



Solicitation of Input – 2024 New Charter Application Submission

County: Clark

Proposal: Nevada Early College & Career Academy

Grades Served: 9-12

Six Year Enrollment: 600

Proposed Location: To Be Determined. Intend to primarily serve the **89032, 89031, 89030, 89106** zip codes.

School District Input:

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

Zip Code - 89032

Canyon Springs High School	NSPF 3	109.83% of capacity
Cheyenne High School	NSPF 2	74.59% of capacity

Zip Code - 89031

Mojave High School	NSPF 2	94.66% of capacity
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Zip Code - 89030

College of Southern Nevada High School - East	NSPF 5	0.00% of capacity
Desert Rose High School	NSPF N/A	57.86% of capacity

Zip Code - 89106

Advanced Technologies Academy	NSPF 5	103.55% of capacity
Veterans Tribute Career and Technical Academy	NSPF 5	109.43% 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 for the intended service area encompasses a large geographic area with seven high schools with varying demographic profiles. Through the 2015 Capital Improvement Program, the Clark County School District has invested within these zip codes to support community needs.

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 chart below provides an analysis of the **Nevada Early College & Career Academy** application in reference to the applicant aligning with the SPCSA needs assessment.

Nevada Early College & Career Academy		
Assessment	Criteria	Findings
Demographics	Does the applicant propose to serve student groups that consistently underperform on the Grade 11 ACT Assessment in mathematics and English language arts (ELA) as measured on the Nevada School Performance Framework (NSPF)?	Does Not Meet
Demographics	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- or Two-star rating on the NSPF for the 2022–2023 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- or Two-star rating on the NSPF for the 2022–2023 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