

April 26, 2022

Lindley Academy Charter School At Birney  
900 Lindley Avenue  
Philadelphia, PA 19141

Dear Margery,

Enclosed are the following income tax returns prepared on behalf of Lindley Academy Charter School At Birney for the year ended June 30, 2021.

- 2020 990 - Return of Organization Exempt from Income Tax
- 2020 8879-EO - IRS E-file Signature Authorization Form
- 2020 Schedule A - Public Charity Status and Public Support
- 2020 Schedule B - Schedule of Contributors
- 2020 Schedule D - Supplemental Financial Statements
- 2020 Schedule E - Schools
- 2020 Schedule J - Compensation Information
- 2020 Schedule O - Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990EZ

The original of each of the above mentioned returns should be dated and signed in accordance with the following instructions included with the copy of the return. This copy is for your use and should be retained for your files.

These return(s) were prepared from information provided by you or your representative. The preparation of tax returns does not include the independent verification of information used. Therefore, we recommend you review the return(s) before signing to ensure there are no omissions or misstatements. If you note anything which may require a change to the return(s), please contact us before filing them.

We appreciate this opportunity to serve you. Please contact us if you have any questions or if we may be of further assistance.

Sincerely,

WITHUMSMITH+BROWN, PC

Enclosures

Lindley Academy Charter School At Birney  
Instructions for Filing  
Form 8879-EO  
IRS e-file Signature Authorization for Form 990  
For the year ended June 30, 2021

The original IRS E-file Signature Authorization form should be signed (use full name) and dated by an authorized officer of the organization.

Return your signed IRS e-file Signature Authorization Form 8879-EO to:

WITHUMSMITH+BROWN, PC  
1835 MARKET STREET, SUITE 1710  
PHILADELPHIA PA 19103-2945

or Fax to: 732-321-2002  
Attn: ELIZABETH MOORE

There is no tax due with the filing of this return.

Do NOT separately file Form 990 with the Internal Revenue Service. Doing so will delay the processing of your return. We must receive your signed form before we can electronically transmit your return, which is due on or before May 16, 2022. We would appreciate you returning this form as soon as possible as this will expedite the processing of your return. The Internal Revenue Service will notify us when your return is accepted. Your return is not considered filed until the Internal Revenue Service confirms their acceptance, which may occur after the due date of your return.

# IRS e-file Signature Authorization for an Exempt Organization

For calendar year 2020, or fiscal year beginning 07/01, 2020, and ending 06/30, 2021

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

▶ **Do not send to the IRS. Keep for your records.**  
▶ **Go to [www.irs.gov/Form8879EO](http://www.irs.gov/Form8879EO) for the latest information.**

# 2020

Name of exempt organization or person subject to tax  
LINDLEY ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL AT BIRNEY

Taxpayer identification number  
45-2887132

Name and title of officer or person subject to tax  
MARGERY COVELLO, CEO

### Part I Type of Return and Return Information (Whole Dollars Only)

Check the box for the return for which you are using this Form 8879-EO and enter the applicable amount, if any, from the return. If you check the box on line 1a, 2a, 3a, 4a, 5a, 6a, or 7a below, and the amount on that line for the return being filed with this form was blank, then leave line 1b, 2b, 3b, 4b, 5b, 6b, or 7b, whichever is applicable, blank (do not enter -0-). But, if you entered -0- on the return, then enter -0- on the applicable line below. **Do not** complete more than one line in Part I.

1a Form 990 check here ▶ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	b Total revenue, if any (Form 990, Part VIII, column (A), line 12) . . . . .	1b	<u>13436567.</u>
2a Form 990-EZ check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>	b Total revenue, if any (Form 990-EZ, line 9) . . . . .	2b	_____
3a Form 1120-POL check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>	b Total tax (Form 1120-POL, line 22) . . . . .	3b	_____
4a Form 990-PF check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>	b Tax based on investment income (Form 990-PF, Part VI, line 5) . . . . .	4b	_____
5a Form 8868 check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>	b Balance due (Form 8868, line 3c) . . . . .	5b	_____
6a Form 990-T check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>	b Total tax (Form 990-T, Part III, line 4) . . . . .	6b	_____
7a Form 4720 check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>	b Total tax (Form 4720, Part III, line 1) . . . . .	7b	_____

### Part II Declaration and Signature Authorization of Officer or Person Subject to Tax

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that  I am an officer of the above organization or  I am a person subject to tax with respect to (name of organization) \_\_\_\_\_, (EIN) \_\_\_\_\_ and that I have examined a copy of the 2020 electronic return and accompanying schedules and statements, and, to the best of my knowledge and belief, they are true, correct, and complete. I further declare that the amount in Part I above is the amount shown on the copy of the electronic return. I consent to allow my intermediate service provider, transmitter, or electronic return originator (ERO) to send the return to the IRS and to receive from the IRS (a) an acknowledgement of receipt or reason for rejection of the transmission, (b) the reason for any delay in processing the return or refund, and (c) the date of any refund. If applicable, I authorize the U.S. Treasury and its designated Financial Agent to initiate an electronic funds withdrawal (direct debit) entry to the financial institution account indicated in the tax preparation software for payment of the federal taxes owed on this return, and the financial institution to debit the entry to this account. To revoke a payment, I must contact the U.S. Treasury Financial Agent at 1-888-353-4537 no later than 2 business days prior to the payment (settlement) date. I also authorize the financial institutions involved in the processing of the electronic payment of taxes to receive confidential information necessary to answer inquiries and resolve issues related to the payment. I have selected a personal identification number (PIN) as my signature for the electronic return and, if applicable, the consent to electronic funds withdrawal.

#### PIN: check one box only

I authorize WITHUMSMITH+BROWN, PC to enter my PIN 8 1 4 7 7 as my signature  
ERO firm name Enter five numbers, but do not enter all zeros

on the tax year 2020 electronically filed return. If I have indicated within this return that a copy of the return is being filed with a state agency(ies) regulating charities as part of the IRS Fed/State program, I also authorize the aforementioned ERO to enter my PIN on the return's disclosure consent screen.

As an officer or person subject to tax with respect to the organization, I will enter my PIN as my signature on the tax year 2020 electronically filed return. If I have indicated within this return that a copy of the return is being filed with a state agency(ies) regulating charities as part of the IRS Fed/State program, I will enter my PIN on the return's disclosure consent screen.

Signature of officer or person subject to tax ▶ \_\_\_\_\_ Date ▶ \_\_\_\_\_

### Part III Certification and Authentication

ERO's EFIN/PIN. Enter your six-digit electronic filing identification number (EFIN) followed by your five-digit self-selected PIN. 2 2 0 0 6 2 2 2 2 0 2  
Do not enter all zeros

I certify that the above numeric entry is my PIN, which is my signature on the 2020 electronically filed return indicated above. I confirm that I am submitting this return in accordance with the requirements of Pub. 4163, Modernized e-File (MeF) Information for Authorized IRS e-file Providers for Business Returns.

ERO's signature ▶ \_\_\_\_\_ Date ▶ \_\_\_\_\_

**ERO Must Retain This Form - See Instructions**  
**Do Not Submit This Form to the IRS Unless Requested To Do So**

For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see back of form. Form **8879-EO** (2020)

Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

2020

Open to Public Inspection

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except private foundations)

Do not enter social security numbers on this form as it may be made public. Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for instructions and the latest information.

A For the 2020 calendar year, or tax year beginning 07/01, 2020, and ending 06/30, 20 21

B Check if applicable: C Name of organization LINDLEY ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL AT BIRNEY D Employer identification number 45-2887132 E Telephone number (215) 456-3000 G Gross receipts \$ 13,436,567. H(a) Is this a group return for subsidiaries? Yes No H(b) Are all subsidiaries included? Yes No I Tax-exempt status: X 501(c)(3) 501(c) ( ) (insert no.) 4947(a)(1) or 527 J Website: WWW.AP-SCHOOLS.ORG/LINDLEYACADEMY.ASPX K Form of organization: Corporation Trust Association X Other CHARTER L Year of formation: 2011 M State of legal domicile: PA

Part I Summary

Table with 3 columns: Line number, Description, and Amount. Rows include: 1 Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities: TO PROVIDE CHILDREN WITH AN EDUCATION. 2-7a Summary statistics. 8-12 Revenue (Prior Year vs Current Year). 13-19 Expenses (Prior Year vs Current Year). 20-22 Net Assets or Fund Balances (Beginning of Current Year vs End of Year).

Part II Signature Block

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than officer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.

Sign Here Signature of officer Date Type or print name and title

Paid Preparer Use Only Print/Type preparer's name Preparer's signature Date Check self-employed if PTIN Firm's name Firm's EIN Firm's address Phone no.

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? (see instructions) Yes No

For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the separate instructions. Form 990 (2020)

Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part III [X]

1 Briefly describe the organization's mission:

ATTACHMENT 1

2 Did the organization undertake any significant program services during the year which were not listed on the prior Form 990 or 990-EZ? [ ] Yes [X] No

[ ] Yes [X] No

If "Yes," describe these new services on Schedule O.

3 Did the organization cease conducting, or make significant changes in how it conducts, any program services? [ ] Yes [X] No

[ ] Yes [X] No

If "Yes," describe these changes on Schedule O.

4 Describe the organization's program service accomplishments for each of its three largest program services, as measured by expenses. Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations are required to report the amount of grants and allocations to others, the total expenses, and revenue, if any, for each program service reported.

