

STRATEGIC PLAN 90-DAY UPDATE

AUGUST 13, 2026

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We are CCSD
DESTINATION DISTRICT

OUR DESTINATION

Academic Excellence

Students achieve academically so that they can succeed today and adapt for tomorrow.

Career-Connected Learning and Durable Skills

Students graduate with durable skills, a clear path forward, and the credentials needed to enter their chosen field.

Safe and Supportive Schools

Students learn in safe, supportive schools where they are known, valued, connected, and ready to thrive.

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90-DAY UPDATE

May

- Received Board approval (May 14)
- Met with all Units to review Strategic Plan and guide implementation plans
- Launched cross-functional workgroups to strengthen school supports, design meaningful professional learning, and enhance continuity of services for students with disabilities and their families

June

- Regions hosted Principal Workshops to develop commitments for Priority 1 (Academic Excellence) alongside the Efficiency Study
- Units claimed ownership over each strategy
- Developed Board reporting cadence
- Aligned Efficiency Study recommendations with Strategic Plan

July

- Units began drafting year-one initiatives
- CCSD Admin Kick-Off shared the Principal Commitments
- Surveyed Principals on their readiness to implement Priority 2
- Welcomed Principal on Special Assignment to oversee scaling innovation
- Released an RFP for Durable Skills initiative with innovation fund

ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE

Strategies to Reach our Destination



1. Academic Excellence, Innovative Learning
2. A Premier Pre-Kindergarten (Pre-K) Program for Clark County School District Families
3. Strong Readers, Writers, and Communicators
4. Confident Mathematical Thinkers and Problem Solvers
5. Inclusive Classrooms That Support Every Learner
6. Valued Educators

YEAR-ONE INITIATIVES

Priority 1: Academic Excellence

Tier I Commitments

Communicate and implement CCSD Instructional Commitments created by 300-plus principals in June, 2026

Student-Centered Observation Tool

Co-develop a student-centered classroom observation tool to use in classroom walks for effective Tier I curriculum materials use

Professional Learning

Provide ongoing professional learning to implement the student-centered classroom observation tool and provide targeted feedback and support

CAREER-CONNECTED LEARNING AND DURABLE SKILLS

Strategies to Reach our Destination



1. Graduates with Skills, College Credits, or Credentials That Open Doors
2. Career–Connected Experiences for Students Pre-K–Grade 12
3. Durable Skills for a Changing World
4. Access Across Every ZIP Code and for Every Student
5. Employees Prepared to Lead What's Next

YEAR-ONE INITIATIVES

Priority 2: Career-Connected Learning and Durable Skills

Career-Connected Events

All Elementary and Middle Schools will host two career-connected events (e.g. guest speakers, career day) for each grade level with guidance from a forthcoming Career-Connected Learning Toolkit

Academic Planning

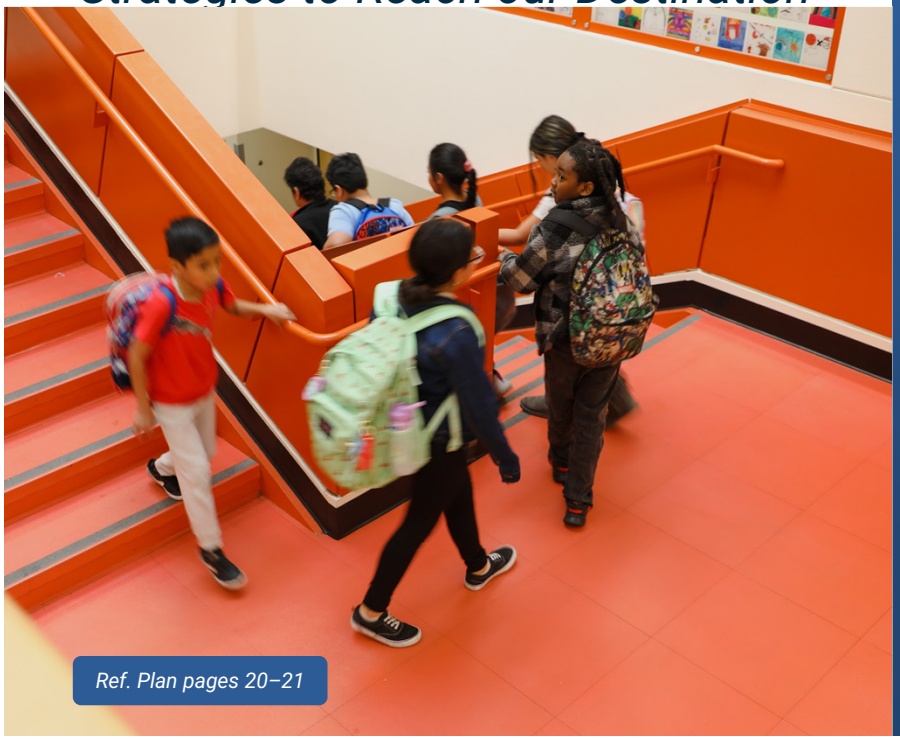
All Middle and High Schools will create high-quality academic plans for every student and involve families in the planning process

