

Hello-

As a native Las Vegas, I am a product of the Clark County School District. My children now attend CCSD public schools and I can tell you that the education funding provided by the state in 2018 is woefully inadequate to meet the needs of the Nevada's children. Perhaps this is because we are still committed to a funding formula older than me? I have fought against the increasing class sizes at CCSD for years and now realize it will take legislative action in the form of brave and thoughtful reconsideration of the funding formula before my children have any hope of receiving the quality of education I did growing up in Las Vegas in the 1980's. Repeated studies have shown that the Nevada plan for funding is insufficient and outdated. Class sizes this year will be the highest in the country while funding is nearly the lowest. We can do better and we must do better. I urge you to make revision of the Nevada plan and the distributive school funding accounts a priority in the upcoming legislative session.

Respectfully,
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