4a (Code: ) (Expenses \$ 6,361,075. including grants of \$ ) (Revenue \$ 10,939,413. )

OPERATE A CHARTER SCHOOL FOCUSING ON THE EDUCATIONAL NEEDS OF STUDENTS WHO ARE AT RISK OF FAILING IN A TRADITIONAL ENVIRONMENT. THE CHARTER SCHOOL IS A PART OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM.

4b (Code: ) (Expenses \$ including grants of \$ ) (Revenue \$ )

4c (Code: ) (Expenses \$ including grants of \$ ) (Revenue \$ )

4d Other program services (Describe on Schedule O.)

(Expenses \$ including grants of \$ ) (Revenue \$ )

4e Total program service expenses 6,361,075.

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules

Table with 3 columns: Question Number, Question Text, Yes, No. Rows 1-21 with 'X' marks in the Yes/No columns.

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)

Table with 3 columns: Question, Yes, No. Rows 22-38 covering various IRS schedule requirements.

Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part V [ ]

Table with 3 columns: Question, Yes, No. Rows 1a-1c regarding Form 1096, W-2G forms, and backup withholding rules.

Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance (continued)

Table with columns for question number, question text, and Yes/No response boxes. Includes questions 2a through 16 regarding employee reporting, tax returns, business income, foreign accounts, prohibited transactions, and charitable contributions.

Part VI Governance, Management, and Disclosure For each "Yes" response to lines 2 through 7b below, and for a "No" response to line 8a, 8b, or 10b below, describe the circumstances, processes, or changes on Schedule O. See instructions.

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VI [X]

Section A. Governing Body and Management

Table with 3 columns: Question, Yes, No. Rows include 1a (6), 1b (6), 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7a, 7b, 8a, 8b, 9.

Section B. Policies (This Section B requests information about policies not required by the Internal Revenue Code.)

Table with 3 columns: Question, Yes, No. Rows include 10a, 10b, 11a, 11b, 12a, 12b, 12c, 13, 14, 15a, 15b, 16a, 16b.

Section C. Disclosure

- 17 List the states with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed
18 Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Forms 1023 (1024 or 1024-A, if applicable), 990, and 990-T (Section 501(c) (3)s only) available for public inspection. Indicate how you made these available. Check all that apply.
19 Describe on Schedule O whether (and if so, how) the organization made its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and financial statements available to the public during the tax year.
20 State the name, address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the organization's books and records

**Part VII Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, Highest Compensated Employees, and Independent Contractors**

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VII

**Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees**

1a Complete this table for all persons required to be listed. Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year.

- List all of the organization's **current** officers, directors, trustees (whether individuals or organizations), regardless of amount of compensation. Enter -0- in columns (D), (E), and (F) if no compensation was paid.
  - List all of the organization's **current** key employees, if any. See instructions for definition of "key employee."
  - List the organization's five **current** highest compensated employees (other than an officer, director, trustee, or key employee) who received reportable compensation (Box 5 of Form W-2 and/or Box 7 of Form 1099-MISC) of more than \$100,000 from the organization and any related organizations.
  - List all of the organization's **former** officers, key employees, and highest compensated employees who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations.
  - List all of the organization's **former directors or trustees** that received, in the capacity as a former director or trustee of the organization, more than \$10,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations.
- See instructions for the order in which to list the persons above.

Check this box if neither the organization nor any related organization compensated any current officer, director, or trustee.

(A) Name and title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
(1) DR. MARGERY COVELLO CEO/PRINCIPAL	40.00 0.			X				133,419.	0.	50,327.
(2) RALPH LOVELIDGE IV ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL	40.00 0.				X			120,793.	0.	58,018.
(3) NANCY WHITE ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL	40.00 0.				X			118,642.	0.	57,510.
(4) LISA JOHNSON PRESIDENT	2.00 0.	X		X				0.	0.	0.
(5) BARBARA SAUNDERS VICE PRESIDENT	2.00 0.	X		X				0.	0.	0.
(6) EVETTE BOWMAN TREASURER	2.00 0.	X		X				0.	0.	0.
(7) ANA CHRISTINA MELHOR SECRETARY	2.00 0.	X		X				0.	0.	0.
(8) REGINA FELDER TRUSTEE	2.00 0.	X		X				0.	0.	0.
(9) REGINALD HOWARD TRUSTEE	2.00 0.	X		X				0.	0.	0.
(10)										
(11)										
(12)										
(13)										
(14)										



**Part VIII Statement of Revenue**

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VIII

				(A) Total revenue	(B) Related or exempt function revenue	(C) Unrelated business revenue	(D) Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512-514	
<b>Contributions, Gifts, Grants and Other Similar Amounts</b>	<b>1a</b>	Federated campaigns . . . . .	<b>1a</b>					
	<b>b</b>	Membership dues . . . . .	<b>1b</b>					
	<b>c</b>	Fundraising events . . . . .	<b>1c</b>					
	<b>d</b>	Related organizations . . . . .	<b>1d</b>					
	<b>e</b>	Government grants (contributions) . .	<b>1e</b>	2,494,154.				
	<b>f</b>	All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above .	<b>1f</b>	3,000.				
	<b>g</b>	Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1f. . . . .	<b>1g</b>	\$ 14,493.				
	<b>h</b>	<b>Total.</b> Add lines 1a-1f . . . . . ▶		2,497,154.				
	<b>Program Service Revenue</b>	<b>2a</b>	SCHOOL DISTRICT REVENUE	Business Code	611110	10,804,126.	10,804,126.	
<b>b</b>								
<b>c</b>								
<b>d</b>								
<b>e</b>								
<b>f</b>		All other program service revenue . . . . .						
<b>g</b>		<b>Total.</b> Add lines 2a-2f . . . . . ▶			10,804,126.			
<b>Other Revenue</b>	<b>3</b>	Investment income (including dividends, interest, and other similar amounts). . . . . ▶			1,062.	1,062.		
	<b>4</b>	Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds . ▶			0.			
	<b>5</b>	Royalties . . . . . ▶			0.			
	<b>6a</b>	Gross rents . . . . .	<b>6a</b>	(i) Real	(ii) Personal			
	<b>b</b>	Less: rental expenses	<b>6b</b>					
	<b>c</b>	Rental income or (loss)	<b>6c</b>					
	<b>d</b>	Net rental income or (loss) . . . . . ▶				0.		
	<b>7a</b>	Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory	<b>7a</b>	(i) Securities	(ii) Other			
	<b>b</b>	Less: cost or other basis and sales expenses . .	<b>7b</b>					
	<b>c</b>	Gain or (loss) . . . . .	<b>7c</b>					
	<b>d</b>	Net gain or (loss) . . . . . ▶				0.		
<b>8a</b>	Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ _____ of contributions reported on line 1c). See Part IV, line 18 . . . . .	<b>8a</b>		0.				
			<b>b</b>	Less: direct expenses . . . . .	<b>8b</b>		0.	
			<b>c</b>	Net income or (loss) from fundraising events. . . . . ▶			0.	
<b>9a</b>	Gross income from gaming activities. See Part IV, line 19 . . . . .	<b>9a</b>		0.				
			<b>b</b>	Less: direct expenses . . . . .	<b>9b</b>		0.	
			<b>c</b>	Net income or (loss) from gaming activities. . . . . ▶			0.	
<b>10a</b>	Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances . . . . .	<b>10a</b>		0.				
			<b>b</b>	Less: cost of goods sold . . . . .	<b>10b</b>		0.	
			<b>c</b>	Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory. . . . . ▶			0.	
<b>Miscellaneous Revenue</b>	<b>11a</b>	MISCELLANEOUS REVENUE	Business Code	900099	134,225.	134,225.		
	<b>b</b>							
	<b>c</b>							
	<b>d</b>	All other revenue . . . . .						
	<b>e</b>	<b>Total.</b> Add lines 11a-11d . . . . . ▶				134,225.		
<b>12</b>	<b>Total revenue.</b> See instructions . . . . . ▶				13,436,567.	10,939,413.		

**Part IX Statement of Functional Expenses**

Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations must complete all columns. All other organizations must complete column (A).

