

**How You Can Respond to Louisiana's Call to Action:**

Opportunities	Districts	Organizations	Individuals	Nonpublic Schools
<b>Charter School</b>	Partner with the Department to help support your District's charter application process in spring 2014; Submit a Type 4 charter application by Mar. 7 <sup>th</sup> , 2014.	Submit a charter school application by Mar. 7 <sup>th</sup> , 2014.	Submit a charter school application by Mar. 7 <sup>th</sup> , 2014.	
<b>Leadership Development</b>	Submit a Believe and Succeed application to develop leaders by Mar. 7 <sup>th</sup> , 2014. Provide leader apprenticeship and development opportunities by Mar. 7 <sup>th</sup> , 2014.	Submit a Believe and Succeed application to develop leaders by Mar. 7 <sup>th</sup> , 2014. Provide leader apprenticeship and development opportunities by Mar. 7 <sup>th</sup> , 2014.	Submit a Believe and Succeed application to pursue a leadership development opportunity by Mar. 7 <sup>th</sup> , 2014.	
<b>School Turnaround Strategies</b>	Submit a Believe and Succeed application by Mar. 7 <sup>th</sup> , 2014.	Support a district Believe and Succeed application by providing matching funds or in-kind support.		
<b>Career and Technical Education Focused Charter Schools</b>		Submit a charter school application with a Career and Technical Education Focus by Mar. 7 <sup>th</sup> , 2014.	Submit a charter school application with a Career and Technical Education Focus by Mar. 7 <sup>th</sup> , 2014.	
<b>Scholarship Programs</b>		Start a School Tuition Organization.		Submit a Notice of Intent to Participate in Winter 2013.
<b>Expand Access to Early Childhood Education</b>	Apply to participate in the next round of Early Childhood Education pilot programs in winter 2013	Submit a charter school application with a Pre-K component by Mar. 7 <sup>th</sup> , 2014. Apply for Early Childhood Education funding in winter 2013. Apply to start a Child Care Center.	Submit a charter school application with a Pre-K component by Mar. 7 <sup>th</sup> , 2014. Apply for Early Childhood Education funding in winter 2013. Apply to start a Child Care Center.	Apply to participate in the Nonpublic Schools Early Childhood Development Program (NSECD) in winter 2013.
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