



# SMOOTHING YOUR PATH THROUGH THE ACCS ACCREDITATION PROCESS

2024 ACCS CONFERENCE



# PREPARATION

- Board
- Admin team
- Teachers
- Students







# COMMUNICATION

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- Board
- Admin team
- Teachers
- Students

# TIMELINE

- **18 mos out** – begin document prep
- **12 mos** – send candidacy application
- **6 mos** – send in self-study
- **3 mos** – plan visit details
- **1 month** – walk campus, prep visit
- **1 week** – final walk-through







# THE VISIT

- Preparation
- Hospitality



# SOME ADVICE...

- Count the cost
- Start early
- Delegate
- Maintain documents
- Debrief
- Rest!







QUESTIONS?

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# RESOURCES

- ACCS Accreditation Handbook
- Timeline
- Self-Study Checklist
- Teacher Self-Evaluation
- Visit Binder materials
- and more...







NETWORKING  
TIME