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part IX

<b>Do not include amounts reported on lines 6b, 7b, 8b, 9b, and 10b of Part VIII.</b>	<b>(A)</b> Total expenses	<b>(B)</b> Program service expenses	<b>(C)</b> Management and general expenses	<b>(D)</b> Fundraising expenses
1 Grants and other assistance to domestic organizations and domestic governments. See Part IV, line 21 . . . . .	0.			
2 Grants and other assistance to domestic individuals. See Part IV, line 22 . . . . .	0.			
3 Grants and other assistance to foreign organizations, foreign governments, and foreign individuals. See Part IV, lines 15 and 16 . . . . .	0.			
4 Benefits paid to or for members . . . . .	0.			
5 Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees . . . . .	553,229.	372,458.	180,771.	
6 Compensation not included above to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B) . . . . .	0.			
7 Other salaries and wages . . . . .	4,364,507.	3,101,027.	1,263,480.	
8 Pension plan accruals and contributions (include section 401(k) and 403(b) employer contributions) . . . . .	-909,793.	-587,969.	-321,824.	
9 Other employee benefits . . . . .	46,626.	36,400.	10,226.	
10 Payroll taxes . . . . .	369,054.	260,376.	108,678.	
11 Fees for services (nonemployees):				
a Management . . . . .	0.			
b Legal . . . . .	217,692.		217,692.	
c Accounting . . . . .	30,139.		30,139.	
d Lobbying . . . . .	0.			
e Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17 . . . . .	0.			
f Investment management fees . . . . .	0.			
g Other. (If line 11g amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 11g expenses on Schedule O). <u>ATCH 3</u> . . . . .	1,417,330.	782,224.	635,106.	
12 Advertising and promotion . . . . .	740.		740.	
13 Office expenses . . . . .	711,200.	273,517.	437,683.	
14 Information technology . . . . .	246,659.	109,586.	137,073.	
15 Royalties . . . . .	0.			
16 Occupancy . . . . .	625,972.	278,107.	347,865.	
17 Travel . . . . .	171.		171.	
18 Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials . . . . .	0.			
19 Conferences, conventions, and meetings . . . . .	26,117.		26,117.	
20 Interest . . . . .	2,280.		2,280.	
21 Payments to affiliates . . . . .	0.			
22 Depreciation, depletion, and amortization . . . . .	500,414.	10,675.	489,739.	
23 Insurance . . . . .	719,495.	157,718.	561,777.	
24 Other expenses. Itemize expenses not covered above (List miscellaneous expenses on line 24e. If line 24e amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 24e expenses on Schedule O.)				
a FOOD	315,450.	315,450.		
b BANK CHARGES	1,491.	1,491.		
c TUITION	384,875.	384,514.	361.	
d DUES AND FEES	834,332.	834,332.		
e All other expenses _____	114,296.	31,169.	83,127.	
<b>25 Total functional expenses.</b> Add lines 1 through 24e	<b>10,572,276.</b>	<b>6,361,075.</b>	<b>4,211,201.</b>	
26 <b>Joint costs.</b> Complete this line only if the organization reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation. Check here <input type="checkbox"/> if following SOP 98-2 (ASC 958-720) . . . . .	0.			

**Part X Balance Sheet**

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part X

		(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year
<b>Assets</b>	<b>1</b> Cash - non-interest-bearing . . . . .	3,483,826.	<b>1</b>	4,796,089.
	<b>2</b> Savings and temporary cash investments . . . . .	501,674.	<b>2</b>	0.
	<b>3</b> Pledges and grants receivable, net . . . . .	276,670.	<b>3</b>	95,435.
	<b>4</b> Accounts receivable, net. . . . .	147,630.	<b>4</b>	1,104,555.
	<b>5</b> Loans and other receivables from any current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, creator or founder, substantial contributor, or 35% controlled entity or family member of any of these persons . . . . .	0.	<b>5</b>	0.
	<b>6</b> Loans and other receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)), and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B) . . . . .	0.	<b>6</b>	0.
	<b>7</b> Notes and loans receivable, net . . . . .	0.	<b>7</b>	0.
	<b>8</b> Inventories for sale or use . . . . .	0.	<b>8</b>	0.
	<b>9</b> Prepaid expenses and deferred charges . . . . .	120,481.	<b>9</b>	105,189.
	<b>10a</b> Land, buildings, and equipment: cost or other basis. Complete Part VI of Schedule D . . . . .	<b>10a</b> 3,058,595.		
	<b>b</b> Less: accumulated depreciation . . . . .	<b>10b</b> 1,420,882.	<b>10c</b>	1,637,713.
	<b>11</b> Investments - publicly traded securities . . . . .	0.	<b>11</b>	0.
	<b>12</b> Investments - other securities. See Part IV, line 11 . . . . .	0.	<b>12</b>	0.
	<b>13</b> Investments - program-related. See Part IV, line 11. . . . .	0.	<b>13</b>	0.
	<b>14</b> Intangible assets . . . . .	0.	<b>14</b>	0.
	<b>15</b> Other assets. See Part IV, line 11 . . . . .	667,233.	<b>15</b>	1,610,105.
<b>16 Total assets.</b> Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 33) . . . . .	6,411,767.	<b>16</b>	9,349,086.	
<b>Liabilities</b>	<b>17</b> Accounts payable and accrued expenses . . . . .	413,865.	<b>17</b>	1,916,446.
	<b>18</b> Grants payable . . . . .	0.	<b>18</b>	0.
	<b>19</b> Deferred revenue . . . . .	0.	<b>19</b>	0.
	<b>20</b> Tax-exempt bond liabilities . . . . .	0.	<b>20</b>	0.
	<b>21</b> Escrow or custodial account liability. Complete Part IV of Schedule D. . . . .	0.	<b>21</b>	0.
	<b>22</b> Loans and other payables to any current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, creator or founder, substantial contributor, or 35% controlled entity or family member of any of these persons . . . . .	0.	<b>22</b>	0.
	<b>23</b> Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties . . . . .	55,260.	<b>23</b>	27,131.
	<b>24</b> Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated third parties . . . . .	0.	<b>24</b>	0.
	<b>25</b> Other liabilities (including federal income tax, payables to related third parties, and other liabilities not included on lines 17-24). Complete Part X of Schedule D . . . . .	9,137,424.	<b>25</b>	7,736,000.
	<b>26 Total liabilities.</b> Add lines 17 through 25. . . . .	9,606,549.	<b>26</b>	9,679,577.
<b>Net Assets or Fund Balances</b>	<b>Organizations that follow FASB ASC 958, check here</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>and complete lines 27, 28, 32, and 33.</b>			
	<b>27</b> Net assets without donor restrictions . . . . .	-3,194,782.	<b>27</b>	-330,491.
	<b>28</b> Net assets with donor restrictions . . . . .	0.	<b>28</b>	0.
	<b>Organizations that do not follow FASB ASC 958, check here</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>and complete lines 29 through 33.</b>			
	<b>29</b> Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds . . . . .		<b>29</b>	
	<b>30</b> Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, or equipment fund . . . . .		<b>30</b>	
	<b>31</b> Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds . . . . .		<b>31</b>	
	<b>32</b> Total net assets or fund balances . . . . .	-3,194,782.	<b>32</b>	-330,491.
<b>33</b> Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances . . . . .	6,411,767.	<b>33</b>	9,349,086.	

**Part XI Reconciliation of Net Assets**

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XI

<b>1</b>	Total revenue (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	<b>1</b>	13,436,567.
<b>2</b>	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	<b>2</b>	10,572,276.
<b>3</b>	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 2 from line 1	<b>3</b>	2,864,291.
<b>4</b>	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 32, column (A))	<b>4</b>	-3,194,782.
<b>5</b>	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	<b>5</b>	0.
<b>6</b>	Donated services and use of facilities	<b>6</b>	0.
<b>7</b>	Investment expenses	<b>7</b>	0.
<b>8</b>	Prior period adjustments	<b>8</b>	0.
<b>9</b>	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain on Schedule O)	<b>9</b>	0.
<b>10</b>	Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 3 through 9 (must equal Part X, line 32, column (B))	<b>10</b>	-330,491.

**Part XII Financial Statements and Reporting**

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XII.

- 1** Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990:  Cash  Accrual  Other \_\_\_\_\_  
If the organization changed its method of accounting from a prior year or checked "Other," explain in Schedule O.
- 2a** Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant? . . . . .  
If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were compiled or reviewed on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both:  
 Separate basis  Consolidated basis  Both consolidated and separate basis
- b** Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant? . . . . .  
If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were audited on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both:  
 Separate basis  Consolidated basis  Both consolidated and separate basis
- c** If "Yes" to line 2a or 2b, does the organization have a committee that assumes responsibility for oversight of the audit, review, or compilation of its financial statements and selection of an independent accountant? . . . . .  
If the organization changed either its oversight process or selection process during the tax year, explain on Schedule O.
- 3a** As a result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as set forth in the Single Audit Act and OMB Circular A-133? . . . . .
- b** If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits? If the organization did not undergo the required audit or audits, explain why on Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such audits . . . . .

	Yes	No
<b>2a</b>		X
<b>2b</b>	X	
<b>2c</b>	X	
<b>3a</b>	X	
<b>3b</b>	X	

Form **990** (2020)

**SCHEDULE A**  
**(Form 990 or 990-EZ)**

**Public Charity Status and Public Support**

OMB No. 1545-0047

**2020**

**Open to Public Inspection**

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

Complete if the organization is a section 501(c)(3) organization or a section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust.

▶ Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.

▶ Go to [www.irs.gov/Form990](http://www.irs.gov/Form990) for instructions and the latest information.

Name of the organization

LINDLEY ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL AT BIRNEY

Employer identification number

45-2887132

**Part I Reason for Public Charity Status.** (All organizations must complete this part.) See instructions.

The organization is not a private foundation because it is: (For lines 1 through 12, check only one box.)

