="checkbox"/> deposit administration (2) <input type="checkbox"/> immediate participation guarantee (3) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> guaranteed investment (4) <input type="checkbox"/> other ▶	
b	Balance at the end of the previous year	7b 11325085
c	Additions: (1) Contributions deposited during the year	7c(1) 0
	(2) Dividends and credits.....	7c(2) 102933
	(3) Interest credited during the year.....	7c(3) 490530
	(4) Transferred from separate account	7c(4) 2452507
	(5) Other (specify below)..... ▶	7c(5) 49606
	(6) Total additions	7c(6) 3095576
d	Total of balance and additions (add lines 7b and 7c(6))	7d 14420661
e	Deductions:	
	(1) Disbursed from fund to pay benefits or purchase annuities during year	7e(1) 451342
	(2) Administration charge made by carrier.....	7e(2)
	(3) Transferred to separate account	7e(3) 2320855
	(4) Other (specify below)..... ▶	7e(4) 4824
(5) Total deductions	7e(5) 2777021	
f	Balance at the end of the current year (subtract line 7e(5) from line 7d).....	7f 11643640

Part III Welfare Benefit Contract Information
 If more than one contract covers the same group of employees of the same employer(s) or members of the same employee organizations(s), the information may be combined for reporting purposes if such contracts are experience-rated as a unit. Where contracts cover individual employees, the entire group of such individual contracts with each carrier may be treated as a unit for purposes of this report.

8 Benefit and contract type (check all applicable boxes)

- a** Health (other than dental or vision)
- b** Dental
- c** Vision
- d** Life insurance
- e** Temporary disability (accident and sickness)
- f** Long-term disability
- g** Supplemental unemployment
- h** Prescription drug
- i** Stop loss (large deductible)
- j** HMO contract
- k** PPO contract
- l** Indemnity contract
- m** Other (specify) ▶

9 Experience-rated contracts:

a	Premiums: (1) Amount received	9a(1)		
	(2) Increase (decrease) in amount due but unpaid	9a(2)		
	(3) Increase (decrease) in unearned premium reserve	9a(3)		
	(4) Earned ((1) + (2) - (3))		9a(4)	0
b	Benefit charges (1) Claims paid	9b(1)		
	(2) Increase (decrease) in claim reserves	9b(2)		
	(3) Incurred claims (add (1) and (2))		9b(3)	0
	(4) Claims charged		9b(4)	
c	Remainder of premium: (1) Retention charges (on an accrual basis) --			
	(A) Commissions	9c(1)(A)		
	(B) Administrative service or other fees	9c(1)(B)		
	(C) Other specific acquisition costs	9c(1)(C)		
	(D) Other expenses	9c(1)(D)		
	(E) Taxes	9c(1)(E)		
	(F) Charges for risks or other contingencies	9c(1)(F)		
	(G) Other retention charges	9c(1)(G)		
	(H) Total retention		9c(1)(H)	0
	(2) Dividends or retroactive rate refunds. (These amounts were <input type="checkbox"/> paid in cash, or <input type="checkbox"/> credited.)		9c(2)	
d	Status of policyholder reserves at end of year: (1) Amount held to provide benefits after retirement		9d(1)	
	(2) Claim reserves		9d(2)	
	(3) Other reserves		9d(3)	
e	Dividends or retroactive rate refunds due. (Do not include amount entered in line 9c(2).)		9e	

10 Nonexperience-rated contracts:

a	Total premiums or subscription charges paid to carrier	10a	
b	If the carrier, service, or other organization incurred any specific costs in connection with the acquisition or retention of the contract or policy, other than reported in Part I, line 2 above, report amount.	10b	

Specify nature of costs.

Part IV Provision of Information

11 Did the insurance company fail to provide any information necessary to complete Schedule A? Yes No

12 If the answer to line 11 is "Yes," specify the information not provided. ▶

SCHEDULE C (Form 5500) <small>Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service</small> <small>Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration</small> <small>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation</small>	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.	<small>OMB No. 1210-0110</small> 2024 This Form is Open to Public Inspection.
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C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 NICHOLS SCHOOL OF BUFFALO	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 16-0755808	

Part I Service Provider Information (see instructions)

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

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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)

TIAA-TEACHERS INSURANCE AND ANNUITY

ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA
730 THIRD AVENUE
NEW YORK, NY 10017-3206

13-1624203

(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?
15 64 65	RECORDKEEPER	11027	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	0	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

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

GLOBAL RETIREMENT PARTNERS

4340 REDWOOD HIGHWAY # B-60
SAN RAFAEL, CA 94903

47-1411118

(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?
22 26	FINANCIAL ADV	0	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>		Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

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

ACTUARIAL CONSULTING SERVICES

30 BRYANT WOODS NORTH
AMHERST, NY 14228

16-1186135

(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?
49 63	THIRD PARTY ADMINSTRATOR	0	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>		Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

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

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CYCLORAMA BUILDING
369 FRANKLIN STREET
BUFFALO, NY 14202-1725

16-0765486

(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?
10	ACCOUNTANT	0	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>		Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

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

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			Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>		Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

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			Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>		Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

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.	
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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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Explanation:

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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)
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a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: <u>TIAA REAL ESTATE</u>		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): <u>TIAA-CREF</u>		
c EIN-PN <u>13-1624203-004</u>	d Entity code <u>P</u>	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) <u>1242445</u>
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)
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)
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)
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)
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)
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)

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)

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)

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:

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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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b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):

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d Entity code

e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)

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)

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)

SCHEDULE H (Form 5500) <small>Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service</small> <small>Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration</small> <small>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation</small>	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.	<small>OMB No. 1210-0110</small> 2024 This Form is Open to Public Inspection
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For calendar plan year 2024 or fiscal plan year beginning 07/01/2024 and ending 06/30/2025	
A Name of plan NICHOLS SCHOOL TIAA-CREF RETIREMENT PLAN	B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 002
C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 NICHOLS SCHOOL OF BUFFALO	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 16-0755808

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.

