



## Solicitation of Input – 2023 New Charter Application Submission

**County:** Clark

**Proposal:** Pioneer Technology & Arts Academy Nevada

**Grades Served:** K–12

**Six Year Enrollment:** 1478

**Proposed Location** To Be Determined. Intend to primarily serve the: 89107, 89108, 89106, 89032, 89031, 89030, 89084, 89086, 89081, 89128, 89129, 89149, 89130, 89131, 89119, and 89118 zip codes.

### School District Input:

**Please provide any data as to overcrowding in the zip code where the school is proposing to locate.**

Note: Data provided as of count day SY 2022-2023

#### Zip Code - 89107

Adcock, O. K. Elementary School	NSPF 2	65.68% of capacity
Griffith, E. W. Elementary School	NSPF 2	82.15% of capacity
Pittman, Vail Elementary School	NSPF 3	104.10% of capacity
Red Rock Elementary School	NSPF 1	89.42% of capacity
Warren, Rose Elementary School	NSPF 3	106.25% of capacity
Wasden, Howard Elementary School	NSPF 3	59.56% of capacity
Garside, Frank F. Middle School	NSPF 2	83.33% of capacity
Gibson, Robert O. Leadership Academy	NSPF 2	105.29% of capacity
Hyde Park Middle School	NSPF 4	96.73% of capacity
Western High School	NSPF 2	121.30% of capacity

#### Zip Code - 89108

Bunker, Berkeley L. Elementary School	NSPF 3	81.33% of capacity
Culley, Paul E. Elementary School	NSPF 2	70.36% of capacity
Fong, Wing and Lilly Elementary School	NSPF 3	77.30% of capacity
McWilliams, J. T. Elementary School	NSPF 2	84.03% of capacity
Reed, Doris M. Elementary School	NSPF 2	80.79% of capacity
Ronzone, Bertha Elementary School	NSPF 2	88.21% of capacity
Tobler, R. E. Elementary School	NSPF 3	100.00% of capacity
Twin Lakes Elementary School	NSPF 2	89.56% of capacity
Brinley, J. Harold Middle School	NSPF 1	98.20% of capacity

#### Zip Code - 89106

Booker, Kermit R. Sr. Elementary School	NSPF 2	66.79% of capacity
Detwiler, Ollie Elementary School	NSPF 2	73.92% of capacity
Hoggard, Mabel W. Elementary School	NSPF 4	71.10% of capacity
Kelly, Matt Elementary School	NSPF 1	104.26% of capacity

Toland, Helen Anderson International Academy	NSPF 2	71.94% of capacity
West, Charles I. Preparatory Institute	NSPF 2	75.10% of capacity
Williams, Wendell P. Elementary School	NSPF 1	64.15% of capacity
Advanced Technologies Academy	NSPF 5	104.92% of capacity
Veterans Tribute Career and Technical Academy	NSPF 5	114.92% of capacity

**Zip Code - 89032**

Bruner, Lucile S. Elementary School	NSPF 2	114.14% of capacity
Gilbert, C. V. T. Elementary School	NSPF 2	141.67% of capacity
Perkins, Dr. Claude G. Elementary School	NSPF 2	86.88% of capacity
Priest, Richard C. Elementary School	NSPF 2	102.32% of capacity
Wilhelm, Elizabeth Elementary School	NSPF 1	95.60% of capacity
Sedway, Marvin M. Middle School	NSPF 1	66.48% of capacity
Swainston, Theron L. Junior High School	NSPF 2	69.35% of capacity
Canyon Springs High School	NSPF 3	112.86% of capacity
Cheyenne High School	NSPF 2	85.80% of capacity

**Zip Code - 89031**

Antonello, Lee Elementary School	NSPF 1	102.18% of capacity
Cozine, Steve and Linda Elementary School	NSPF 2	108.17% of capacity
Elizondo, Raul P. Elementary School	NSPF 1	89.94% of capacity
Guy, Addeliar D. III Elementary School	NSPF 3	93.14% of capacity
Simmons, Eva G. Elementary School	NSPF 4	86.16% of capacity
Watson, Frederic W. Elementary School	NSPF 2	108.23% of capacity
Wolfe, Eva M. Elementary School	NSPF 2	91.58% of capacity
Findlay, Clifford O. (Pete) Middle School	NSPF 1	77.76% of capacity
Mojave High School	NSPF 3	114.33% of capacity

