



# Indiana Department of Education

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Dr. Katie Jenner, Secretary of Education

**To:** Indiana State Board of Education  
**From:** Office of School Accountability  
**Date:** August 30, 2023  
**Subject:** Accreditation Petition for Israel School of Excellence Prep

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This memorandum provides a summary of the information provided by the school in its petition for performance-based accreditation and the final recommendation from the Indiana Department of Education (Department) regarding the accreditation of Israel School of Excellence Prep.

## **Background & Demographic Information**

Israel School of Excellence Prep is an offshoot of Israel School of Excellence, a state accredited school that has been in existence since 2019. Israel School of Excellence, originally accredited as a K-12 school, now seeks to split grades 6-12 off to the Israel School of Excellence Prep. The school buildings are not located adjacent to each other.

## **Department Recommendation**

Since Israel School of Excellence Prep is an offshoot of a school that has been in operation for the last five school years, with their enrollment growing at a reasonable pace, the Department recommends extending accreditation to Israel School of Excellence Prep.