KIPP Indy Public Schools
SPEA VISTA 2016-17

KIPP Indy Public Schools is looking for a dynamic individual who will play a critical role in increasing high-quality educational options for students in the Indianapolis community. KIPP is a non-profit network of college-preparatory, public charter schools serving nearly 70,000 students across 183 schools and in 20 states. We have a 20-year track record of preparing our students in educationally underserved communities for success in college and life. KIPP Indy started in 2004 with just one class of fifth grade students and has grown to serve over 500 students across two schools. In the next three years, KIPP Indy will double the number of students we serve. Essential to this growth is the opening of our first high school in 2018, enabling us to serve students from the time they start school in kindergarten to when they graduate from high school.

The AmeriCorps VISTA Fellow will add capacity across the organization to help build the infrastructure and resources necessary for successful growth. Fellows will secure resources through grant proposals, research policy trends, and develop communications and talent strategies. One of our core beliefs is investing deeply in the development and growth of the Fellow. Fellows receive monthly professional development, meet with their manager weekly to receive additional support, and have the opportunity for other external professional development. In addition, the KIPP Indy team is committed to helping the VISTA with future opportunities after their service and will do everything possible to introduce them to an extensive network throughout the Indianapolis community and the nation. All Fellows receive a work laptop and cell phone.