**Zip Code - 89030**

Cahlan, Marion Elementary School	NSPF 3	93.74% of capacity
Craig, Lois Elementary School	NSPF 1	60.38% of capacity
Fitzgerald, H. P. Elementary School	NSPF 2	74.76% of capacity
Herron, Fay Elementary School	NSPF 5	72.67% of capacity
Lincoln Elementary School	NSPF 2	77.93% of capacity
Mackey, Jo Elementary School	NSPF 4	110.34% of capacity
Martinez, Reynaldo Elementary School	NSPF 3	92.50% of capacity
McCall, Quannah Elementary School	NSPF 1	59.22% of capacity
Squires, C. P. Elementary School	NSPF 2	71.99% of capacity
Williams, Tom Elementary School	NSPF 2	80.99% of capacity
Bridger, Jim Middle School	NSPF 3	79.74% of capacity
Mackey, Jo Middle School	NSPF N/A	110.08% of capacity
Smith, J. D. Middle School	NSPF 1	73.94% of capacity
College of Southern Nevada High School - East	NSPF 5	% of capacity not applicable
Desert Rose High School	NSPF N/A	34.50% of capacity

**Zip Code - 89084**

Duncan, Ruby Elementary School	NSPF 1	100.93% of capacity
Goynes, Theron H. and Naomi D. Elementary School	NSPF 3	104.66% of capacity
Hayden, Don Elementary School	NSPF 3	116.57% of capacity
Triggs, Vincent Elementary School	NSPF 5	113.12% of capacity
Cram, Brian and Teri Middle School	NSPF 4	93.22% of capacity
Legacy High School	NSPF 3	113.90% of capacity
Northeast Career and Technical Academy	NSPF N/A	N/A

**Zip Code - 89086**

N/A

**Zip Code - 89081**

Dickens, D. L. "Dusty" Elementary School	NSPF 2	123.03% of capacity
Scott, Jesse D. Elementary School	NSPF 1	93.48% of capacity
Tartan, John Elementary School	NSPF 1	73.63% of capacity
Johnston, Carroll M. Middle School	NSPF 2	82.49% of capacity

**Zip Code - 89128**

Bryan, Richard H. Elementary School	NSPF 3	88.15% of capacity
Katz, Edythe and Lloyd Elementary School	NSPF 1	76.47% of capacity
McMillan, James B. Elementary School	NSPF 2	93.09% of capacity
Cimarron-Memorial High School	NSPF 3	101.58% of capacity

**Zip Code - 89129**

Connors, Eileen Elementary School	NSPF 3	85.71% of capacity
Deskin, Ruthe Elementary School	NSPF 3	89.86% of capacity
Eisenberg, Dorothy Elementary School	NSPF 3	103.69% of capacity
Garehime, Edith Elementary School	NSPF 3	125.10% of capacity
Kahre, Marc A. Elementary School	NSPF 2	80.21% of capacity
Tarr, Sheila Academy of International Studies	NSPF 4	117.37% of capacity
Leavitt, Justice Myron E. Middle School	NSPF 3	82.25% of capacity
Molasky, Irwin A. and Susan Middle School	NSPF 1	58.56% of capacity

**Zip Code - 89149**

Allen, Dean La Mar Elementary School	NSPF 3	83.87% of capacity
Darnell, Marshall C. Elementary School	NSPF 3	78.48% of capacity
Divich, Kenneth Elementary School	NSPF 5	119.30% of capacity
Thompson, Sandra Lee Elementary School	NSPF 4	88.58% of capacity
Escobedo, Edmundo "Eddie" Sr. Middle School	NSPF 2	54.92% of capacity
Centennial High School	NSPF 3	114.04% of capacity
Northwest Career and Technical Academy	NSPF 5	107.49% of capacity

**Zip Code - 89130**

Carl, Kay Elementary School	NSPF 4	110.68% of capacity
May, Ernest J. Elementary School	NSPF 4	118.94% of capacity
Neal, Joseph M. Elementary School	NSPF 4	111.45% of capacity
Parson, Claude and Stella Elementary School	NSPF 2	59.20% of capacity
Lied STEM Academy	NSPF 4	102.69% of capacity

**Zip Code - 89131**

Heckethorn, Howard E. Elementary School	NSPF 4	102.55% of capacity
Rhodes, Betsy A. Elementary School	NSPF 3	106.53% of capacity
Ward, Kitty McDonough Elementary School	NSPF 4	104.30% of capacity
Cadwallader, Ralph L. Middle School	NSPF 3	88.92% of capacity
Saville, Anthony Middle School	NSPF 3	98.27% of capacity
Arbor View High School	NSPF 3	130.13% of capacity
Shadow Ridge High School	NSPF 4	129.79% of capacity

**Zip Code - 89118**

Earl, Marion B. Elementary School	NSPF 2	108.60% of capacity
Jydstrup, Helen M. Elementary School	NSPF 4	124.24% of capacity
Sawyer, Grant Junior High School	NSPF 2	78.77% of capacity

