

TEACH Las Vegas May 13th SPCSA Updates

Executive Director Hiring

The proposed Executive Director in the TEACH Las Vegas charter application, Dr. Maria Pimienta, has decided to remain with TEACH Public Schools (CMO) and will not take the Executive Director position with TEACH Las Vegas. The TEACH Las Vegas Board of Directors, with support from the CMO, will conclude the Executive Director interview process by May 21st. The TEACH LV team is targeting a June 1st 2021 start date for the Executive Director.

Facilities

The TEACH Las Vegas Board of Directors has entered into a lease agreement with Red Hook Capital Partners for the school site at 4624-4660 N. Rancho Dr. Las Vegas, NV 89130. The lease term starts July 1, 2021. However, TEACH has set up office space and has been conducting parent meetings and student recruitment events at the site since December 2021. Minor tenant improvements (signage, fencing, painting) and campus beautification will begin on June 1, 2021 with a target completion of July 16th, 2021.

Grants & Loans

TEACH Las Vegas is proud to share it was awarded a Great Schools For Nevada Charter Schools Program Grant in the amount of \$1,500,000. The grant will be used for planning and implementation activities leading up to and following the opening of the school during the first 2 years of operation. The funds were not projected in the original TEACH Las Vegas budget and will greatly aid in the schools successful opening.

Operations/Staffing

TEACH Las Vegas is working on completing its pre-opening checklist items and has completed all of the governance and financial management items for operations. Many of the remaining items will be completed once the school moves into its facility. Non-Executive Director hiring will commence June 1, after the Executive Director is hired. All jobs have been posted and resumes collected and vetted for potential interviews.

Student Recruitment

TEACH Las Vegas is utilizing both online and in-person recruiting efforts to increase enrollment. Our vendor Schola is being utilized for online advertisement and phone call follow up to interested parents. CMO staff are also working the phones to speak with parents (both enrolled and interested parents) to keep the informed about TEACH's progress towards opening in August and events at the school site. CMO staff are hosting weekly in-person event in the school community and at the school site to engage parents and collect enrollment paperwork. Staff are also walking the surrounding neighborhoods with flyers and knocking on doors to talk about the school. The table below shows the parents who have completed all the enrollment paperwork (Verified Enrollment) and those who have started the enrollment paperwork, but were missing at least one item (In Process). The Interested column reflects those parents who have voice interest in-person or over the phone to CMO staff, but haven't started the enrollment paperwork yet. An additional 98 parents have submitted interest forms via Google Forms or Schola, but TEACH hasn't been able to reach them in person or over the phone. The parents aren't reflected in the chart. However, TEACH will continue outreach to these uncontacted parents.

Grade Level	Verified Enrollment	In Process	Interested	TOTAL
K	12	7	27	46
1	6	5	17	28
2	8	5	8	21
3	3	5	8	16
4	6	5	6	17
5	5	2	7	14
6	6	4	4	14
7	1	1	2	4
TOTAL	47	33	79	159

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