Durable Skills

Co-develop a Durable Skills Framework that is mapped to standards, integrated across all core subjects, and driven by teacher voice with aligned professional learning

SAFE AND SUPPORTIVE SCHOOLS

Strategies to Reach our Destination



1. Welcoming Schools with Community–Based Support
2. Students Who Are Known, Valued, and Connected
3. Safe, Respectful, and Consistent School Environments
4. Sharing CCSD's Success
5. A Workplace Where Employees Thrive

YEAR-ONE INITIATIVES

Priority 3: Safe and Supportive Schools

Connected Students

Schools will develop a plan to increase the number of students who feel known, valued, and connected at school

Streamlining Communication

Launch aligned family and community engagement systems: parent data dashboard, CCSD website, school websites, and other communication tools to better tell district and school stories

Measuring Activities/ Engagement

Establish a baseline for the number of students who are involved in a connection-building activity at school (athletics, clubs, etc.)

2026 REPORTING CADENCE

August	• Strategic Plan 90-Day Update • **Priority 3** (Students Who Are Known, Valued, and Connected & Safe, Respectful, and Consistent School Environments)
September	• **Priority 3** (Opening of Schools) • **Priority 1** (A Premier Pre-K Program for Clark County Families & Inclusive Classrooms That Support Every Learner)
October	• **Priority 1** (Academic Excellence, Innovative Learning, Strong Readers, Writers, and Communicators, Confident Mathematical Thinkers and Problem Solvers, & Inclusive Classrooms That Support Every Learner) • **Priorities 1-3** (Valued Educators, Employees Prepared to Lead What's Next, & A Workplace Where Employees Thrive)
December	• **Priority 3** (Welcoming Schools with Community–Based Support & Sharing CCSD's Success)

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

Messaging to broader community:

- The Destination District podcast
- Press conference after passage of Destination District plan
- More than 50 interviews, press releases, and events for Back to School

Messaging to CCSD community and education partners:

- 15 CCSD graduation ceremonies
- Administrative Back to School Kickoff
- Black Community Organizations Network (BCON) Baccalaureate Ceremony
- Employee associations
- Harvard Public Education Leadership Project
- International Society for Transforming Education
- Nevada Association of School Superintendents
- NSHE, UNR, UNLV, NSE, CSN leadership
- Students at The LGBTQ+ Center
- Superintendent's Parent Advisory Council
- Superintendent's Student Advisory Council
- Superintendent's Teacher Advisory Council

Non-profits/partners/elected officials:

- 38th Silver State Awards
- All mayors/county commission chairman
- Asian Community Development Council
- CEO Exchange (non-profit leaders)
- Clark County Black Caucus
- College Football Foundation
- Las Vegas Alliance of Black School Educators
- Las Vegas Executives Association
- Las Vegas Raiders
- Latin Chamber of Commerce
- Legislative Commission on Education
- Mesquite Chamber of Commerce
- Nellis Air Force Base
- Public Education Foundation
- School Community Partnership Action Council
- Vegas Chamber Board of Directors
- Vegas Chamber Executive Women's Council
- West Las Vegas Library