		(a) Beginning of Year	(b) End of Year
Assets			
a Total noninterest-bearing cash	1a	0	0
b Receivables (less allowance for doubtful accounts):			
(1) Employer contributions	1b(1)	1309	0
(2) Participant contributions	1b(2)	883	0
(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)	60255	107716
(9) Value of interest in common/collective trusts	1c(9)		
(10) Value of interest in pooled separate accounts	1c(10)	1292198	1242445
(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)	29891343	32226421
(14) Value of funds held in insurance company general account (unallocated contracts).....	1c(14)	11325086	11643640
(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	42571074	45220222
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	42571074	45220222

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)	433327	
(B) Participants.....	2a(1)(B)	699257	
(C) Others (including rollovers).....	2a(1)(C)	120678	
(2) Noncash contributions.....	2a(2)		
(3) Total contributions. Add lines 2a(1)(A) , (B) , (C) , and line 2a(2)	2a(3)		1253262
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)	6406	
(F) Other.....	2b(1)(F)	490530	
(G) Total interest. Add lines 2b(1)(A) through (F)	2b(1)(G)		496936
(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)	557778	
(D) Total dividends. Add lines 2b(2)(A) , (B) , and (C)	2b(2)(D)		557778
(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)		25283
(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)		3097413
c Other income	2c		52126
d Total income. Add all income amounts in column (b) and enter total	2d		5482798

Expenses

e Benefit payment and payments to provide benefits:			
(1) Directly to participants or beneficiaries, including direct rollovers	2e(1)	2592315	
(2) To insurance carriers for the provision of benefits	2e(2)	225656	
(3) Other	2e(3)		
(4) Total benefit payments. Add lines 2e(1) through (3)	2e(4)		2817971
f Corrective distributions (see instructions)	2f		
g Certain deemed distributions of participant loans (see instructions)	2g		
h Interest expense	2h		
i Administrative expenses:			
(1) Salaries and allowances	2i(1)		
(2) Contract administrator fees	2i(2)	15679	
(3) Recordkeeping fees	2i(3)		
(4) IQPA audit fees	2i(4)		
(5) Investment advisory and investment management fees	2i(5)		
(6) Bank or trust company trustee/custodial fees	2i(6)		
(7) Actuarial fees	2i(7)		
(8) Legal fees	2i(8)		
(9) Valuation/appraisal fees	2i(9)		
(10) Other trustee fees and expenses	2i(10)		
(11) Other expenses	2i(11)		
(12) Total administrative expenses. Add lines 2i(1) through (11)	2i(12)		15679
j Total expenses. Add all expense amounts in column (b) and enter total	2j		2833650

Net Income and Reconciliation

k Net income (loss). Subtract line 2j from line 2d	2k		2649148
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: **LUMSDEN & MCCORMICK**

(2) EIN: **16-0765486**

d The opinion of an independent qualified public accountant is **not attached** as part of Schedule H because:

(1) This form is filed for a CCT, PSA, DCG 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. DCGs do not complete lines 4e, 4f, 4k, 4l, and 5, and DCGs generally complete the rest of Part IV collectively for all plans in the DCG, except as otherwise provided (see instructions).

During the plan year:

	Yes	No	Amount
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.)		X	
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.)		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.)		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.)		X	
e Was this plan covered by a fidelity bond?	X		500000
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	
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	
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	
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		
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	
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	
l Has the plan failed to provide any benefit when due under the plan?		X	
m If this is an individual account plan, was there a blackout period? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-3.)		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.			

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) <small>Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service</small> <small>Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration</small> <small>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation</small>	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.	<small>OMB No. 1210-0110</small> 2024 This Form is Open to Public Inspection.
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For calendar plan year 2024 or fiscal plan year beginning 07/01/2024 and ending 06/30/2025

A Name of plan <u>NICHOLS SCHOOL TIAA-CREF RETIREMENT PLAN</u>	B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶	<u>002</u>
C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 <u>NICHOLS SCHOOL OF BUFFALO</u>	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) <u>16-0755808</u>	

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
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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): 16-1624203 51-6559589

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		0
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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)?..... Yes No N/A
If the plan is a defined benefit plan, go to line 8.

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

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

Part V Additional Information for Multiemployer Defined Benefit Pension Plans

13 Enter the following information for each employer that (1) contributed more than 5% of total contributions to the plan during the plan year or (2) was one of the top-ten highest contributors (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: <input type="checkbox"/> last contributing employer <input type="checkbox"/> alternative <input type="checkbox"/> reasonable approximation (see instructions for required attachment).....	14a	
b The plan year immediately preceding the current plan year. <input type="checkbox"/> 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. <input type="checkbox"/> 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) and (b):

a Enter the percentage of plan assets held as:
 Public Equity: _____% Private Equity: _____% Investment-Grade Debt and Interest Rate Hedging Assets: _____%
 High-Yield Debt: _____% Real Assets: _____% Cash or Cash Equivalents: _____% Other: _____%

b Provide the average duration of the Investment-Grade Debt and Interest Rate Hedging Assets:
 0-5 years 5-10 years 10-15 years 15 years or more

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: _____

Part VII IRS Compliance Questions

21a Does the plan satisfy the coverage and nondiscrimination tests of Code sections 410(b) and 401(a)(4) by combining this plan with any other plans under the permissive aggregation rules? Yes No

21b If this is a Code section 401(k) plan, check all boxes that apply to indicate how the plan is intended to satisfy the nondiscrimination requirements for employee deferrals and employer matching contributions (as applicable) under Code sections 401(k)(3) and 401(m)(2).
 Design-based safe harbor method
 "Prior year" ADP test
 "Current year" ADP test
 N/A

22 If the plan sponsor is an adopter of a pre-approved plan that received a favorable IRS Opinion Letter, enter the date of the Opinion Letter 06 / 19 / 2017 (MM/DD/YYYY) and the Opinion Letter serial number J500904A.