- 1  A church, convention of churches, or association of churches described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(i)**.
- 2  A school described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)**. (Attach Schedule E (Form 990 or 990-EZ).)
- 3  A hospital or a cooperative hospital service organization described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii)**.
- 4  A medical research organization operated in conjunction with a hospital described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii)**. Enter the hospital's name, city, and state: \_\_\_\_\_
- 5  An organization operated for the benefit of a college or university owned or operated by a governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iv)**. (Complete Part II.)
- 6  A federal, state, or local government or governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(v)**.
- 7  An organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)**. (Complete Part II.)
- 8  A community trust described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)**. (Complete Part II.)
- 9  An agricultural research organization described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(ix)** operated in conjunction with a land-grant college or university or a non-land-grant college of agriculture (see instructions). Enter the name, city, and state of the college or university: \_\_\_\_\_
- 10  An organization that normally receives (1) more than 33 1/3 % of its support from contributions, membership fees, and gross receipts from activities related to its exempt functions, subject to certain exceptions; and (2) no more than 33 1/3 % of its support from gross investment income and unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 tax) from businesses acquired by the organization after June 30, 1975. See **section 509(a)(2)**. (Complete Part III.)
- 11  An organization organized and operated exclusively to test for public safety. See **section 509(a)(4)**.
- 12  An organization organized and operated exclusively for the benefit of, to perform the functions of, or to carry out the purposes of one or more publicly supported organizations described in **section 509(a)(1)** or **section 509(a)(2)**. See **section 509(a)(3)**.  
Check the box in lines 12a through 12d that describes the type of supporting organization and complete lines 12e, 12f, and 12g.
  - a  **Type I.** A supporting organization operated, supervised, or controlled by its supported organization(s), typically by giving the supported organization(s) the power to regularly appoint or elect a majority of the directors or trustees of the supporting organization. **You must complete Part IV, Sections A and B.**
  - b  **Type II.** A supporting organization supervised or controlled in connection with its supported organization(s), by having control or management of the supporting organization vested in the same persons that control or manage the supported organization(s). **You must complete Part IV, Sections A and C.**
  - c  **Type III functionally integrated.** A supporting organization operated in connection with, and functionally integrated with, its supported organization(s) (see instructions). **You must complete Part IV, Sections A, D, and E.**
  - d  **Type III non-functionally integrated.** A supporting organization operated in connection with its supported organization(s) that is not functionally integrated. The organization generally must satisfy a distribution requirement and an attentiveness requirement (see instructions). **You must complete Part IV, Sections A and D, and Part V.**
  - e  Check this box if the organization received a written determination from the IRS that it is a Type I, Type II, Type III functionally integrated, or Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organization.

f Enter the number of supported organizations . . . . .

g Provide the following information about the supported organization(s).

(i) Name of supported organization	(ii) EIN	(iii) Type of organization (described on lines 1-10 above (see instructions))	(iv) Is the organization listed in your governing document?		(v) Amount of monetary support (see instructions)	(vi) Amount of other support (see instructions)
			Yes	No		
(A)						
(B)						
(C)						
(D)						
(E)						
<b>Total</b>						

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Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2020

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Part II Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Sections 170(b)(1)(A)(iv) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)
(Complete only if you checked the box on line 5, 7, or 8 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part III. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part III.)

Section A. Public Support

Table with 7 columns: (a) 2016, (b) 2017, (c) 2018, (d) 2019, (e) 2020, (f) Total. Rows include: 1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received; 2 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit; 3 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit; 4 Total. Add lines 1 through 3; 5 The portion of total contributions by each person; 6 Public support. Subtract line 5 from line 4.

Section B. Total Support

Table with 7 columns: (a) 2016, (b) 2017, (c) 2018, (d) 2019, (e) 2020, (f) Total. Rows include: 7 Amounts from line 4; 8 Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties, and income from similar sources; 9 Net income from unrelated business activities; 10 Other income; 11 Total support. Add lines 7 through 10; 12 Gross receipts from related activities; 13 First 5 years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and stop here.

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

Table with 2 columns: Percentage, %. Rows include: 14 Public support percentage for 2020; 15 Public support percentage from 2019 Schedule A, Part II, line 14; 16a 33 1/3% support test - 2020; 16b 33 1/3% support test - 2019; 17a 10%-facts-and-circumstances test - 2020; 17b 10%-facts-and-circumstances test - 2019; 18 Private foundation.

**Part III Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Section 509(a)(2)**  
 (Complete only if you checked the box on line 10 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part II.  
 If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part II.)

**Section A. Public Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2016	(b) 2017	(c) 2018	(d) 2019	(e) 2020	(f) Total
<b>1</b> Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")						
<b>2</b> Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise sold or services performed, or facilities furnished in any activity that is related to the organization's tax-exempt purpose . . . . .						
<b>3</b> Gross receipts from activities that are not an unrelated trade or business under section 513 . . . . .						
<b>4</b> Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf . . . . .						
<b>5</b> The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge . . . . .						
<b>6 Total.</b> Add lines 1 through 5. . . . .						
<b>7a</b> Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3 received from disqualified persons . . . . .						
<b>b</b> Amounts included on lines 2 and 3 received from other than disqualified persons that exceed the greater of \$5,000 or 1% of the amount on line 13 for the year . . . . .						
<b>c</b> Add lines 7a and 7b. . . . .						
<b>8 Public support.</b> (Subtract line 7c from line 6.) . . . . .						

**Section B. Total Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2016	(b) 2017	(c) 2018	(d) 2019	(e) 2020	(f) Total
<b>9</b> Amounts from line 6. . . . .						
<b>10a</b> Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties, and income from similar sources . . . . .						
<b>b</b> Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975 . . . . .						
<b>c</b> Add lines 10a and 10b . . . . .						
<b>11</b> Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 10b, whether or not the business is regularly carried on. . . . .						
<b>12</b> Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part VI.) . . . . .						
<b>13 Total support.</b> (Add lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12.) . . . . .						

**14 First 5 years.** If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and **stop here** . . . . .

**Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage**

<b>15</b> Public support percentage for 2020 (line 8, column (f), divided by line 13, column (f)) . . . . .	<b>15</b>	%
<b>16</b> Public support percentage from 2019 Schedule A, Part III, line 15 . . . . .	<b>16</b>	%

**Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage**

<b>17</b> Investment income percentage for <b>2020</b> (line 10c, column (f), divided by line 13, column (f)), . . . . .	<b>17</b>	%
<b>18</b> Investment income percentage from <b>2019</b> Schedule A, Part III, line 17 . . . . .	<b>18</b>	%

**19a 33 1/3% support tests - 2020.** If the organization did not check the box on line 14, and line 15 is more than 33 1/3%, and line 17 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and **stop here**. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization .

**b 33 1/3% support tests - 2019.** If the organization did not check a box on line 14 or line 19a, and line 16 is more than 33 1/3%, and line 18 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and **stop here**. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization

**20 Private foundation.** If the organization did not check a box on line 14, 19a, or 19b, check this box and see instructions

**Part IV Supporting Organizations**

(Complete only if you checked a box in line 12 on Part I. If you checked box 12a, Part I, complete Sections A and B. If you checked box 12b, Part I, complete Sections A and C. If you checked box 12c, Part I, complete Sections A, D, and E. If you checked box 12d, Part I, complete Sections A and D, and complete Part V.)

**Section A. All Supporting Organizations**

	Yes	No
1 Are all of the organization's supported organizations listed by name in the organization's governing documents? <i>If "No," describe in Part VI how the supported organizations are designated. If designated by class or purpose, describe the designation. If historic and continuing relationship, explain.</i>		
2 Did the organization have any supported organization that does not have an IRS determination of status under section 509(a)(1) or (2)? <i>If "Yes," explain in Part VI how the organization determined that the supported organization was described in section 509(a)(1) or (2).</i>		
3a Did the organization have a supported organization described in section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6)? <i>If "Yes," answer lines 3b and 3c below.</i>		
b Did the organization confirm that each supported organization qualified under section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6) and satisfied the public support tests under section 509(a)(2)? <i>If "Yes," describe in Part VI when and how the organization made the determination.</i>		
c Did the organization ensure that all support to such organizations was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(B) purposes? <i>If "Yes," explain in Part VI what controls the organization put in place to ensure such use.</i>		
4a Was any supported organization not organized in the United States ("foreign supported organization")? <i>If "Yes," and if you checked box 12a or 12b in Part I, answer lines 4b and 4c below.</i>		
b Did the organization have ultimate control and discretion in deciding whether to make grants to the foreign supported organization? <i>If "Yes," describe in Part VI how the organization had such control and discretion despite being controlled or supervised by or in connection with its supported organizations.</i>		
c Did the organization support any foreign supported organization that does not have an IRS determination under sections 501(c)(3) and 509(a)(1) or (2)? <i>If "Yes," explain in Part VI what controls the organization used to ensure that all support to the foreign supported organization was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(B) purposes.</i>		
5a Did the organization add, substitute, or remove any supported organizations during the tax year? <i>If "Yes," answer lines 5b and 5c below (if applicable). Also, provide detail in Part VI, including (i) the names and EIN numbers of the supported organizations added, substituted, or removed; (ii) the reasons for each such action; (iii) the authority under the organization's organizing document authorizing such action; and (iv) how the action was accomplished (such as by amendment to the organizing document).</i>		
b <b>Type I or Type II only.</b> Was any added or substituted supported organization part of a class already designated in the organization's organizing document?		
c <b>Substitutions only.</b> Was the substitution the result of an event beyond the organization's control?		
6 Did the organization provide support (whether in the form of grants or the provision of services or facilities) to anyone other than (i) its supported organizations, (ii) individuals that are part of the charitable class benefited by one or more of its supported organizations, or (iii) other supporting organizations that also support or benefit one or more of the filing organization's supported organizations? <i>If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.</i>		
7 Did the organization provide a grant, loan, compensation, or other similar payment to a substantial contributor (as defined in section 4958(c)(3)(C)), a family member of a substantial contributor, or a 35% controlled entity with regard to a substantial contributor? <i>If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990 or 990-EZ).</i>		
8 Did the organization make a loan to a disqualified person (as defined in section 4958) not described in line 7? <i>If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990 or 990-EZ).</i>		
9a Was the organization controlled directly or indirectly at any time during the tax year by one or more disqualified persons, as defined in section 4946 (other than foundation managers and organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or (2))? <i>If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.</i>		
b Did one or more disqualified persons (as defined in line 9a) hold a controlling interest in any entity in which the supporting organization had an interest? <i>If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.</i>		
c Did a disqualified person (as defined in line 9a) have an ownership interest in, or derive any personal benefit from, assets in which the supporting organization also had an interest? <i>If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.</i>		
10a Was the organization subject to the excess business holdings rules of section 4943 because of section 4943(f) (regarding certain Type II supporting organizations, and all Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organizations)? <i>If "Yes," answer line 10b below.</i>		
b Did the organization have any excess business holdings in the tax year? <i>(Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to determine whether the organization had excess business holdings.)</i>		

