

Upper Carmen Public Charter School, Inc.

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APPLICATION

Today's Date: _____

Child's Legal Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Gender: **M** **F**

Father's Name: _____

Mother's Name: _____

Guardian's Name: _____

Brothers: _____

Sisters: _____

Ages: _____

Ages: _____

Entering Grade: **K** **1** **2** **3** **4** **5** **6** **7** **8**

E-mail Address: _____

Home Physical Address: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Home Phone Number: _____ Cell Phone Number: _____

Father's Employer: _____ Phone number: _____

Mother's Employer: _____ Phone number: _____

Emergency Contact: _____ Relationship: _____

Phone number: _____

Reason for attending Upper Carmen Public Charter School: _____



Upper Carmen Public Charter School's mission is to develop each student to their greatest potential, academically, socially, and emotionally. Successful students emulate ethics of confidence, productivity, and responsibility. A foundation of success in the primary grades sets the course for continued growth.

Upper Carmen Public Charter School is a kindergarten through 8th grade elementary, multi-grade school. Students will work at their own ability level, with set goals and expectations. Sue Smith has written the Charter and it has been approved by the State Department of Education, State Board of Education and accepted by the Salmon School Board. Upper Carmen Public Charter School offers parents a choice in public education.

A public charter school in Idaho is a public school authorized by Chapter 52, Title 33, of Idaho Code. Public charter schools are nonprofit, publicly funded and nonsectarian. They operate independently within the existing public school system governed by the conditions of an approved charter and all applicable federal and state laws. In a charter school, each student, parent and teacher chooses to be there. Because they are public schools, there is no tuition.

Upper Carmen Public Charter School's philosophy is that academic excellence is based on the foundation of reading. Readers have the skill to do well in all other academic genre. Reading is the core of all academic success. The Bethtommy Read to Read, reading method, stimulates fluent communicators to transition from speech into reading.

Upper Carmen Public Charter School will incorporate music into academic learning. Music is an unique discipline through which students become more aesthetically sensitive. It allows them to experience, express, expand and apply knowledge in the three domains of learning: cognitive, affective and psycho-motor. The primary value of Music Education is to improve the quality of life through enriching students' experience of human feeling and the development of their capacities to participate fully in their musical culture.

Upper Carmen Public Charter School will teach a complete state approved curriculum. Students at Upper Carmen Public Charter School will take all the required state testing.

Upper Carmen Public Charter School complies with Section 504 and Individuals With Disabilities Education Act (IDEA).

Parents of students who attend Upper Carmen Public Charter School are encouraged to be involved at many levels. Parents bring an in-depth understanding of their children's personalities, learning styles, and strength and weakness. This understanding will be central to the creation of personalized individual learning.

Upper Carmen Public Charter School is located five miles up Carmen Creek Road. Upper Carmen Public Charter School offers public transportation. Lunch and snack are the responsibility of the parents. Upper Carmen will run a four-day week, Monday through Thursday with full day Kindergarten. Upper Carmen will be staffed with highly qualified, state certified teachers and teacher's assistants.

Application deadline is on April 15th, at which time students will be chosen through a lottery drawing. For further information or application, please contact Sue Smith at (208) 756-4590.