**NICHOLS SCHOOL TIAA-CREF
RETIREMENT PLAN**

**FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
WITH ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

June 30, 2025

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

The Plan Administrator
Nichols School TIAA-CREF Retirement Plan

Scope and Nature of the ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) Audit

We have performed audits of the financial statements of Nichols School TIAA-CREF Retirement Plan (the 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 statements of net assets available for benefits as of June 30, 2025 and 2024, and the related statement of changes in net assets available for benefits for the year ended June 30, 2025, and the related notes to the financial statements.

Management, having determined it is permissible in the circumstances, has elected to have the audits of the Plan's 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 audits 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 certifications from a qualified institution as of June 30, 2025 and 2024, and for the year ended June 30, 2025, stating that the certified investment information, as described in Note 5 to the financial statements, is complete and accurate.

Opinion

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

- The amounts and disclosures in the accompanying 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 (GAAP).
- The information in the accompanying 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

We conducted our audits 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 Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of the Plan and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audits. 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 Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with GAAP, 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 the Plan's ability to continue as a going concern for one year after the date that 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 Financial Statements

Except as described in the Scope and Nature of the ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) Audit 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 the 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 the Plan's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

Our audits did not extend to the certified investment information, except for obtaining and reading the certifications, comparing the certified investment information with the related information presented and disclosed in the 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 GAAP.

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 GAAP.

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.

Additional Information

Supplemental Schedule Required by ERISA

The supplemental schedule of assets (held at end of year) 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, are 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).



February 23, 2026

NICHOLS SCHOOL TIAA-CREF RETIREMENT PLAN

Statements of Net Assets Available for Benefits

June 30,	2025	2024
Investments:		
At fair value (Note 3):		
Registered investment company shares	\$ 32,226,421	\$ 29,891,343
Fixed annuity contracts	10,509,766	10,312,892
Pooled separate account	1,242,445	1,292,198
	<u>43,978,632</u>	41,496,433
At contract value:		
Fully benefit responsive investment contracts (Note 4)	1,133,874	1,012,194
	<u>45,112,506</u>	<u>42,508,627</u>
Receivables:		
Employer contributions	-	1,309
Participant contributions	-	883
Notes receivable from participants	107,716	60,255
	<u>107,716</u>	<u>62,447</u>
Net assets available for benefits	<u>\$ 45,220,222</u>	<u>\$ 42,571,074</u>

NICHOLS SCHOOL TIAA-CREF RETIREMENT PLAN

Statement of Changes in Net Assets Available for Benefits

For the year ended June 30, 2025

Additions to net assets attributed to:

Investment income:

Net appreciation in fair value of registered investment company shares	\$ 3,097,413
Net appreciation in fair value of pooled separate account	25,283
Dividends	557,778
Interest	490,530
	<u>4,171,004</u>

Interest income on notes receivable from participants	6,406
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Contributions:

Employer	433,327
Participant (includes rollovers from other qualified plans)	819,935
	<u>1,253,262</u>

Other income	<u>52,126</u>
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Total additions	<u>5,482,798</u>
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Deductions from net assets attributed to:

Benefits paid to participants	2,592,315
Payments to insurance company to purchase annuities excluded from plan assets	225,656
Administrative expenses	15,679
	<u>2,833,650</u>

Total deductions	<u>2,833,650</u>
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Net change	2,649,148
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Net assets available for benefits:

Beginning	<u>42,571,074</u>
Ending	<u>\$ 45,220,222</u>

Notes to Financial Statements

1. Description of Plan:

The following brief description of Nichols School TIAA-CREF Retirement Plan (the Plan) is provided for general information purposes only. For more complete information, participants should refer to the text of the Plan document.

General:

The Plan is a defined contribution 403(b) plan covering substantially all full-time employees of Nichols School of Buffalo (the School). An employee can immediately make salary reduction contributions to the Plan. Participants who attain age 21 and complete three months of service, as defined in the Plan, are eligible to receive employer contributions. The Plan is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).

Contributions:

Participants may elect to contribute up to 100% of pretax annual compensation, as defined in the Plan, provided total additions to the account of participating employees for any plan year shall not exceed the amount permitted by Internal Revenue Service regulations. Additionally, participants age 50 or older may elect to make catch-up contributions. The School provides a contribution of 2% to 6% of a participant's base compensation, based on length of service, as defined by the Plan. To qualify for the contribution, participants must defer at least 2% of their base compensation. Participants may contribute amounts representing distributions from other qualified plans.

Participant Accounts:

Each participant's account is credited with the participant's contribution, the School's contribution, and an allocation of Plan earnings. Allocations are based on participant 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.

Vesting:

Participants are immediately vested in their contributions, the School's contributions, and actual earnings thereon.

Investment Options:

Participants may direct contributions into a variety of registered investment company shares, a pooled separate account, and fixed annuity contracts offered by TIAA-CREF, some of which are proprietary in nature. Participants may change their investment options at any time.

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 percent of their account balance. Loan terms range from 1 year to 5 years. Loans for purposes of purchasing a primary residence may be repaid over a reasonable period greater than 5 years (determined when the loan is initiated). The loans are secured by the vested balance in the participant's account and bear interest at a rate determined by TIAA-CREF. The Plan requires repayments on at least a quarterly basis; however, repayment terms are designated in the loan agreement.