**Part IV Supporting Organizations (continued)**

	Yes	No
<b>11</b> Has the organization accepted a gift or contribution from any of the following persons?		
<b>a</b> A person who directly or indirectly controls, either alone or together with persons described in lines 11b and 11c below, the governing body of a supported organization?		
<b>b</b> A family member of a person described in line 11a above?		
<b>c</b> A 35% controlled entity of a person described in line 11a or 11b above? <i>If "Yes" to line 11a, 11b, or 11c, provide detail in Part VI.</i>		

**Section B. Type I Supporting Organizations**

	Yes	No
<b>1</b> Did the governing body, members of the governing body, officers acting in their official capacity, or membership of one or more supported organizations have the power to regularly appoint or elect at least a majority of the organization's officers, directors, or trustees at all times during the tax year? <i>If "No," describe in Part VI how the supported organization(s) effectively operated, supervised, or controlled the organization's activities. If the organization had more than one supported organization, describe how the powers to appoint and/or remove officers, directors, or trustees were allocated among the supported organizations and what conditions or restrictions, if any, applied to such powers during the tax year.</i>		
<b>2</b> Did the organization operate for the benefit of any supported organization other than the supported organization(s) that operated, supervised, or controlled the supporting organization? <i>If "Yes," explain in Part VI how providing such benefit carried out the purposes of the supported organization(s) that operated, supervised, or controlled the supporting organization.</i>		

**Section C. Type II Supporting Organizations**

	Yes	No
<b>1</b> Were a majority of the organization's directors or trustees during the tax year also a majority of the directors or trustees of each of the organization's supported organization(s)? <i>If "No," describe in Part VI how control or management of the supporting organization was vested in the same persons that controlled or managed the supported organization(s).</i>		

**Section D. All Type III Supporting Organizations**

	Yes	No
<b>1</b> Did the organization provide to each of its supported organizations, by the last day of the fifth month of the organization's tax year, (i) a written notice describing the type and amount of support provided during the prior tax year, (ii) a copy of the Form 990 that was most recently filed as of the date of notification, and (iii) copies of the organization's governing documents in effect on the date of notification, to the extent not previously provided?		
<b>2</b> Were any of the organization's officers, directors, or trustees either (i) appointed or elected by the supported organization(s) or (ii) serving on the governing body of a supported organization? <i>If "No," explain in Part VI how the organization maintained a close and continuous working relationship with the supported organization(s).</i>		
<b>3</b> By reason of the relationship described in line 2, above, did the organization's supported organizations have a significant voice in the organization's investment policies and in directing the use of the organization's income or assets at all times during the tax year? <i>If "Yes," describe in Part VI the role the organization's supported organizations played in this regard.</i>		

**Section E. Type III Functionally Integrated Supporting Organizations**

<b>1</b> Check the box next to the method that the organization used to satisfy the Integral Part Test during the year (see instructions).			
<b>a</b> <input type="checkbox"/> The organization satisfied the Activities Test. Complete line 2 below.			
<b>b</b> <input type="checkbox"/> The organization is the parent of each of its supported organizations. Complete line 3 below.			
<b>c</b> <input type="checkbox"/> The organization supported a governmental entity. Describe in Part VI how you supported a governmental entity (see instructions).			
<b>2</b> Activities Test. Answer lines 2a and 2b below.		Yes	No
<b>a</b> Did substantially all of the organization's activities during the tax year directly further the exempt purposes of the supported organization(s) to which the organization was responsive? <i>If "Yes," then in Part VI identify those supported organizations and explain how these activities directly furthered their exempt purposes, how the organization was responsive to those supported organizations, and how the organization determined that these activities constituted substantially all of its activities.</i>			
<b>b</b> Did the activities described in line 2a, above, constitute activities that, but for the organization's involvement, one or more of the organization's supported organization(s) would have been engaged in? <i>If "Yes," explain in Part VI the reasons for the organization's position that its supported organization(s) would have engaged in these activities but for the organization's involvement.</i>			
<b>3</b> Parent of Supported Organizations. Answer lines 3a and 3b below.			
<b>a</b> Did the organization have the power to regularly appoint or elect a majority of the officers, directors, or trustees of each of the supported organizations? <i>If "Yes" or "No," provide details in Part VI.</i>			
<b>b</b> Did the organization exercise a substantial degree of direction over the policies, programs, and activities of each of its supported organizations? <i>If "Yes," describe in Part VI the role played by the organization in this regard.</i>			

**Part V Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509(a)(3) Supporting Organizations**

- 1  Check here if the organization satisfied the Integral Part Test as a qualifying trust on Nov. 20, 1970 (*explain in Part VI*). See instructions. All other Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organizations must complete Sections A through E.

Section A - Adjusted Net Income		(A) Prior Year	(B) Current Year (optional)
1	Net short-term capital gain	1	
2	Recoveries of prior-year distributions	2	
3	Other gross income (see instructions)	3	
4	Add lines 1 through 3.	4	
5	Depreciation and depletion	5	
6	Portion of operating expenses paid or incurred for production or collection of gross income or for management, conservation, or maintenance of property held for production of income (see instructions)	6	
7	Other expenses (see instructions)	7	
8	<b>Adjusted Net Income</b> (subtract lines 5, 6, and 7 from line 4)	8	
Section B - Minimum Asset Amount		(A) Prior Year	(B) Current Year (optional)
1	Aggregate fair market value of all non-exempt-use assets (see instructions for short tax year or assets held for part of year):		
a	Average monthly value of securities	1a	
b	Average monthly cash balances	1b	
c	Fair market value of other non-exempt-use assets	1c	
d	<b>Total</b> (add lines 1a, 1b, and 1c)	1d	
e	<b>Discount</b> claimed for blockage or other factors ( <i>explain in detail in Part VI</i> ):	1e	
2	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to non-exempt-use assets	2	
3	Subtract line 2 from line 1d.	3	
4	Cash deemed held for exempt use. Enter 0.015 of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions).	4	
5	Net value of non-exempt-use assets (subtract line 4 from line 3)	5	
6	Multiply line 5 by 0.035.	6	
7	Recoveries of prior-year distributions	7	
8	<b>Minimum Asset Amount</b> (add line 7 to line 6)	8	
Section C - Distributable Amount			Current Year
1	Adjusted net income for prior year (from Section A, line 8, column A)	1	
2	Enter 0.85 of line 1.	2	
3	Minimum asset amount for prior year (from Section B, line 8, column A)	3	
4	Enter greater of line 2 or line 3.	4	
5	Income tax imposed in prior year	5	
6	<b>Distributable Amount.</b> Subtract line 5 from line 4, unless subject to emergency temporary reduction (see instructions).	6	
7	<input type="checkbox"/> Check here if the current year is the organization's first as a non-functionally integrated Type III supporting organization (see instructions).		

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**Part V Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509(a)(3) Supporting Organizations (continued)**

Section D - Distributions		Current Year
1	Amounts paid to supported organizations to accomplish exempt purposes	1
2	Amounts paid to perform activity that directly furthers exempt purposes of supported organizations, in excess of income from activity	2
3	Administrative expenses paid to accomplish exempt purposes of supported organizations	3
4	Amounts paid to acquire exempt-use assets	4
5	Qualified set-aside amounts (prior IRS approval required - <i>provide details in Part VI</i> )	5
6	Other distributions ( <i>describe in Part VI</i> ). See instructions.	6
7	<b>Total annual distributions.</b> Add lines 1 through 6.	7
8	Distributions to attentive supported organizations to which the organization is responsive ( <i>provide details in Part VI</i> ). See instructions.	8
9	Distributable amount for 2020 from Section C, line 6	9
10	Line 8 amount divided by line 9 amount	10

Section E - Distribution Allocations (see instructions)		(i) Excess Distributions	(ii) Underdistributions Pre-2020	(iii) Distributable Amount for 2020
1	Distributable amount for 2020 from Section C, line 6			
2	Underdistributions, if any, for years prior to 2020 (reasonable cause required - <i>explain in Part VI</i> ). See instructions.			
3	Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2020			
a	From 2015 . . . . .			
b	From 2016 . . . . .			
c	From 2017 . . . . .			
d	From 2018 . . . . .			
e	From 2019 . . . . .			
f	<b>Total</b> of lines 3a through 3e			
g	Applied to underdistributions of prior years			
h	Applied to 2020 distributable amount			
i	Carryover from 2015 not applied (see instructions)			
j	Remainder. Subtract lines 3g, 3h, and 3i from line 3f.			
4	Distributions for 2020 from Section D, line 7: \$			
a	Applied to underdistributions of prior years			
b	Applied to 2020 distributable amount			
c	Remainder. Subtract lines 4a and 4b from line 4.			
5	Remaining underdistributions for years prior to 2020, if any. Subtract lines 3g and 4a from line 2. For result greater than zero, <i>explain in Part VI</i> . See instructions.			
6	Remaining underdistributions for 2020. Subtract lines 3h and 4b from line 1. For result greater than zero, <i>explain in Part VI</i> . See instructions.			
7	<b>Excess distributions carryover to 2021.</b> Add lines 3j and 4c.			
8	Breakdown of line 7:			
a	Excess from 2016 . . . .			
b	Excess from 2017 . . . .			
c	Excess from 2018 . . . .			
d	Excess from 2019 . . . .			
e	Excess from 2020 . . . .			

