

ABOUT CCSD

Established in 1956, the Clark County School District is the fifth-largest school district in the country, educating almost 75 percent of all students in Nevada with more than 320,000 students enrolled in grades K-12. The district offers nationally recognized Magnet Schools and Career & Technical Academies as well as an online secondary school. Services offered by the district also include a school police department, adult education courses, special education, and partnerships with organizations such as Vegas PBS and the Public Education Foundation. As the largest school district in Nevada, CCSD plays a pivotal role in ensuring the future success, growth and advancement of the state.

BOARD OF SCHOOL TRUSTEES

A seven-member Board of School Trustees establishes CCSD policy and employs the superintendent to serve as chief executive officer. Trustees are elected to four-year terms. Regular meetings of the board are held on the second and fourth Thursdays of each month in the Edward A. Greer Education Center, 2832 E. Flamingo Road. Work sessions are held on the first Wednesday of each month beginning at 8 a.m. For more information about the Board of School Trustees, visit ccsd.net/trustees or call 702-799-1072.

- ◆ District A Deanna L. Wright
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BOARD OF SCHOOL TRUSTEES VISION STATEMENT

All students progress in school and graduate prepared to succeed and contribute in a diverse global society.



BOARD STRATEGIC IMPERATIVES

Academic Excellence – Literacy across all subject areas Pre-K through 12th Grades.

Engagement – Parent, student, community, and employee engagement in learning.

School Support – Focused support, preparation, training, and resources for staff in the schools.

Clarity and Focus – Fiscal and data transparency, accountability, and strategic oversight.



INCREASING STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT

The Board of School Trustees appointed Pat Skorkowsky as superintendent in June 2013. The superintendent is implementing the board's vision by putting a focus on six key areas:

- ◆ Increasing third-grade literacy proficiency rates
- ◆ Decreasing achievement gaps
- ◆ Increasing the graduation rate
- ◆ Increasing parent participation
- ◆ Increasing student safety and happiness
- ◆ Increasing number of students in Advanced Placement and Career and Technical courses

For more information about the school district's action plan, visit pledgeofachievement.com.

SCHOOLS

The district operates 351 schools and also sponsors some of the charter schools in Clark County:

- ◆ 216 Elementary schools
- ◆ 59 Middle schools
- ◆ 49 High schools
- ◆ 19 Alternative schools
- ◆ 8 Special schools

PERFORMANCE ZONES

CCSD schools are organized into 16 Performance Zones. Each Performance Zone is supervised by an Associate Superintendent. For a list of performance zones, visit ccsd.net/directory. CCSD also has different classifications for many of its schools which include:

- ◆ Prime 6 Schools – 9
- ◆ Title I Schools – 265
- ◆ Turnaround Schools – 15
- ◆ Victory Schools – 24
- ◆ Year-round Schools – 15
- ◆ ZOOM Schools – 32

STUDENT ENROLLMENT

The Clark County School District is the fifth-largest school district in the United States:

- ◆ 2016-17 – 322,770 students*
- ◆ 2015-16 – 319,713 students
- ◆ 2014-15 – 318,040 students
- ◆ 2013-14 – 315,087 students
- ◆ 2012-13 – 311,429 students

*Preliminary data pending verification with the Nevada Department of Education



MAGNET SCHOOLS, CAREER AND TECHNICAL ACADEMIES

CCSD's Magnet and CTAs offer learning opportunities in 140 programs of study that improve student achievement, promote diversity and create an awareness of career opportunities. For more information, visit itsyourchoice.ccsd.net.

CCSD offers these programs at:

- ◆ 10 Elementary schools
- ◆ 10 Middle schools
- ◆ 17 High schools



GRADUATION RATES

For the 2015-16 school year, CCSD's graduation rate was 74.88%.

The Class of 2016 featured:

- ◆ 17,232 Graduates
- ◆ 182 Valedictorians
- ◆ 62 Salutatorians
- ◆ 667 Advanced Placement (AP) recognitions
- ◆ 18 National Merit finalists
- ◆ 98 Service academy appointments
- ◆ \$195 Million earned by Merit Scholarship Award recipients
- ◆ More than \$278 million earned by Merit Scholarship Award recipients and Millennium Scholars

STUDENT ETHNIC DISTRIBUTION

Hispanic/Latino	148,387 (46.2%*)
Caucasian	81,003 (25.2%*)
Black/African American	44,279 (13.8%*)
Multiracial	20,558 (6.4%*)
Asian	20,408 (6.4%*)
Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	5,069 (1.6%*)
Native American	1,213 (.4%*)

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EMPLOYEES

The district employs 41,823 people, including full-time, part-time and temporary employees plus substitutes:

- ◆ 18,656 licensed personnel
- ◆ 11,975 support staff (includes clerical and food service staff, bus drivers, teacher aides, custodians, etc.)
- ◆ 1,371 administrators (principals, deans, central office, etc.)
- ◆ 142 school police
- ◆ 5,136 substitute teachers
- ◆ 4,543 other temporary/substitute employees

TRANSPORTATION

The Clark County School District encompasses all of Clark County, which covers 7,910 square miles and includes the metropolitan Las Vegas area and all outlying communities and rural areas.

- ◆ 1,730 buses
- ◆ 121,047 general education students were eligible for transportation while 16,008 special education students were eligible in the 2015-16 school year
- ◆ More than 23.5 million miles traveled last school year (2015-16)

BUDGET

The general fund operating budget for the 2016-17 school year is \$2.291 billion, with basic per-pupil state funding at \$5,573 and per-pupil expenditures at \$8,512.

Per-pupil expenditures include all funds except capital, debt, food service and internal service funds. The district receives revenue from various sources including:

- ◆ 41.2% local sales tax
- ◆ 31.9% state funding
- ◆ 18.7% property tax funding
- ◆ 5.6% government services tax, federal support, other
- ◆ 2.6% opening fund balance

SPECIALIZED PROGRAMS

A range of programs that meet a broad spectrum of students' educational needs are available. Percentage of students who qualify or participate in specialized programs:

- ◆ 63.55% Free and Reduced Lunch (as of June 30, 2016)
- ◆ 25.4% English Language Learners
- ◆ 11.5% Special Education Services (provided up to age 22)
- ◆ 5.25% Gifted Education Program

BUSINESS/COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

To volunteer time, provide resources to school, mentor a student, or to learn how to help, contact the School-Community Partnership program at 702-799-6560 or visit ccsd.net/partnership.

USEFUL PHONE NUMBERS

Adult Education	702-799-8650
Career and Technical Education	702-799-8462
FACES (parent resources)	702-799-0303
Food Service	702-799-8123
Job Hotline	702-799-5252
Magnet Schools	702-799-8492
School Police Dispatch (Crime Reporting)	702-799-5411
Transportation	702-799-8110
Zoning	702-799-6430

To report an incident of bullying, visit ccsd.net/students/bully.



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