Nevada Accountability Portal

An Overview of the September 15, 2020 Data Release

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Alignment to State Improvement Plan (STIP)

❖ **Goal 1:** All children, birth through third grade, have access to quality early care and education.

❖ **Goal 2:** All students have access to effective educators.

❖ **Goal 3:** All students experience continued academic growth.

❖ **Goal 4:** All students graduate future-ready and globally prepared for postsecondary success and civic life.

❖ **Goal 5:** All students have access to new and continued educational opportunities supported by funding that is administered transparently, consistently, and in accordance with legislative or grant guidelines.

❖ **Goal 6:** All students and adults learn and work together in safe schools where identities and relationships are valued and celebrated.

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What Comprises the Nevada Accountability Portal?

❑ **<u>Nevada Report Card</u>**

The Nevada Report Card includes annual reports of Accountability that provide State, district and school related Accountability data for various school years. Information found with the Nevada Report Card includes student achievement data, school rating information, high school graduation rates, student-teacher ratios, educator qualifications, school discipline data, student enrollment numbers and much more.

❑ **<u>Nevada School Performance Framework (NSPF)</u>**

The NSPF is an annual summary of school performance data. The NSPF meets State and Federal policy requirements and provides each school level with a unique rating system. School performance ratings can be found through the Nevada Report Card website.

❑ **<u>Nevada Growth Model</u>**

The Nevada Growth Model compares schools within the state and within a specified Nevada district using the Median Growth Percentile (MGP), percentage of students that are proficient, and percent of students meeting their Adequate Growth Percentiles (AGPs) on the state's mathematics, English Language Arts (ELA), and English Language Proficiency assessments. MGPs are determined by identifying the median Student Growth Percentiles (SGPs) for the students at a school. The MGP for each school is the measure used for school accountability.

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- Accountability and Assessment requirements were waived by the United States Department of Education (USDOE) for the 2019-2020 school year in response to COVID-19

- As a result, the 2019-2020 Nevada Accountability Portal will include:

  o **Star ratings** carried over from the 2018-2019 school year

  o **School designations** carried over from the 2018-2019 school year

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The following data **was not collected** for the 2019-2020 school year and **will not be reported** in the portal for the 2020-2021 school year:

- ✓ Chronic Absenteeism
- ✓ School Identification
- ✓ Academic Indicators
- ✓ School quality/student success indicator results
- ✓ Progress toward meeting long term goals and measurements of interim progress
- ✓ Information showing student achievement in a local educational agency (LEA) and each school, respectively, on the academic assessments compared to students in the State and the LEA

- ✓ NSPF school star ratings
- ✓ CRT (Smarter Balanced) results
- ✓ NAA results
- ✓ ACT results *
- ✓ ELPA (WIDA) results *
- ✓ Science results
- ✓ Percentage of students assessed and not assessed
- ✓ Number and percentage of students with the most significant cognitive disabilities taking an alternate assessment

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* These assessments were administered. Data can be found within the secure Digital Interaction Tool.

Snapshot of the Nevada Accountability Portal

Nevada Report Card (*per NRS 385A.070 and NRS 385A.400*) in 2020

Report cards are essential tools for transparency and communication. The current crisis has heightened the importance of getting timely and comprehensive information into the hands of families, communities, and education leaders.

Data Element		Can Nevada include this data on 09/2020 release of the Nevada Report Card website?
Per Pupil Expenditures	Annual Dropout Rates	**Yes.** These are based on data from previous year and can be included on September 2020 report card release.
4-Year Cohort Graduation Rates	5-Year Cohort Graduation Rates	
Legislative Appropriations	Professional Development Funding	
Remedial Study Funding	Source of Funding	
Staff	NSHE Remedial Enrollment	
Chronic Absenteeism Rates	NSPF Star Ratings	**No.** These are waived based on the US Department of Education COVID 19 waiver.
ACT	ELPA	
SBAC and NAA	Science Data	
Discipline	Technological Equipment	**Yes, with adjustments.** School closures impacted the ways in which these data elements are collected/defined. However, NV can still report these elements by explaining any changes (if any) in the data collection or definition.
CTE completion data	Retention	
Credit Deficiency	Transiency and Truancy Rate	
Student Enrollment	Student Average Daily Attendance	**Yes.** These are based on data from either the start of this academic year or prior to COVID 19 closures. This data isn't impacted by the Spring 2019 school building closures and will still be reported as planned.
Teacher Qualifications	Student Teacher Ratio	
Average Class Size	Paraprofessionals	
Substitute Teachers	Teacher Average Daily Attendance	

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What's New to the Nevada Accountability Portal?

❖**Per Pupil Expenditures** of federal, state, and local funds, including actual personnel expenditures and actual non-personnel expenditures of federal, State and local funds disaggregated by source of funds, for each local education agency (LEA) and each school in the State for the preceding fiscal year (ESSA Requirement)

❖**Professional Qualifications of Educators** including the number and percentage of inexperienced teachers, principals, and other school leaders, teachers teaching with emergency or provisional credentials, teachers who are not teaching in the subject of field for which the teacher is certified or licensed (NRS 385A.230)

❖**Disaggregated Discipline Data** per the 80th Session of the Nevada Legislature (2019)

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Nevada Accountability Portal Reporting Enhancements

Per Pupil Expenditure Reports

➤These downloadable school-level PDF reports are designed to help the parents, community members and stakeholders explore the amount of money spent on students in every school across Nevada

School Comparison Tool

➤The school comparison tool provides users with the ability to search for schools in Nevada based upon criteria such as school level, school type, star rating, enrollment, performance results, graduation rates, and more

➤This tool gives the user the ability to compare schools' key accountability data

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School Level Per Pupil Expenditure Report

❖ Provides relevant school information including star rating and student population size

❖ Compares per pupil spending by school, district, and state

❖ Breaks down school spending by instruction, instructional support, operations, and leadership expenditures

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School Comparison Tool

❖ Compare up to three schools on multiple factors such as school level, school type, and star rating

❖ Provides demographic data such as, race/ethnicity, English learners, students with disabilities, and economically disadvantaged students

❖ Also compares per pupil spending, English Language Arts (ELA) and Mathematics proficiency, chronic absenteeism rates, and bullying incidents
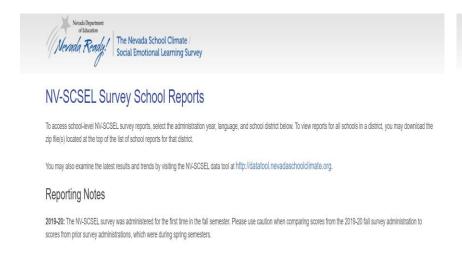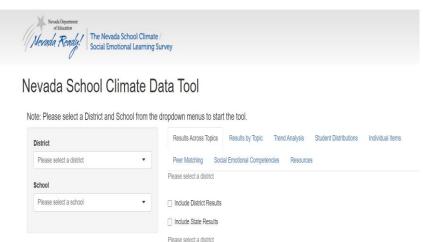

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The Nevada School Climate/Social Emotional Learning Survey (NV-SCSEL) School Reports

NV-SCSEL Survey School Reports

Nevada School Climate Data Tool

Questions

Please visit the
NevadaReportCard.nv.gov

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