## Nevada Educator Workforce & Class Sizes

# **Business Rules - School Directory**



#### **Title**

**School Directory** 

### **Purpose**

The School Directory contains a record for every active public school in Nevada during the specified school year.

The file contains directory information about the schools and various designations used throughout this site for data aggregation purposes such as Title I status, school star rating, school type, grade levels served, and more.

## **Data Update Frequency**

There is a school directory created for each school year that is updated annually.

#### **Data Elements**

The School Directory for each school year can be downloaded from the <u>Data Files</u> page in the <u>Research and Data</u> tab.

- End Year: The calendar year for the end of the school year. For the school year 2024-2025 the end year is 2025.
- **District StateID**: The state id for the district in which the school is located. This id can be used to connect to district data from other state data sources such as Nevada Report Card.
- **District NCES Code**: The district id used by US Ed's National Center for Education Statistics. This can be used to connect to district data from federal education data sources such as the <u>Common Core of Data</u>.
- District Name: The name of the district in which the school is located.
- School StateID: The state id for the school. This id can be used to connect to school data from other state data sources such as Nevada Report Card.
- School ID: The school id used in the state edition of the student information system, Infinite Campus.
- School NCES Code: The school id used by US Ed's National Center for Education Statistics. This can
  be used to connect to school data from federal education data sources such as the <u>Common Core of</u>
  Data.
- ACT Code: The school id used by ACT. This can be used to connect to school data released by ACT.
- School Name: The school name.

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- **School Type**: This is the classification of the school. Possible values:
  - Adult: The school is an adult education program.
  - Alternative: An alternative school is a public elementary or secondary school that addresses the
    needs of students that typically cannot be met in a regular school program and is designed to
    meet the needs of students with academic difficulties, students with discipline problems, or both
    students with academic difficulties and discipline problems.
  - o Correctional: The school is in a correctional facility.
  - o District Charter: A district sponsored charter school.
  - o Early Learning: An early learning program.
  - o Juvenile Correctional: School in a juvenile correctional facility.
  - Regular: A regular school is a public elementary/secondary school that does not focus primarily on special, or alternative education, although it may provide these programs in addition to a regular curriculum. These do not include charter schools as they have their own school type designation.
  - o SPCSA: Charter school sponsored by the State Public Charter School Authority (SPCSA).
  - Special Education: A special education school is a public elementary/secondary school that focuses primarily on serving the educational needs of students with disabilities (IDEA) and which adapts curriculum, materials, or instruction for these students.
- School Level: School Level refers to the grade levels a school serves. Possible values:
  - o Adult Education: Serves students in adult education.
  - Elementary School: Serves students in grades PK 5
  - o High School: Serves students in grades 9-12
  - *Middle School*: Serves students in grades 6 8
  - o Other Combination: Some combination of Elementary, Middle, or High (e.g., K-8, K-12, etc.).
  - *Pre K*: Serves students in pre-kindergarten
- **Grade Span**: The span of grades the school serves.
- **Total Enrollment**: Total enrollment of the school for the given school year as reported by the state on Nevada Report Card.
- Charter Status: Indicates whether or not the school is a charter school.
- **Title I Status**: Indicates whether or not the school is designated as a Title I school for the given school year.
- Magnet Status: Indicates whether or not the school is designated a magnet school for the given year.

- **Locale Description**: The locale refers to the setting of the school. It relies on standard urban and rural definitions developed by the U.S. Census Bureau. Learn more here. The options include:
  - o *City*: The school is in a city.
  - o Rural: The school is in a rural area.
  - Suburb: The school is in a suburb.
  - *Town*: The school is in a town.
- Elementary School NSPF Star Rating: The Nevada School Performance Framework (NSPF) is Nevada's school rating system as required by federal law. Star ratings are released in the fall for the prior school year. For example, the star rating in the 2024-2025 school directory is the rating based on performance data from the 2023-2024 school year. The exception is for the 2022-2023 school directory; the star rating is based on data from the 2022-2023 school year because there were no star ratings assigned in the 2021-2022 school year.
- Middle School NSPF Star Rating: The <u>Nevada School Performance Framework</u> (NSPF) is Nevada's school rating system as required by federal law. Star ratings are released in the fall for the prior school year. For example, the star rating in the 2024-2025 school directory is the rating based on performance data from the 2023-2024 school year. The exception is for the 2022-2023 school directory; the star rating is based on data from the 2022-2023 school year because there were no star ratings assigned in the 2021-2022 school year.
- High School NSPF Star Rating: The Nevada School Performance Framework (NSPF) is Nevada's school rating system as required by federal law. Star ratings are released in the fall for the prior school year. For example, the star rating in the 2024-2025 school directory is the rating based on performance data from the 2023-2024 school year. The exception is for the 2022-2023 school directory; the star rating is based on data from the 2022-2023 school year because there were no star ratings assigned in the 2021-2022 school year.
- Physical Address: Physical address of the school.
- City: City in which the school is located.
- Zip: Zip code in which the school is located.

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