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**Part VI** **Supplemental Information.** Provide the explanations required by Part II, line 10; Part II, line 17a or 17b; Part III, line 12; Part IV, Section A, lines 1, 2, 3b, 3c, 4b, 4c, 5a, 6, 9a, 9b, 9c, 11a, 11b, and 11c; Part IV, Section B, lines 1 and 2; Part IV, Section C, line 1; Part IV, Section D, lines 2 and 3; Part IV, Section E, lines 1c, 2a, 2b, 3a and 3b; Part V, line 1; Part V, Section B, line 1e; Part V, Section D, lines 5, 6, and 8; and Part V, Section E, lines 2, 5, and 6. Also complete this part for any additional information. (See instructions.)

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**Schedule of Contributors**

**2020**

▶ Attach to Form 990, Form 990-EZ, or Form 990-PF.  
 ▶ Go to [www.irs.gov/Form990](http://www.irs.gov/Form990) for the latest information.

Name of the organization LINDLEY ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL AT BIRNEY	Employer identification number 45-2887132
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Organization type (check one):

Filers of:

Section:

- Form 990 or 990-EZ  501(c)(3 ) (enter number) organization
- 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust **not** treated as a private foundation
- 527 political organization
- Form 990-PF  501(c)(3) exempt private foundation
- 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust treated as a private foundation
- 501(c)(3) taxable private foundation

Check if your organization is covered by the **General Rule** or a **Special Rule**.

**Note:** Only a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization can check boxes for both the General Rule and a Special Rule. See instructions.

**General Rule**

- For an organization filing Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF that received, during the year, contributions totaling \$5,000 or more (in money or property) from any one contributor. Complete Parts I and II. See instructions for determining a contributor's total contributions.

**Special Rules**

- For an organization described in section 501(c)(3) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that met the 33 1/3% support test of the regulations under sections 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi), that checked Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ), Part II, line 13, 16a, or 16b, and that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions of the greater of **(1)** \$5,000; or **(2)** 2% of the amount on (i) Form 990, Part VIII, line 1h; or (ii) Form 990-EZ, line 1. Complete Parts I and II.
- For an organization described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions of more than \$1,000 *exclusively* for religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals. Complete Parts I (entering "N/A" in column (b) instead of the contributor name and address), II, and III.
- For an organization described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, contributions *exclusively* for religious, charitable, etc., purposes, but no such contributions totaled more than \$1,000. If this box is checked, enter here the total contributions that were received during the year for an *exclusively* religious, charitable, etc., purpose. Don't complete any of the parts unless the **General Rule** applies to this organization because it received *nonexclusively* religious, charitable, etc., contributions totaling \$5,000 or more during the year . . . . . ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Caution:** An organization that isn't covered by the General Rule and/or the Special Rules doesn't file Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF), but it **must** answer "No" on Part IV, line 2, of its Form 990; or check the box on line H of its Form 990-EZ or on its Form 990-PF, Part I, line 2, to certify that it doesn't meet the filing requirements of Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF).

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**Part I** **Contributors** (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part I if additional space is needed.

(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
1	PENNSYLVANIA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION  333 MARKET STREET  HARRISBURG, PA 17101	\$ 2,070,551.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
2	SCHOOL DISTRICT OF PHILADELPHIA  30 S 17THS STREET  PHILADELPHIA, PA 19103	\$ 146,363.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
3	PA COMMISSION ON CRIME AND DELINQUENCY  3101 NORTH FRONT STREET  HARRISBURG, PA 17110	\$ 90,000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
		\$	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
		\$	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
		\$	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)

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**Part II** **Noncash Property** (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part II if additional space is needed.

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (See instructions.)	(d) Date received
4	FOOD	\$ 14,493.	06/30/2021
_____	_____	\$ _____	_____
_____	_____	\$ _____	_____
_____	_____	\$ _____	_____
_____	_____	\$ _____	_____
_____	_____	\$ _____	_____
_____	_____	\$ _____	_____
_____	_____	\$ _____	_____
_____	_____	\$ _____	_____
_____	_____	\$ _____	_____
_____	_____	\$ _____	_____
_____	_____	\$ _____	_____

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**Part III Exclusively religious, charitable, etc., contributions to organizations described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) that total more than \$1,000 for the year from any one contributor.** Complete columns (a) through (e) and the following line entry. For organizations completing Part III, enter the total of *exclusively* religious, charitable, etc., contributions of **\$1,000 or less** for the year. (Enter this information once. See instructions.) ► \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Use duplicate copies of Part III if additional space is needed.

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held
_____	_____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____

(e) Transfer of gift	
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee
_____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held
_____	_____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____

(e) Transfer of gift	
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee
_____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held
_____	_____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____

(e) Transfer of gift	
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee
_____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held
_____	_____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____

(e) Transfer of gift	
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee
_____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____

SCHEDULE D (Form 990)

Supplemental Financial Statements

OMB No. 1545-0047

2020

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Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11a, 11b, 11c, 11d, 11e, 11f, 12a, or 12b.

Attach to Form 990.

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Part I Organizations Maintaining Donor Advised Funds or Other Similar Funds or Accounts.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 6.

Table with 2 columns: (a) Donor advised funds, (b) Funds and other accounts. Rows include: 1 Total number at end of year, 2 Aggregate value of contributions to (during year), 3 Aggregate value of grants from (during year), 4 Aggregate value at end of year, 5 Did the organization inform all donors and donor advisors in writing that the assets held in donor advised funds are the organization's property, subject to the organization's exclusive legal control?, 6 Did the organization inform all grantees, donors, and donor advisors in writing that grant funds can be used only for charitable purposes and not for the benefit of the donor or donor advisor, or for any other purpose conferring impermissible private benefit?

Part II Conservation Easements.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 7.

Table with 2 columns: Description, Held at the End of the Tax Year. Rows include: 1 Purpose(s) of conservation easements held by the organization (check all that apply), 2 Complete lines 2a through 2d if the organization held a qualified conservation contribution in the form of a conservation easement on the last day of the tax year, 3 Number of conservation easements modified, transferred, released, extinguished, or terminated by the organization during the tax year, 4 Number of states where property subject to conservation easement is located, 5 Does the organization have a written policy regarding the periodic monitoring, inspection, handling of violations, and enforcement of the conservation easements it holds?, 6 Staff and volunteer hours devoted to monitoring, inspecting, handling of violations, and enforcing conservation easements during the year, 7 Amount of expenses incurred in monitoring, inspecting, handling of violations, and enforcing conservation easements during the year, 8 Does each conservation easement reported on line 2(d) above satisfy the requirements of section 170(h)(4)(B)(i) and section 170(h)(4)(B)(ii)?, 9 In Part XIII, describe how the organization reports conservation easements in its revenue and expense statement and balance sheet, and include, if applicable, the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that describes the organization's accounting for conservation easements.

Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 8.

Table with 2 columns: Description, Amount. Rows include: 1a If the organization elected, as permitted under FASB ASC 958, not to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide in Part XIII the text of the footnote to its financial statements that describes these items., 1b If the organization elected, as permitted under FASB ASC 958, to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide the following amounts relating to these items: (i) Revenue included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1., (ii) Assets included in Form 990, Part X., 2 If the organization received or held works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets for financial gain, provide the following amounts required to be reported under FASB ASC 958 relating to these items: a Revenue included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1., b Assets included in Form 990, Part X.

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**Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets** *(continued)*

- 3** Using the organization's acquisition, accession, and other records, check any of the following that make significant use of its collection items (check all that apply):
- a**  Public exhibition
  - b**  Scholarly research
  - c**  Preservation for future generations
  - d**  Loan or exchange program
  - e**  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 4** Provide a description of the organization's collections and explain how they further the organization's exempt purpose in Part XIII.
- 5** During the year, did the organization solicit or receive donations of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets to be sold to raise funds rather than to be maintained as part of the organization's collection? . . . . .  **Yes**  **No**

**Part IV Escrow and Custodial Arrangements.**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 9, or reported an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21.

- 1a** Is the organization an agent, trustee, custodian or other intermediary for contributions or other assets not included on Form 990, Part X? . . . . .  **Yes**  **No**
- b** If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII and complete the following table:
- |  | Amount    |
|--|-----------|
| <b>c</b> Beginning balance . . . . .             | <b>1c</b> |
| <b>d</b> Additions during the year . . . . .     | <b>1d</b> |
| <b>e</b> Distributions during the year . . . . . | <b>1e</b> |
| <b>f</b> Ending balance . . . . .                | <b>1f</b> |
- 2a** Did the organization include an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21, for escrow or custodial account liability?  **Yes**  **No**
- b** If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII. Check here if the explanation has been provided on Part XIII . . . . .

