## **New School Application Addendum**



South Carolina law allows each school, with its authorizer's approval, to request designation as an Alternative Education Campus (AEC). AECs are defined as schools that have a specialized mission and serve either a special need and/or an at-risk population, where more than 50% of students have either an Individualized Education Program (IEP) or 85% of students meet the definition of a high-risk student.

## **AEC Programming**

- Identify the particular high-risk student population or populations your school will be focused on serving. Be sure your application specifically addresses how your recruitment and marketing will reach the high-risk student populations required for designation.
- Describe how the proposed model is scalable, measurable, and sustainable at its proposed size, and with consideration of any independent or wraparound supports and services.
- Include goals and objectives to supplement your application goals that specifically address evaluation of student engagement.
- Detail how the proposed model will address student transition and/or student readiness for post-completion activity and success.

 Provide evidence of compliance with requirements related to the establishment of an AEC in accordance with Section 59-40-111. Additional state information can be found here: https:// ed.sc.gov/districts-schools/studentintervention-services/alternativeschools/.