District and employee unions reaffirm commitment to lower class sizes

Improved achievement can be gained through higher standards and more personalized instruction

LAS VEGAS - Educators gathered yesterday to reach out to the public and decision makers about the level of commitment necessary to increase the personalized learning students receive. Raising student achievement for all Clark County School District (CCSD) students will take two things: more teachers and more classroom space. Citing the increased rigor required by the new Common Core curriculum, District and employee association leaders have outlined the need to lower Clark County's large class sizes.

Interim Superintendent Pat Skorkowsky discusses the need to lower class sizes in CCSD Schools. From left to right: Education Support Employees Association President John Carr, Clark County Education Association President Ruben Murillo, CCSD Interim Superintendent
Sixth grade students at James Cashman Middle School receiving a reading lesson in a crowded classroom of 41 students.

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