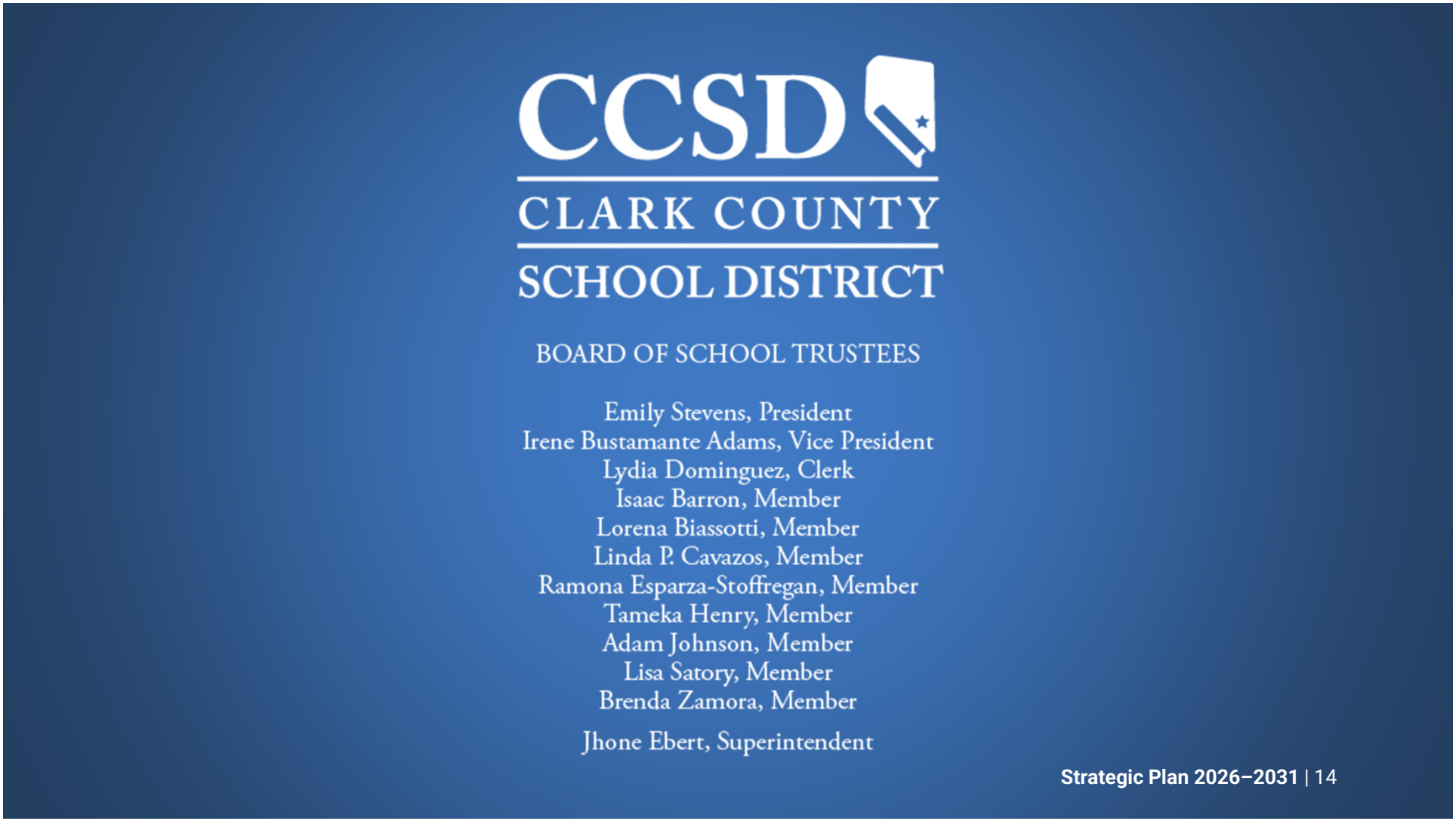
OUR COMMITMENT

This is our five-year commitment to transforming our schools into safe, supportive places where learning sparks joy and students are ready to build a home, a life, and a future.



SUPERINTENDENT'S COMMENTS
BOARD DISCUSSION AND QUESTIONS

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