FY 2023 Application for Approval of New Online Community School Scoring Summary: Pathfinder Academy

Application Component	Points Earned	Points Possible
Section A: Proposed School Information	8	8
Section B: Sponsor's Experience with Community and Internet- or Computer- Based Community School(s)	17	20
Section C: Operator's Experience with Community/Public Charter and Internet- or Computer-Based Community School(s)	17	20
Section D: Sponsor's Schools' Records of Academic Performance	7	18
Section E: Operator's Affiliated Schools' Records of Academic Performance	7	18
Section F: Alignment to iNACOL National Standards for Quality Online Programs	12	16
Section G: Preference for Operators with Previous Experience in Ohio		
Total Points	68	100

The Department requires applicants to earn at least 66% of the total possible points.

The application is approved.

Comments:

- Personnel employed by the sponsor and operator, particularly the operator, have significant experience working with and in online schools.
- Sponsor has experience with several Ohio online community schools.
- Self-survey assessment of alignment to iNacol standards demonstrated commitment to quality standards.
- Sponsor and operator meet minimum academic performance necessary to earn points.