

Dear Applicant:

The Student Member of the Nevada Board of Education was established during the 2011 Legislative Session and exists to provide members of the State Board of Education with a unique perspective on educational issues, programs and policies. As the Student Member of the Nevada Board of Education you will be expected to attend monthly State Board of Education Meetings in either Carson City or Las Vegas, whichever is closest to your home. At these meetings it is your responsibility to advocate for students throughout all of Nevada's Public and Charter Schools in grades Kindergarten through 12th grade. These meetings typically last one day but can if required extend into a second day. The Student Member will serve a one year term beginning on June 1st and ending May 31st.

Topics that frequently come up at meetings of the Nevada Board of Education include high school graduation requirements, implementation and regulations concerning new programs and data examination of existing programs such as the Read by Grade Three program, The Nevada Achievement School District, Zoom and Victory Schools, as well as evaluating the Nevada School Performance Framework.

Some things to keep in mind as you work through your application and decision to apply for this position would be your dedication to Nevada's students, your interest in Education throughout the state of Nevada, as well as the time you are willing to invest into the position if appointed. This position requires you to travel for responsibilities as a part of the Nevada Board of Education as well as the NASC State Board.

While not required, volunteering to serve on a subcommittee of the State Board is an excellent opportunity to become involved in looking closer at a certain issue.

This position is unique and requires you to interact with department staff, news reporters, educational experts, and the general public throughout your time on the State Board. It is expected that you will prioritize the State Board of Education as well as represent yourself and NASC in a professional manner as you execute the duties of your office.

Please feel free to email me if you have any questions about the position or the application.

Sincerely, Rui Ya Wang

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