Pursuant to the Plan's arrangement with TIAA-CREF, certain participant loans are issued from TIAA-CREF owned assets, and secured by participant account balances. At June 30, 2025 and 2024, these loan balances totaled \$10,903 and \$16,120. Interest rates on the loans are 5.09%.

Payment of Benefits:

Upon termination of service due to death, disability, or retirement, a participant may elect to receive a lump-sum amount, annual installments or an annuity equal to the participant's vested account balance. When a participant's vested balance is converted to a lifetime annuity, the present value of the stream of payments is equal to the vested balance, and the entire amount is recorded as a payment to the insurance company to purchase annuities excluded from plan assets in the statement of changes in net assets available for benefits. For termination of service due to other reasons, a participant may receive the value of the vested interest in his or her account as a lump-sum distribution.

2. Significant Accounting Policies:

Basis of Accounting:

The financial statements of the Plan are prepared under the accrual method of accounting.

Use of Estimates:

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires the Plan's management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts reported in the financial statements and accompanying notes. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Investment Valuation:

The Plan's investments are stated at fair value except for the fully benefit responsive fixed annuity contracts, which are reported at contract value (see Note 4). Inputs to the valuation methodology of registered investment company shares are unadjusted quoted prices for identical assets in active markets. The pooled separate account is valued based on the net asset value (NAV) per share without further adjustment, as a practical expedient to determine fair value. NAV is based on the aggregate fair values of the underlying investments. Participants may redeem shares at NAV daily, without restriction. The non-benefit responsive fixed annuity contracts are valued based on discounted cash flows and theoretical transfer methods (fair value approximates contract value).

Purchases and sales of securities 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.

Payment of Benefits:

Benefits are recorded when paid.

Administrative Expenses:

Certain administrative expenses of the Plan are borne by the School. Investment fees are paid by the Plan.

Subsequent Events:

The Plan has evaluated events and transactions for potential recognition or disclosure in the financial statements through February 23, 2026 (the date the financial statements were available to be issued).

3. Investments and Fair Value Measurements:

Accounting guidance established a three-level fair value hierarchy that prioritizes the inputs used to measure assets at fair value. Inputs refer broadly to the assumptions that market participants would use in pricing the asset, including assumptions about risk. Inputs may be observable or unobservable. Observable inputs are inputs that reflect the assumptions market participants would use in pricing the asset and are based on market data obtained from sources independent of the reporting entity. Unobservable inputs are inputs that reflect the reporting entity's own perceptions about the assumptions market participants would use in pricing the asset and are based on the best information available.

The three levels of fair value hierarchy are as follows:

Level 1 – Quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities that the Plan has the ability to access on the reporting date.

Level 2 – Inputs other than quoted market prices included in Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly or indirectly. If the asset or liability has a specific (contractual) term, a Level 2 input must be observable for substantially the full term of the asset or liability.

Level 3 – Inputs that are unobservable for the asset or liability.

The fair value hierarchy gives the highest priority to Level 1 inputs and the lowest priority to Level 3 inputs.

The Plan uses NAV per share (or its equivalent) as a practical expedient to determine the fair value of investments that (i) do not have a readily determinable fair value predicated upon quoted prices in active markets, and (ii) have the attributes of an investment company or prepare their financial statements consistent with the measurement principles of an investment company.

The fair values of investment assets valued at fair value are determined as follows as of June 30, 2025 and 2024:

	Based on		
	Level 1	Level 3	NAV
2025			
Registered investment company shares	\$ 32,226,421	\$ -	\$ -
Non-benefit responsive fixed annuity contracts	-	10,509,766	-
Pooled separate account	-	-	1,242,445
	<u>\$ 32,226,421</u>	<u>\$ 10,509,766</u>	<u>\$ 1,242,445</u>

2024	Based on		
	Level 1	Level 3	NAV
Registered investment company shares	\$ 29,891,343	\$ -	-
Non-benefit responsive fixed annuity contracts	-	10,312,892	-
Pooled separate account	-	-	1,292,198
	<u>\$ 29,891,343</u>	<u>\$ 10,312,892</u>	<u>\$ 1,292,198</u>

Level 3 investment purchases for 2025 totaled \$544,234.

4. Fully Benefit-Responsive Investment Contracts:

The Plan maintains fully benefit-responsive fixed annuity contracts with TIAA-CREF. TIAA-CREF maintains the contributions in its general account. The account is credited with earnings on the underlying investments and charged for participant withdrawals and administrative expenses. The contract issuer is contractually obligated to repay the principal and a specified interest rate that is guaranteed to the Plan.

Because the fixed annuity contracts are fully benefit-responsive, contract value is the relevant measurement attribute for that portion of the net assets available for benefits attributable to the fixed annuity contracts. Contract value, as reported to the Plan by TIAA-CREF, represents contributions made under the contract, plus earnings, less participant withdrawals and administrative expenses. Participants may ordinarily direct the withdrawal or transfer of all or a portion of their investment at contract value.

There are no reserves against contract value for credit risk of the contract issuer or otherwise. The crediting interest rate is based on a formula agreed upon with the issuer, but it may not be less than three percent. Such interest rates are reviewed on a monthly basis for resetting.

Certain events limit the ability of the Plan to transact at contract value with the issuer. Such events include the following: (1) amendments to the plan documents (including complete or partial plan termination or merger with another plan), (2) changes to the Plan's prohibition on competing investment options or deletion of equity wash provisions, (3) bankruptcy of the plan sponsor or other plan sponsor events that cause a significant withdrawal from the Plan, (4) the failure of the Plan to qualify for exemption from federal income taxes or any required prohibited transaction exemption under ERISA, or (5) premature termination of the contract(s). The plan administrator does not believe that any events which would limit the Plan's ability to transact at contract value with participants are probable of occurring.

