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July 15, 2022

USD 429 Board of Education  
Mr. Patrick McKernan, Superintendent  
USD 429  
230 W Poplar St.  
Troy, KS 66087-0190

Dear Superintendent Mr. Patrick McKernan and USD 429 Board of Education:

I am pleased to announce that the Kansas State Board of Education voted July 12, 2022, to grant USD 429 Troy the status of Accredited. This status is effective July 1, 2022 through June 30, 2027, or until/unless changed by action of the State Board of Education.

Regulations require each system (district) be assigned an accreditation status based upon the extent to which it has met the criteria established by the State Board of Education.

Receiving the "Accredited" status indicates that USD 429 Troy is effectively serving the needs of its students by demonstrating a focus on the success of each student.

On behalf of the State Board of Education, I want to thank you and the many excellent educators in the district for working to ensure that each child has a path toward success after graduation.

If there are any questions regarding accreditation status or this letter, please contact our accreditation staff at [accreditation@ksde.org](mailto:accreditation@ksde.org) or 785-296-4948.

Once again, congratulations on this outstanding accomplishment.

Sincerely,

Dr. Randy Watson  
Commissioner  
Kansas State Department of Education

Cc: Mrs. Nikia Weber, Board President

# CERTIFICATE OF ACCREDITATION

is awarded to

## USD #429 Troy Public Schools

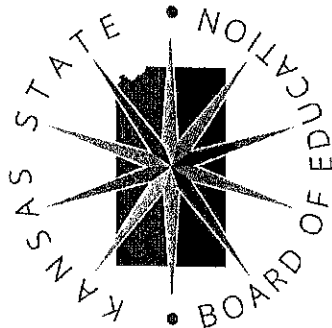
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### Certificate of Accreditation

for successfully completing the requirements for the status of Accredited in the Kansas Education System Accreditation, as granted by Kansas State Board of Education in regular session July 12, 2022. This status shall remain in effect until/unless changed by action of the Kansas State Board of Education.

**Effective**

**July 1, 2022 - June 30, 2027**



Jim Porter, Chairman  
Kansas State Board of Education

Dr. Randy Watson  
Kansas Commissioner of Education

*Kansas leads the world in the success of each student.*