**Part V Endowment Funds.**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 10.

	(a) Current year	(b) Prior year	(c) Two years back	(d) Three years back	(e) Four years back
<b>1a</b> Beginning of year balance . . . . .					
<b>b</b> Contributions . . . . .					
<b>c</b> Net investment earnings, gains, and losses . . . . .					
<b>d</b> Grants or scholarships . . . . .					
<b>e</b> Other expenditures for facilities and programs . . . . .					
<b>f</b> Administrative expenses . . . . .					
<b>g</b> End of year balance . . . . .					

**2** Provide the estimated percentage of the current year end balance (line 1g, column (a)) held as:

- a** Board designated or quasi-endowment ▶ \_\_\_\_\_ %
- b** Permanent endowment ▶ \_\_\_\_\_ %
- c** Term endowment ▶ \_\_\_\_\_ %

The percentages on lines 2a, 2b, and 2c should equal 100%.

**3a** Are there endowment funds not in the possession of the organization that are held and administered for the organization by:

- (i)** Unrelated organizations . . . . .
- (ii)** Related organizations . . . . .

	Yes	No
<b>3a(i)</b>		
<b>3a(ii)</b>		
<b>3b</b>		

**b** If "Yes" on line 3a(ii), are the related organizations listed as required on Schedule R? . . . . .

**4** Describe in Part XIII the intended uses of the organization's endowment funds.

**Part VI Land, Buildings, and Equipment.**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11a. See Form 990, Part X, line 10.

Description of property	(a) Cost or other basis (investment)	(b) Cost or other basis (other)	(c) Accumulated depreciation	(d) Book value
<b>1a</b> Land . . . . .				
<b>b</b> Buildings . . . . .		1,858,756.	971,804.	886,952.
<b>c</b> Leasehold improvements . . . . .				
<b>d</b> Equipment . . . . .		765,825.	256,326.	509,499.
<b>e</b> Other . . . . .		434,014.	192,752.	241,262.
<b>Total.</b> Add lines 1a through 1e. (Column (d) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10c.) . . . . .				1,637,713.

**Part VII Investments - Other Securities.**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11b. See Form 990, Part X, line 12.

(a) Description of security or category (including name of security)	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation: Cost or end-of-year market value
(1) Financial derivatives . . . . .		
(2) Closely held equity interests . . . . .		
(3) Other _____		
(A)		
(B)		
(C)		
(D)		
(E)		
(F)		
(G)		
(H)		
<b>Total.</b> (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 12.) . ▶		

**Part VIII Investments - Program Related.**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11c. See Form 990, Part X, line 13.

(a) Description of investment	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation: Cost or end-of-year market value
(1)		
(2)		
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		
(7)		
(8)		
(9)		
<b>Total.</b> (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 13.) . ▶		

**Part IX Other Assets.**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11d. See Form 990, Part X, line 15.

(a) Description	(b) Book value
(1) DEFERRED OUTFLOWS PENSION	
(2) ACTIVITY	1,610,105.
(3)	
(4)	
(5)	
(6)	
(7)	
(8)	
(9)	
<b>Total.</b> (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 15.) . . . . . ▶	1,610,105.

**Part X Other Liabilities.**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11e or 11f. See Form 990, Part X, line 25.

1. (a) Description of liability	(b) Book value
(1) Federal income taxes	
(2) NET PENSION LIABILITY	6,155,000.
(3) DEFERRED INFLOW OF PENSION ACTIVITY	1,311,000.
(4) ACCRUED SALARIES AND BENEFITS	
(5) DUE TO STUDENT ACTIVITIES	
(6) NET OPEB LIABILITY	270,000.
(7)	
(8)	
(9)	
<b>Total.</b> (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 25.) . . . . . ▶	7,736,000.

2. Liability for uncertain tax positions. In Part XIII, provide the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that reports the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FASB ASC 740. Check here if the text of the footnote has been provided in Part XIII .



**Part XIII** Supplemental Information (continued)

PART X, LINE 2:

THE SCHOOL IS EXEMPT FROM FEDERAL TAXES UNDER SECTION 501(C)(3) OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE CODE. ACCORDINGLY, NO PROVISION OR LIABILITY FOR INCOME TAXES HAS BEEN RECORDED IN THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS.

THE SCHOOL ADOPTED THE ACCOUNTING PRONOUNCEMENT RELATED TO UNCERTAIN TAX POSITIONS EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2011. UPON ADOPTION OF THIS ACCOUNTING PRONOUNCEMENT, THE SCHOOL HAD NO UNRECOGNIZED TAX BENEFITS. FURTHERMORE, THE SCHOOL HAD NO UNRECOGNIZED TAX BENEFITS AT JUNE 30, 2021. IN ADDITION, THE SCHOOL HAS NO INCOME TAX RELATED PENALTIES OR INTEREST FOR THE PERIODS REPORTED IN THESE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS.

PART XII, LINE 4B - OTHER ADJUSTMENTS:

ROUNDING

**SCHEDULE E  
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)**

**Schools**

OMB No. 1545-0047

**2020**

**Open to Public Inspection**

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

- ▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 13, or Form 990-EZ, Part VI, line 48.
- ▶ Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.
- ▶ Go to [www.irs.gov/Form990](http://www.irs.gov/Form990) for the latest information.

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**Part I**

	YES	NO
<b>1</b> Does the organization have a racially nondiscriminatory policy toward students by statement in its charter, bylaws, other governing instrument, or in a resolution of its governing body? . . . . .	X	
<b>2</b> Does the organization include a statement of its racially nondiscriminatory policy toward students in all its brochures, catalogues, and other written communications with the public dealing with student admissions, programs, and scholarships? . . . . .	X	
<b>3</b> Has the organization publicized its racially nondiscriminatory policy on its primarily publicly accessible Internet homepage at all times during its taxable year in a manner reasonably expected to be noticed by visitors to the homepage, or through newspaper or broadcast media during the period of solicitation for students, or during the registration period if it has no solicitation program, in a way that makes the policy known to all parts of the general community it serves? If "Yes," please describe. If "No," please explain. If you need more space, use Part II . . . . .	X	
<u>SEE SUPPLEMENTAL PAGE</u>		
<b>4</b> Does the organization maintain the following?		
<b>a</b> Records indicating the racial composition of the student body, faculty, and administrative staff? . . . . .	X	
<b>b</b> Records documenting that scholarships and other financial assistance are awarded on a racially nondiscriminatory basis? . . . . .	X	
<b>c</b> Copies of all catalogues, brochures, announcements, and other written communications to the public dealing with student admissions, programs, and scholarships? . . . . .	X	
<b>d</b> Copies of all material used by the organization or on its behalf to solicit contributions? . . . . .		X
If you answered "No" to any of the above, please explain. If you need more space, use Part II.		
<u>SEE SUPPLEMENTAL PAGE</u>		
<b>5</b> Does the organization discriminate by race in any way with respect to:		
<b>a</b> Students' rights or privileges? . . . . .		X
<b>b</b> Admissions policies? . . . . .		X
<b>c</b> Employment of faculty or administrative staff? . . . . .		X
<b>d</b> Scholarships or other financial assistance? . . . . .		X
<b>e</b> Educational policies? . . . . .		X
<b>f</b> Use of facilities? . . . . .		X
<b>g</b> Athletic programs? . . . . .		X
<b>h</b> Other extracurricular activities? . . . . .		X
If you answered "Yes" to any of the above, please explain. If you need more space, use Part II.		
<u>SEE SUPPLEMENTAL PAGE</u>		
<b>6a</b> Does the organization receive any financial aid or assistance from a governmental agency? . . . . .	X	
<b>b</b> Has the organization's right to such aid ever been revoked or suspended? . . . . .		X
If you answered "Yes" on either line 6a or line 6b, explain on Part II.		
<b>7</b> Does the organization certify that it has complied with the applicable requirements of sections 4.01 through 4.05 of Rev. Proc. 75-50, 1975-2 C.B. 587, covering racial nondiscrimination? If "No," explain on Part II . . . . .	X	

**Part II** **Supplemental Information.** Provide the explanations required by Part I, lines 3, 4d, 5h, 6b, and 7, as applicable. Also provide any other additional information (see instructions).

SCHEDULE E LINE 3

CHARTER SCHOOL LAW PROHIBITS DISCRIMINATION. THE ORGANIZATION PUBLICIZED ITS POLICY THROUGH NEWSPAPER ADVERTISEMENT.

SCHEDULE E LINE 4D

THE SCHOOL DOES NOT SOLICIT CONTRIBUTIONS.

LINE 6 - EXPLANATION OF GOVERNMENT FINANCIAL AID

THE CHARTER SCHOOL RECEIVES FEDERAL AND STATE GRANT MONEY FROM THE IDEA, TITLE I, TITLE II, TITLE IV, NATIONAL SCHOOL BREAKFAST AND LUNCH PROGRAMS, AND THE ELEMENTARY & SECONDARY SCHOOL EMERGENCY FUND.

SCHEDULE E LINE 6A

THE CHARTER RECEIVES FEDERAL AND STATE GRANT MONEY FOR THE IDEA, TITLE I, TITLE II, TITLE IV, NATIONAL SCHOOL BREAKFAST AND LUNCH PROGRAMS, AND THE ELEMENTARY & SECONDARY SCHOOL EMERGENCY FUND. ELEMENTARY & SECONDARY SCHOOL EMERGENCY FUND.

**SCHEDULE J  
(Form 990)**

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

**Compensation Information**

For certain Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees

- ▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 23.
- ▶ Attach to Form 990.
- ▶ Go to [www.irs.gov/Form990](http://www.irs.gov/Form990) for instructions and the latest information.