The fully benefit-responsive fixed annuity contracts do not permit the insurance company to terminate the agreement prior to the scheduled maturity date.

5. Financial Information Certified by TIAA-CREF:

In accordance with Department of Labor Regulation 2520.103-8, the plan administrator has obtained certified "Statements of Account" from TIAA-CREF as of June 30, 2025 and 2024, and for the year ended June 30, 2025, that the information summarized below is complete and accurate:

- Statements of Net Assets Available for Benefits – Investments and notes receivable from participants.
- Statement of Changes in Net Assets Available for Benefits – Investment income and interest income on notes receivable from participants.
- Supplemental Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year) – all items.

6. Income Taxes:

The Internal Revenue Service has issued a favorable opinion letter regarding the tax-exempt status of the Plan. Accordingly, no provision has been made for income taxes.

7. Plan Termination:

Although it has not expressed any intent to do so, the School has the right under the Plan to discontinue its contributions at any time and to terminate the Plan subject to the provisions of ERISA.

8. Risks and Uncertainties:

The Plan invests in various investment securities. Investment securities are exposed to 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.

NICHOLS SCHOOL TIAA-CREF RETIREMENT PLAN

EIN: 16-0755808
Plan Number 002
Additional Information - Schedule H, line 4i
Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year)

June 30, 2025

(a) (b)(c) Issue and Description	(e) Current Value
Registered Investment Company Shares:	
* CREF Stock R1	\$ 7,685,644
Nuveen Lifecycle 2040 R6	2,119,402
Nuveen Lifecycle 2030 R6	1,714,623
* CREF Growth R1	1,624,026
Nuveen S&P 500 Index R6	1,485,855
Nuveen Lifecycle 2035 R6	1,389,304
MFS Intl Diversification CI R6	1,292,574
* CREF Global Equities R1	1,209,251
* TIAA Access Nuv LifCyc 2025 T3	986,310
* CREF Equity Index R1	814,068
Nuveen Lifecycle 2045 R6	801,264
* TIAA Access Nuv Intl Eq Idx T3	782,188
Nuveen Lifecycle 2050 R6	778,674
Putnam Large Cap Value Fund R6	743,727
* TIAA Access Nuv Lg Cp VI Ix T3	611,221
JPMorgan Large Cap Growth R6	579,314
* CREF Social Choice R1	528,666
Columbia Mid Cap Index Inst2	502,805
Nuveen Lifecycle 2025 R6	438,106
* TIAA Access Nuv LifCyc 2030 T3	428,406
* TIAA Access Nuv Qt Sm Cp Eq T3	350,187
* CREF Inflation-Linked Bond R1	319,962
* TIAA Access Nuv LgCp Res Eq T3	273,962
MFS Mid Cap Value Class R6	271,806
* CREF Core Bond R1	254,671
* TIAA Access Nuv LifCyc 2040 T3	252,530
* TIAA Access Nuv S&P 500 Idx T3	244,283
BlackRock High Yield Bd Instl	230,156
Nuveen Lifecycle 2020 R6	226,061
Nuveen Bond Index R6	212,109
* TIAA Access Nuv Core Equity T3	206,325
American Century Real Esta R6	200,485
* TIAA Access Nuv Sm Cp Bl Ix T3	199,085
* TIAA Access Nuv Core Pl Bd T3	196,951
* TIAA Access WstAst Cr Pl Bd T3	194,100
* TIAA Access Nuv REstSecSel T3	193,327
Baird Aggregate Bond Inv	161,923
Nuveen Lifecycle 2055 R6	159,389

NICHOLS SCHOOL TIAA-CREF RETIREMENT PLAN

EIN: 16-0755808
Plan Number 002
Additional Information - Schedule H, line 4i
Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year), continued

June 30, 2025

(a) (b)(c) Issue and Description	(e) Current Value
Registered Investment Company Shares, continued	
* TIAA Access Nuv High Yield T3	158,978
Nuveen Lifecycle 2060 R6	154,430
* TIAA Access Nuv Mid Cap Val T3	153,357
* TIAA Access Nuv LifCyc 2045 T3	144,610
* TIAA Access Nuv Lrg Cap Val T3	124,476
Nuveen Small Cap Bld Idx R6	109,596
Carillon Eagle Mid Cap Grw R6	108,142
* TIAA Access Nuv Intl Equity T3	105,243
* TIAA Access Nuv LifCyc 2035 T3	98,562
* TIAA Access Nuv LifCyc 2050 T3	91,917
PIMCO RAE US Small Instl Class	63,253
* CREF Money Market R1	42,488
Principal Small Cap Grwth I R6	37,485
* TIAA Access Nuv LifCyc 2020 T3	32,349
Nuveen Lifecycle 2015 R6	31,309
* TIAA Access Nuv Equity Idx T3	25,503
* TIAA Access Nuv Lg Cp Gr Ix T3	20,205
Nuveen Lifecycle 2065 R6	15,024
* TIAA Access Nuv Qnt MdCpGrw T3	13,848
* TIAA Access Nuv Short Tm Bd T3	12,662
* TIAA Access Nuv LifCyc 2010 T3	11,622
* TIAA Access Nuv LifCyc 2015 T3	5,504
Nuveen Lifecycle 2010 R6	2,582
* TIAA Access Nuv Lrg Cap Gr T3	536
	<u>32,226,421</u>
* TIAA-CREF Fixed Annuity Contracts:	
TIAA Traditional Non-Benefit Responsive	10,509,766
TIAA Traditional Benefit Responsive	679,439
TIAA Stable Value	454,435
	<u>11,643,640</u>
* TIAA-CREF Pooled Separate Account:	
TIAA Real Estate	1,242,445
* Notes receivable from participants (8.50% - 9.50%)	107,716
	<u>\$ 45,220,222</u>

* These investments are with parties-in-interest.

