

Solicitation of Input – 2023 New Charter Application Submission

County: Clark

Proposal: Do & Be Arts Academy of Excellence

Grades Served: K–8

Six Year Enrollment: 630

Proposed Location: To Be Determined. Intend to primarily serve the 89030, 89031, 89032, and 89081 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 - 89030

Cahlan, Marion Elementary School
Craig, Lois Elementary School
Fitzgerald, H. P. Elementary School
Herron, Fay Elementary School
Lincoln Elementary School
Mackey, Jo Elementary School
Martinez, Reynaldo L. Elementary School
McCall, Quannah Elementary School
Squires, C. P. Elementary School
Williams, Tom Elementary School
Bridger, Jim Middle School
Mackey, Jo Middle School
Smith, J. D. Middle School

3	93.74% of capacity
1	60.63% of capacity
2	72.76% of capacity
5	72.67% of capacity
2	77.93% of capacity
4	110.34% of capacity
3	92.50% of capacity
1	59.22% of capacity
2	71.99% of capacity
2	80.99% of capacity
3	79.74% of capacity
N/A	110.08% of capacity
1	73.94% of capacity
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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	86.18% 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



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 Elementary School	NSPF 2	102.32% of capacity
Wilhelm, Elizabeth Elementary School	NSPF 1	95.60% of capacity
Sedway, Marvin M. Middle School Swainston, Theron L. Junior High School Zip Code - 89081	NSPF 1 NSPF 2	66.48% of capacity 69.35% of capacity
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

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 twenty-five elementary schools, and six middle 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. Two of these schools received replacement facilities: Lincoln Elementary School (2017) and Mackey K–8 (2020). Two elementary schools have received building additions, adding needed capacity and modernization: Squires Elementary School (2018), and Elizondo Elementary School (2019). Additionally, the following are planned for a future school replacement: Cahlan Elementary School; Herron Elementary School; and Bridger 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 November18, 2022. A copy of the current version can be found <u>here</u>. 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 chart below provides an analysis of the **Do & Be Arts Academy of Excellence K–8** application in reference to the applicant aligning with the SPCSA needs assessment.

Do & Be Arts Academy of Excellence 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 Nevada School Performance Framework (NSPF) for the 2018–2019 school year, and received a NSPF index score below 50 for the 2021–2022 school year?	Meets			
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			



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