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Another Banner Year: Oakmont Education's 2024–25 Year-End Recap

As the 2024–25 school year comes to a close, Oakmont Education is proud to reflect on a year defined by record-breaking student success, strategic expansion, and significant milestones across our network.

We celebrated our **highest number of graduates ever—1,309 students**, up from 1,203 the previous year. We also reached an **all-time high in enrollment with 5,591 students**, a strong testament to the trust families continue to place in our schools.

This year marked our **first full year operating in lowa**, where we launched the state's first-ever drop-out recovery charter school and proudly celebrated **12 inaugural graduates**.

Building on this momentum, we received approval to open **two additional charters in lowa for the 2026–27 school year**.

Our commitment to quality and accountability was reaffirmed with the successful renewal of **three charter contracts**, in Ohio ensuring continued excellence and stability for our school communities.

On the innovation front, we expanded our reach with the opening of Steel City High School in Lorain, Ohio, a new standalone charter school that graduated its first 15 students this spring. In August, we will open Banyan High School in Cincinnati, our first drop-out recovery school in the city. We were also selected by the Muskegon Covenant Academy School Board to take over school management beginning in the 2025–26 school year.

We are also proud to announce that Great Oaks High School, Liberty High School, Towpath Trail High School, and YouthBuild Columbus Community School were collectively awarded a \$1.5 million YouthBuild Grant to support workforce development initiatives.











Meanwhile, Oakmont Education's elementary school division, Forrester Education, earned a \$1.4 million literacy grant and successfully opened its first satellite campus—Orchard Park Academy Akron in Kenmore, Ohio—bringing a fully remodeled, student-ready facility to life.

Each of these achievements reflects the dedication of our students, families, staff, and partners. As we look ahead to another year of growth and impact, we remain committed to empowering learners of all ages with opportunity, support, and a pathway to success.



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