**NICHOLS SCHOOL TIAA-CREF
RETIREMENT PLAN**

**FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
WITH ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

June 30, 2025

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

The Plan Administrator
Nichols School TIAA-CREF Retirement Plan

Scope and Nature of the ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) Audit

We have performed audits of the financial statements of Nichols School TIAA-CREF Retirement Plan (the 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 statements of net assets available for benefits as of June 30, 2025 and 2024, and the related statement of changes in net assets available for benefits for the year ended June 30, 2025, and the related notes to the financial statements.

Management, having determined it is permissible in the circumstances, has elected to have the audits of the Plan's 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 audits 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 certifications from a qualified institution as of June 30, 2025 and 2024, and for the year ended June 30, 2025, stating that the certified investment information, as described in Note 5 to the financial statements, is complete and accurate.

Opinion

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

- The amounts and disclosures in the accompanying 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 (GAAP).
- The information in the accompanying 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

We conducted our audits 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 Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of the Plan and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audits. 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 Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with GAAP, 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 the Plan's ability to continue as a going concern for one year after the date that 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 Financial Statements

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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 the 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 the Plan's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

Our audits did not extend to the certified investment information, except for obtaining and reading the certifications, comparing the certified investment information with the related information presented and disclosed in the 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 GAAP.

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 GAAP.

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.

Additional Information

Supplemental Schedule Required by ERISA

The supplemental schedule of assets (held at end of year) 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, are 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).

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Lumsden & McCormick, LLP". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

February 23, 2026

NICHOLS SCHOOL TIAA-CREF RETIREMENT PLAN

Statements of Net Assets Available for Benefits

June 30,	2025	2024
Investments:		
At fair value (Note 3):		
Registered investment company shares	\$ 32,226,421	\$ 29,891,343
Fixed annuity contracts	10,509,766	10,312,892
Pooled separate account	1,242,445	1,292,198
	43,978,632	41,496,433
At contract value:		
Fully benefit responsive investment contracts (Note 4)	1,133,874	1,012,194
	45,112,506	42,508,627
Receivables:		
Employer contributions	-	1,309
Participant contributions	-	883
Notes receivable from participants	107,716	60,255
	107,716	62,447
Net assets available for benefits	\$ 45,220,222	\$ 42,571,074

NICHOLS SCHOOL TIAA-CREF RETIREMENT PLAN

Statement of Changes in Net Assets Available for Benefits

For the year ended June 30, 2025

Additions to net assets attributed to:

Investment income:

Net appreciation in fair value of registered investment company shares	\$ 3,097,413
Net appreciation in fair value of pooled separate account	25,283
Dividends	557,778
Interest	490,530
	<u>4,171,004</u>

Interest income on notes receivable from participants	6,406
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Contributions:

Employer	433,327
Participant (includes rollovers from other qualified plans)	819,935
	<u>1,253,262</u>

Other income	<u>52,126</u>
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Total additions	<u>5,482,798</u>
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Deductions from net assets attributed to:

Benefits paid to participants	2,592,315
Payments to insurance company to purchase annuities excluded from plan assets	225,656
Administrative expenses	15,679
	<u>2,833,650</u>

Total deductions	<u>2,833,650</u>
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Net change	2,649,148
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Net assets available for benefits:

Beginning	<u>42,571,074</u>
Ending	<u>\$ 45,220,222</u>

Notes to Financial Statements

1. Description of Plan:

The following brief description of Nichols School TIAA-CREF Retirement Plan (the Plan) is provided for general information purposes only. For more complete information, participants should refer to the text of the Plan document.

General:

The Plan is a defined contribution 403(b) plan covering substantially all full-time employees of Nichols School of Buffalo (the School). An employee can immediately make salary reduction contributions to the Plan. Participants who attain age 21 and complete three months of service, as defined in the Plan, are eligible to receive employer contributions. The Plan is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).

Contributions:

Participants may elect to contribute up to 100% of pretax annual compensation, as defined in the Plan, provided total additions to the account of participating employees for any plan year shall not exceed the amount permitted by Internal Revenue Service regulations. Additionally, participants age 50 or older may elect to make catch-up contributions. The School provides a contribution of 2% to 6% of a participant's base compensation, based on length of service, as defined by the Plan. To qualify for the contribution, participants must defer at least 2% of their base compensation. Participants may contribute amounts representing distributions from other qualified plans.

Participant Accounts:

Each participant's account is credited with the participant's contribution, the School's contribution, and an allocation of Plan earnings. Allocations are based on participant 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.

Vesting:

Participants are immediately vested in their contributions, the School's contributions, and actual earnings thereon.

Investment Options:

Participants may direct contributions into a variety of registered investment company shares, a pooled separate account, and fixed annuity contracts offered by TIAA-CREF, some of which are proprietary in nature. Participants may change their investment options at any time.

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 percent of their account balance. Loan terms range from 1 year to 5 years. Loans for purposes of purchasing a primary residence may be repaid over a reasonable period greater than 5 years (determined when the loan is initiated). The loans are secured by the vested balance in the participant's account and bear interest at a rate determined by TIAA-CREF. The Plan requires repayments on at least a quarterly basis; however, repayment terms are designated in the loan agreement.

