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Dear Parent or Guardian,

The purpose of this letter is to notify you about important information regarding your child's school and to detail the protocol for measuring the academic performance of public schools in Nevada. The Nevada School Performance Framework (NSPF) is a critical part of the Education Performance System and utilizes a five-star classification system. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, school accountability designations from the 2018 – 2019 were held over through the 2019 – 2020 and 2020 – 2021 school years. For 2021 – 2022, new index scores have been calculated but star ratings were not issued.

In December 2015, the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) was signed into law. Highlights of ESSA include holding all students to high academic standards and ensuring that the lowest-performing schools are provided the appropriate supports for school improvement. Information is provided below about our school.

School Specific Information

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, the Nevada Department of Education did not issue star ratings for the 2021-2022 school year. However, based on the informational index scores for each campus, the index scores and corresponding star ratings for each school within the NSHS network are included below, based on the data from the previous school year:

- Downtown Henderson: 100 points / 5-star rating
- Las Vegas: Downtown: 80.6 points / 4-star rating
- Henderson: 96.8 points / 5-star rating
- Reno: Meadowwood: 94.3 points / 5-star rating
- Las Vegas: Northwest: 99.3 points / 5-star rating
- Las Vegas: Southwest: 100 points / 5-star rating
- Las Vegas: Summerlin: 90.6 points / 5-star rating
- Las Vegas: Sunrise: 93.1 / 5-star rating


School Specific Actions

Nevada State High School is using allocated Title I funding allocated to the Las Vegas: Downtown, Las Vegas: Sunrise, and Las Vegas; Southwest campuses to support the following activities:

- ACT preparation boot camps
- Providing tutoring in core content areas (e.g. math, English)
- Bus passes for students
- Offsets of dual enrollment tuition and course fee costs for students

For more information about the resources, specific strategies, and tailored school goals, please review the School Performance Plan on our website. Additionally, our school rating reports are available at www.nevadareportcard.com. And on our website at <https://earlycollegenv.com/nshs-reports/>.

Sincerely,



Jesse Welsh