**Zip Code - 89119**

Dailey, Jack Elementary School	NSPF 3	97.66% of capacity
Paradise Prof. Development Elementary School	NSPF 2	107.40% of capacity
Rowe, Lewis E. Elementary School	NSPF 4	106.32% of capacity
Ward, Gene Elementary School	NSPF 1	80.53% of capacity
Orr, William E. Middle School	NSPF 2	71.52% of capacity

**Does the School District’s Capital Improvement Plan include any plans to add new schools or add additional capacity to existing schools within the community in which the applicant proposes to locate?**

The provided zip codes of the intended service encompass a large geographic area with 75 elementary schools, 19 middle schools, and 15 high schools with varying demographic profiles. Through the 2015 Capital Improvement Program, the Clark County School District has invested considerably within these zip codes to support community needs. One new elementary school has opened: Divich Elementary School (2018) in zip code 89149, and one new high school, Northeast Career and Technical Academy (2023), in zip code 89084. Six of these schools received replacement facilities: Lincoln Elementary School (2017), Griffith Elementary School (2019), Twin Lakes Elementary School (2019), Wasden Elementary School (2020), Mackey K-8 (2020), and Hoggard Elementary School (2021). Eleven elementary schools have received building additions, adding needed capacity and modernization; West Preparatory Elementary School (2017), Herr Elementary School (2018), Culley Elementary School (2018), Detwiler Elementary School (2018), Fong Elementary School (2018), Reed Elementary School (2018), Ronzone Elementary School (2018), Squires Elementary School (2018), Bunker Elementary School (2018), Elizondo Elementary School (2019), Katz Elementary School (2019). Additionally, the following are planned for a future school replacement: Kelly Elementary School, Red Rock Elementary School, Cahlan

Elementary School, Herron Elementary School, Rowe Elementary School, Brinley Middle School, Garside Middle School, Bridger Middle School, Gibson Leadership Academy, Hyde Park Middle School, and Orr Middle School.

As you know, the SPCSA approved the Academic and Demographic Needs Assessment on July 26, 2019 and approved an updated version on January 22, 2021, January 28, 2022, and subsequently November 18, 2022. A copy of the current version can be found [here](#). Our staff and board will be evaluating the degree to which the applicant aligns with the identified needs. Please provide any input as to how this applicant does or does not meet identified needs in the community.

The charts below provides an analysis of the Pioneer Technology & Arts Academy Nevada K-12 application in reference to the applicant aligning with the SPCSA needs assessment.

Pioneer Technology & Arts Academy Nevada K-8		
Assessment	Criteria	Findings
Demographics	Does the applicant propose to serve student groups that consistently underperform on the Grades 3–8 Smarter Balanced Assessment (Math and ELA)?	Meets
Academic Geographies	Does the applicant propose serving geographies with a significant percentage of students attending a school that received a One-star or Two-star on the NSPF for the 2018–2019 school year, and received a NSPF index score below 50 for the 2021–2022 school year?	Does Not Meet
Demonstrated Capacity	Does the applicant propose a school model that includes demonstrated capacity, credible plans, and thorough research and analysis to intentionally provide access to Three-, Four- and Five-star schools in zip codes where a significant percentage of students are attending a school that received a One-star or Two-star on the NSPF for the 2018–2019 school year, and received a NSPF index score below 50 for the 2021–2022 school year?	Does Not Meet

## Pioneer Technology & Arts Academy Nevada 9–12

Assessment	Criteria	Findings
Demographics High School	Does the applicant propose to serve student groups that consistently underperform on the Grade 11 ACT Assessment in Math and English Language Arts as measured on the NSPF?	Meets
Demographics High School	Does the applicant propose to serve student groups where the four-year graduation rate is below the NSPF four-year annual graduation rate goal?	Does Not Meet
Academic Geographies	Does the applicant propose serving geographies with a significant percentage of students who are attending a school that received a One-star or Two-star on the NSPF for the 2018–2019 school year, or received a NSPF index score below 50 for the 2021–2022 school year, or are at risk of dropping out of school?	Does Not Meet
Demonstrated Capacity	Does the applicant propose a school model that includes demonstrated capacity, credible plans, and thorough research and analysis to intentionally provide access to Three-, Four-, and Five-star schools in zip codes where a significant percentage of students are attending a school that received a One-star or Two-star on the NSPF for the 2018–2019 school year, and received a NSPF index score below 50 for the 2021–2022 school year?	Meets

**If district staff or Board of Trustees has had prior communications with this applicant, please provide any relevant information or details from that communication that might be useful to the SPCSA in making an informed decision regarding the application.**

There is no knowledge of official communication between District staff or the Clark County School District Board of School Trustees.

**Are there currently any schools providing a similar educational model in the community in which the applicant proposes to locate? If yes, please provide any relevant information on the current school(s) with similar educational models that are available to students in the community.**

The District believes that existing schools in the proposed locations do offer similar types of opportunities.

**Is there any other additional information you wish to provide?**

N/A