Pursuant to the Plan's arrangement with TIAA-CREF, certain participant loans are issued from TIAA-CREF owned assets, and secured by participant account balances. At June 30, 2025 and 2024, these loan balances totaled \$10,903 and \$16,120. Interest rates on the loans are 5.09%.

Payment of Benefits:

Upon termination of service due to death, disability, or retirement, a participant may elect to receive a lump-sum amount, annual installments or an annuity equal to the participant's vested account balance. When a participant's vested balance is converted to a lifetime annuity, the present value of the stream of payments is equal to the vested balance, and the entire amount is recorded as a payment to the insurance company to purchase annuities excluded from plan assets in the statement of changes in net assets available for benefits. For termination of service due to other reasons, a participant may receive the value of the vested interest in his or her account as a lump-sum distribution.

2. Significant Accounting Policies:

Basis of Accounting:

The financial statements of the Plan are prepared under the accrual method of accounting.

Use of Estimates:

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires the Plan's management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts reported in the financial statements and accompanying notes. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Investment Valuation:

The Plan's investments are stated at fair value except for the fully benefit responsive fixed annuity contracts, which are reported at contract value (see Note 4). Inputs to the valuation methodology of registered investment company shares are unadjusted quoted prices for identical assets in active markets. The pooled separate account is valued based on the net asset value (NAV) per share without further adjustment, as a practical expedient to determine fair value. NAV is based on the aggregate fair values of the underlying investments. Participants may redeem shares at NAV daily, without restriction. The non-benefit responsive fixed annuity contracts are valued based on discounted cash flows and theoretical transfer methods (fair value approximates contract value).

Purchases and sales of securities 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.

Payment of Benefits:

Benefits are recorded when paid.

Administrative Expenses:

Certain administrative expenses of the Plan are borne by the School. Investment fees are paid by the Plan.

Subsequent Events:

The Plan has evaluated events and transactions for potential recognition or disclosure in the financial statements through February 23, 2026 (the date the financial statements were available to be issued).

3. Investments and Fair Value Measurements:

Accounting guidance established a three-level fair value hierarchy that prioritizes the inputs used to measure assets at fair value. Inputs refer broadly to the assumptions that market participants would use in pricing the asset, including assumptions about risk. Inputs may be observable or unobservable. Observable inputs are inputs that reflect the assumptions market participants would use in pricing the asset and are based on market data obtained from sources independent of the reporting entity. Unobservable inputs are inputs that reflect the reporting entity's own perceptions about the assumptions market participants would use in pricing the asset and are based on the best information available.

The three levels of fair value hierarchy are as follows:

Level 1 – Quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities that the Plan has the ability to access on the reporting date.

Level 2 – Inputs other than quoted market prices included in Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly or indirectly. If the asset or liability has a specific (contractual) term, a Level 2 input must be observable for substantially the full term of the asset or liability.

Level 3 – Inputs that are unobservable for the asset or liability.

The fair value hierarchy gives the highest priority to Level 1 inputs and the lowest priority to Level 3 inputs.

The Plan uses NAV per share (or its equivalent) as a practical expedient to determine the fair value of investments that (i) do not have a readily determinable fair value predicated upon quoted prices in active markets, and (ii) have the attributes of an investment company or prepare their financial statements consistent with the measurement principles of an investment company.

The fair values of investment assets valued at fair value are determined as follows as of June 30, 2025 and 2024:

	Based on		
	Level 1	Level 3	NAV
2025			
Registered investment company shares	\$ 32,226,421	\$ -	\$ -
Non-benefit responsive fixed annuity contracts	-	10,509,766	-
Pooled separate account	-	-	1,242,445
	<u>\$ 32,226,421</u>	<u>\$ 10,509,766</u>	<u>\$ 1,242,445</u>

2024	Based on		
	Level 1	Level 3	NAV
Registered investment company shares	\$ 29,891,343	\$ -	-
Non-benefit responsive fixed annuity contracts	-	10,312,892	-
Pooled separate account	-	-	1,292,198
	<u>\$ 29,891,343</u>	<u>\$ 10,312,892</u>	<u>\$ 1,292,198</u>

Level 3 investment purchases for 2025 totaled \$544,234.

4. Fully Benefit-Responsive Investment Contracts:

The Plan maintains fully benefit-responsive fixed annuity contracts with TIAA-CREF. TIAA-CREF maintains the contributions in its general account. The account is credited with earnings on the underlying investments and charged for participant withdrawals and administrative expenses. The contract issuer is contractually obligated to repay the principal and a specified interest rate that is guaranteed to the Plan.

Because the fixed annuity contracts are fully benefit-responsive, contract value is the relevant measurement attribute for that portion of the net assets available for benefits attributable to the fixed annuity contracts. Contract value, as reported to the Plan by TIAA-CREF, represents contributions made under the contract, plus earnings, less participant withdrawals and administrative expenses. Participants may ordinarily direct the withdrawal or transfer of all or a portion of their investment at contract value.

There are no reserves against contract value for credit risk of the contract issuer or otherwise. The crediting interest rate is based on a formula agreed upon with the issuer, but it may not be less than three percent. Such interest rates are reviewed on a monthly basis for resetting.

Certain events limit the ability of the Plan to transact at contract value with the issuer. Such events include the following: (1) amendments to the plan documents (including complete or partial plan termination or merger with another plan), (2) changes to the Plan's prohibition on competing investment options or deletion of equity wash provisions, (3) bankruptcy of the plan sponsor or other plan sponsor events that cause a significant withdrawal from the Plan, (4) the failure of the Plan to qualify for exemption from federal income taxes or any required prohibited transaction exemption under ERISA, or (5) premature termination of the contract(s). The plan administrator does not believe that any events which would limit the Plan's ability to transact at contract value with participants are probable of occurring.

