Title IA:
Title I ATSI Notification Letter

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Dear Parent or Guardian,

The purpose of this letter is to notify you about important information regarding your child's school and to detail the protocol for measuring the academic performance of public schools in Nevada. The Nevada School Performance Framework (NSPF) is a critical part of the Education Performance System and utilizes a five-star classification system.

In December 2015, the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) was signed into law. Highlights of ESSA include holding all students to high academic standards and identifying low performing schools along with appropriate supports for school improvement. The three designations that are used to identify low performing schools are Comprehensive Support and Improvement (CSI), Targeted Support and Improvement (TSI) and Additional Targeted Support and Improvement (ATSI).

The State uses results from its school rating system, the NSPF, to identify CSI, TSI, and ATSI schools.

ATSI schools are schools met the following conditions during their designation year:

- NDE calculates NSPF scores for each student group at each school, awarding points for measures where group size is ≥ 25, following NSPF rating rules. If one or more student groups have an NSPF score at or below the bottom 5th percentile NSPF scores used in CSI, the school is designated ATSI.

At the end of three years, a school is evaluated for exit. To exit ATSI:

- The student group(s) must have a current year NSPF score that is above the bottom 5th percentile for either their designation year or the current year (whichever is higher).If a Title I school does not exit, they are redesignated as CSI, per ESSA. If a non-Title I school does not exit, they remain ATSI and will be evaluated annually for exit.

School Specific Information

Please see below for the index scores and corresponding star ratings for each school within the NSHS network are included below, based on the data from the previous school year:

1. Downtown Henderson: 86.5pts | 5 Star Rating
2. Las Vegas Downtown: 77.5pts | 4 Star Rating
3. Henderson Flagship: 85.8pts | 5 Star Rating
4. Reno Meadowwood: 90pts | 5 Star Rating
5. Las Vegas Northwest: 87pts | 5 Star Rating
6. North Las Vegas: 86.5pts | 5 Star Rating
7. Las Vegas Southwest: 87.5pts | 5 Star Rating
8. Las Vegas Summerlin: 85.8pts | 5 Star Rating
9. Las Vegas Sunrise: 84.7pts | 5 Star Rating

School Specific Actions

Nevada State High School is using allocated Title I funding to:

- ACT preparation boot camps
- Providing tutoring in core content areas (e.g. math, English)
- Bus passes for students
- Offsets of dual enrollment tuition and course fee costs for students

For more information about the resources, specific strategies, and tailored school goals, please review the School Performance Plan on our school's website. Additionally, your school's rating report is available at nevadareportcard.nv.gov. Or you may contact us on help ticket at help.earlycollegenv.com

Sincerely,

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