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**2020**

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Inspection**

Name of the organization

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**Part I Questions Regarding Compensation**

**1a** Check the appropriate box(es) if the organization provided any of the following to or for a person listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a. Complete Part III to provide any relevant information regarding these items.

- |  |  |
|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> First-class or charter travel             | <input type="checkbox"/> Housing allowance or residence for personal use   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Travel for companions                     | <input type="checkbox"/> Payments for business use of personal residence   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tax indemnification and gross-up payments | <input type="checkbox"/> Health or social club dues or initiation fees     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Discretionary spending account            | <input type="checkbox"/> Personal services (such as maid, chauffeur, chef) |

**b** If any of the boxes on line 1a are checked, did the organization follow a written policy regarding payment or reimbursement or provision of all of the expenses described above? If "No," complete Part III to explain

**2** Did the organization require substantiation prior to reimbursing or allowing expenses incurred by all directors, trustees, and officers, including the CEO/Executive Director, regarding the items checked on line 1a?

**3** Indicate which, if any, of the following the organization used to establish the compensation of the organization's CEO/Executive Director. Check all that apply. Do not check any boxes for methods used by a related organization to establish compensation of the CEO/Executive Director, but explain in Part III.

- |  |   |
|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Compensation committee              | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Written employment contract                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Independent compensation consultant | <input type="checkbox"/> Compensation survey or study                               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990 of other organizations     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Approval by the board or compensation committee |

**4** During the year, did any person listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, with respect to the filing organization or a related organization:

- a** Receive a severance payment or change-of-control payment?
  - b** Participate in or receive payment from a supplemental nonqualified retirement plan?
  - c** Participate in or receive payment from an equity-based compensation arrangement?
- If "Yes" to any of lines 4a-c, list the persons and provide the applicable amounts for each item in Part III.

**Only section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations must complete lines 5-9.**

**5** For persons listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the revenues of:

- a** The organization?
  - b** Any related organization?
- If "Yes" on line 5a or 5b, describe in Part III.

**6** For persons listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the net earnings of:

- a** The organization?
  - b** Any related organization?
- If "Yes" on line 6a or 6b, describe in Part III.

**7** For persons listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization provide any nonfixed payments not described on lines 5 and 6? If "Yes," describe in Part III.

**8** Were any amounts reported on Form 990, Part VII, paid or accrued pursuant to a contract that was subject to the initial contract exception described in Regulations section 53.4958-4(a)(3)? If "Yes," describe in Part III.

**9** If "Yes" on line 8, did the organization also follow the rebuttable presumption procedure described in Regulations section 53.4958-6(c)?

	Yes	No
<b>1a</b>		
<b>1b</b>		
<b>2</b>		
<b>3</b>		
<b>4a</b>		X
<b>4b</b>		X
<b>4c</b>		X
<b>5a</b>		X
<b>5b</b>		X
<b>6a</b>		X
<b>6b</b>		X
<b>7</b>		X
<b>8</b>		X
<b>9</b>		

For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the Instructions for Form 990.

Schedule J (Form 990) 2020

**Part II Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees.** Use duplicate copies if additional space is needed.

For each individual whose compensation must be reported on Schedule J, report compensation from the organization on row (i) and from related organizations, described in the instructions, on row (ii). Do not list any individuals that aren't listed on Form 990, Part VII.

**Note:** The sum of columns (B)(i)-(iii) for each listed individual must equal the total amount of Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, applicable column (D) and (E) amounts for that individual.

(A) Name and Title		(B) Breakdown of W-2 and/or 1099-MISC compensation			(C) Retirement and other deferred compensation	(D) Nontaxable benefits	(E) Total of columns (B)(i)-(D)	(F) Compensation in column (B) reported as deferred on prior Form 990
		(i) Base compensation	(ii) Bonus & incentive compensation	(iii) Other reportable compensation				
1 DR. MARGERY COVELLO CEO/PRINCIPAL	(i)	133,126.	293.	0.	45,793.	4,534.	183,746.	0.
	(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
2 RALPH LOVELIDGE IV ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL	(i)	120,501.	292.	0.	41,447.	16,571.	178,811.	0.
	(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
3 NANCY WHITE ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL	(i)	118,330.	312.	0.	40,703.	16,807.	176,152.	0.
	(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
4	(i)							
	(ii)							
5	(i)							
	(ii)							
6	(i)							
	(ii)							
7	(i)							
	(ii)							
8	(i)							
	(ii)							
9	(i)							
	(ii)							
10	(i)							
	(ii)							
11	(i)							
	(ii)							
12	(i)							
	(ii)							
13	(i)							
	(ii)							
14	(i)							
	(ii)							
15	(i)							
	(ii)							
16	(i)							
	(ii)							

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**Part III Supplemental Information**

Provide the information, explanation, or descriptions required for Part I, lines 1a, 1b, 3, 4a, 4b, 4c, 5a, 5b, 6a, 6b, 7, and 8, and for Part II. Also complete this part for any additional information.

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**SCHEDULE O  
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)**

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization

LINDLEY ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL AT BIRNEY

**Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZ**

Complete to provide information for responses to specific questions on  
Form 990 or 990-EZ or to provide any additional information.

▶ Attach to Form 990 or 990-EZ.

▶ Information about Schedule O (Form 990 or 990-EZ) and its instructions is at [www.irs.gov/form990](http://www.irs.gov/form990).

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FORM 990, ITEM K, OTHER FORM OF ORGANIZATION:

CHARTER SCHOOL

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 11B:

LINDLEY ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL FORM 990 IS PREPARED BY AN OUTSIDE,  
INDEPENDENT CPA FIRM AND IS REVIEWED BY THE BOARD PRIOR TO FILING.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 12C:

BOARD MEMBERS FILE A STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL INTEREST ANNUALLY.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 15A:

BOARD AND MANAGEMENT COMPANY MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS FOR CEO COMPENSATION.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION C, LINE 19:

RIGHT TO KNOW REQUEST THROUGH LEGAL COUNCIL

FORM 990, PART XII, LINE 2C:

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS ASSUMES RESPONSIBILITY OF REVIEWING THE  
FINANCIAL STATEMENTS TO ENSURE THAT THE INCLUDED INFORMATION AND  
AMOUNTS ARE ACCURATE THEY ALSO HAVE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF SELECTING AN  
INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTING FIRM TO PERFORM THE AUDIT.

FORM 990, PART XI, LINE 9:

ROUNDING DIFFERENCE \$1

Name of the organization

LINDLEY ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL AT BIRNEY

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ATTACHMENT 1FORM 990, PART III, LINE 1 - ORGANIZATION'S MISSION

LINDLEY ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL AT BIRNEY BELIEVES THAT WORKING TOGETHER WITH PARENTS AND THE COMMUNITY STAKEHOLDERS CREATES AN IDEAL ENVIRONMENT IN WHICH STUDENTS HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO STRIVE FOR ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE IN ALL CONTENT AREAS, EXPLORE A DIVERSE CURRICULUM, PREPARE TO SUCCEED IN A GLOBAL ENVIRONMENT, PROVIDE SERVICE TO A GROWING COMMUNITY, FOSTER POSITIVE HEALTHY ADULT AND CHILD RELATIONSHIPS, PARTICIPATE IN CHARACTER EDUCATION, AND DEVELOP A RESPECT FOR OTHERS THROUGH EXEMPLARY MENTORSHIP, EXPERIENCE COOPERATIVE EDUCATIONAL COMMUNITIES IN ALL CONTENT AREAS FROM FINE ARTS TO TECHNOLOGY, AND DEVELOP STUDENTS INTO LIFELONG LEARNERS.

ATTACHMENT 2990, PART VII- COMPENSATION OF THE FIVE HIGHEST PAID IND. CONTRACTORS

<u>NAME AND ADDRESS</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION OF SERVICES</u>	<u>COMPENSATION</u>
AMERICAN PARADIGM SCHOOLS 8101 CASTOR AVENUE PHILADELPHIA, PA 19152	MANAGEMENT SERVICES	697,075.
INDEPENDENCE BLUE CROSS P.O. BOX 8500 PHILADELPHIA, PA 19178	INSURANCE SERVICES	587,090.
MASCHIO'S FOOD SERVICE INC 525 E. MAIN STREET CHESTER, NJ 07930	FOOD SERVICES	431,655.
BSI CONSTRUCTION, LLC 735 BIRCH AVENUE BENSALEM, PA 19020	CONSTRUCTION SERVICE	369,195.
PTS 525 FAYETTE STREET CONSHOHOCKEN, PA 19428	THERAPEUTIC SERVICES	338,328.

Name of the organization

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ATTACHMENT 3FORM 990, PART IX - OTHER FEES

<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	(A) <u>TOTAL FEES</u>	(B) <u>PROGRAM SERVICE EXP.</u>	(C) <u>MANAGEMENT AND GENERAL</u>	(D) <u>FUNDRAISING EXPENSES</u>
PROFESSIONAL EDUCATIONAL				
SERVICES - OTHER	312,242.	172,326.	139,916.	
OTHER PURCHASED SERVICES	43,978.	24,271.	19,707.	
PROFESSIONAL SERVICES	860,204.	474,747.	385,457.	
OFFICIAL/ADMIN SERVICES	99,400.	54,859.	44,541.	
TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES	58,109.	32,070.	26,039.	
OTHER SERVICES	43,397.	23,951.	19,446.	
TOTALS	<u>1,417,330.</u>	<u>782,224.</u>	<u>635,106.</u>	