The fully benefit-responsive fixed annuity contracts do not permit the insurance company to terminate the agreement prior to the scheduled maturity date.

5. Financial Information Certified by TIAA-CREF:

In accordance with Department of Labor Regulation 2520.103-8, the plan administrator has obtained certified "Statements of Account" from TIAA-CREF as of June 30, 2025 and 2024, and for the year ended June 30, 2025, that the information summarized below is complete and accurate:

- Statements of Net Assets Available for Benefits – Investments and notes receivable from participants.
- Statement of Changes in Net Assets Available for Benefits – Investment income and interest income on notes receivable from participants.
- Supplemental Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year) – all items.

6. Income Taxes:

The Internal Revenue Service has issued a favorable opinion letter regarding the tax-exempt status of the Plan. Accordingly, no provision has been made for income taxes.

7. Plan Termination:

Although it has not expressed any intent to do so, the School has the right under the Plan to discontinue its contributions at any time and to terminate the Plan subject to the provisions of ERISA.

8. Risks and Uncertainties:

The Plan invests in various investment securities. Investment securities are exposed to 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.

NICHOLS SCHOOL TIAA-CREF RETIREMENT PLAN

EIN: 16-0755808
Plan Number 002
Additional Information - Schedule H, line 4i
Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year)

June 30, 2025

(a) (b)(c) Issue and Description	(e) Current Value
Registered Investment Company Shares:	
* CREF Stock R1	\$ 7,685,644
Nuveen Lifecycle 2040 R6	2,119,402
Nuveen Lifecycle 2030 R6	1,714,623
* CREF Growth R1	1,624,026
Nuveen S&P 500 Index R6	1,485,855
Nuveen Lifecycle 2035 R6	1,389,304
MFS Intl Diversification CI R6	1,292,574
* CREF Global Equities R1	1,209,251
* TIAA Access Nuv LifCyc 2025 T3	986,310
* CREF Equity Index R1	814,068
Nuveen Lifecycle 2045 R6	801,264
* TIAA Access Nuv Intl Eq Idx T3	782,188
Nuveen Lifecycle 2050 R6	778,674
Putnam Large Cap Value Fund R6	743,727
* TIAA Access Nuv Lg Cp VI Ix T3	611,221
JPMorgan Large Cap Growth R6	579,314
* CREF Social Choice R1	528,666
Columbia Mid Cap Index Inst2	502,805
Nuveen Lifecycle 2025 R6	438,106
* TIAA Access Nuv LifCyc 2030 T3	428,406
* TIAA Access Nuv Qt Sm Cp Eq T3	350,187
* CREF Inflation-Linked Bond R1	319,962
* TIAA Access Nuv LgCp Res Eq T3	273,962
MFS Mid Cap Value Class R6	271,806
* CREF Core Bond R1	254,671
* TIAA Access Nuv LifCyc 2040 T3	252,530
* TIAA Access Nuv S&P 500 Idx T3	244,283
BlackRock High Yield Bd Instl	230,156
Nuveen Lifecycle 2020 R6	226,061
Nuveen Bond Index R6	212,109
* TIAA Access Nuv Core Equity T3	206,325
American Century Real Esta R6	200,485
* TIAA Access Nuv Sm Cp Bl Ix T3	199,085
* TIAA Access Nuv Core Pl Bd T3	196,951
* TIAA Access WstAst Cr Pl Bd T3	194,100
* TIAA Access Nuv REstSecSel T3	193,327
Baird Aggregate Bond Inv	161,923
Nuveen Lifecycle 2055 R6	159,389

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Plan Number 002
Additional Information - Schedule H, line 4i
Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year), continued

June 30, 2025

(a) (b)(c) Issue and Description	(e) Current Value
Registered Investment Company Shares, continued	
* TIAA Access Nuv High Yield T3	158,978
Nuveen Lifecycle 2060 R6	154,430
* TIAA Access Nuv Mid Cap Val T3	153,357
* TIAA Access Nuv LifCyc 2045 T3	144,610
* TIAA Access Nuv Lrg Cap Val T3	124,476
Nuveen Small Cap Bld Idx R6	109,596
Carillon Eagle Mid Cap Grw R6	108,142
* TIAA Access Nuv Intl Equity T3	105,243
* TIAA Access Nuv LifCyc 2035 T3	98,562
* TIAA Access Nuv LifCyc 2050 T3	91,917
PIMCO RAE US Small Instl Class	63,253
* CREF Money Market R1	42,488
Principal Small Cap Grwth I R6	37,485
* TIAA Access Nuv LifCyc 2020 T3	32,349
Nuveen Lifecycle 2015 R6	31,309
* TIAA Access Nuv Equity Idx T3	25,503
* TIAA Access Nuv Lg Cp Gr Ix T3	20,205
Nuveen Lifecycle 2065 R6	15,024
* TIAA Access Nuv Qnt MdCpGrw T3	13,848
* TIAA Access Nuv Short Tm Bd T3	12,662
* TIAA Access Nuv LifCyc 2010 T3	11,622
* TIAA Access Nuv LifCyc 2015 T3	5,504
Nuveen Lifecycle 2010 R6	2,582
* TIAA Access Nuv Lrg Cap Gr T3	536
	<u>32,226,421</u>
* TIAA-CREF Fixed Annuity Contracts:	
TIAA Traditional Non-Benefit Responsive	10,509,766
TIAA Traditional Benefit Responsive	679,439
TIAA Stable Value	454,435
	<u>11,643,640</u>
* TIAA-CREF Pooled Separate Account:	
TIAA Real Estate	1,242,445
* Notes receivable from participants (8.50% - 9.50%)	107,716
	<u>\$ 45,220,222</u>

* These investments are with parties-in-interest.