# **Delta Academy**

Clark County School District

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## 2013-2014 School Accountability Report

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#### **Mission Statement**

The Delta Academy will provide a safe and nurturing instructional environment in which students from various backgrounds expand their knowledge base to fulfill academic and personal goals through differentiated instruction and reinforcement of positive character traits.

### **Principal's Highlights**

The Delta Academy is in its 7th year of operation. We continue to improve our program while maintaining true to the mission through differentiated instruction and low student-to-teacher ratio.

- In June of 2013, Clark County School District approved to charter Delta Academy for an additional six years.
- The Delta Academy is fully accredited by Northwest Accreditation Commission and AdvancED.
- The Delta Academy has been designated as a Title I school.
- The Delta Academy has maintained a low student-toteacher ratio. The average class ratio is 12 students for every teacher.
- The Delta academy offers a traditional "brick and mortar" instructional model, an online instructional model, and a hybrid model of instruction.
- The Delta Academy has seen a decrease in discipline referrals and suspensions over the past four years.
- The Delta Academy offers affordable online summer school to all Clark County middle and high school students.

## **Goals and Objectives**

#### Goal 1

Improving the academic achievement of pupils.

### Objective(s):

Using baseline data and growth expectations outlined by Nevada's Performance Framework, all continuously enrolled students' average yearly Student Growth Percentile, as determined by the STAR assessments, will be: MS Reading > 43, MS Math > 42, HS Reading > 45, and HS Math > 41.

### Goal 2

Providing an accurate measurement of the educational achievement of pupils.

#### Objective(s):

The intake data collected for students who have had continuous enrollment at Delta Academy for a minimum of 18 weeks will be used for analysis. By the end of the school year, overall Individual Success Plan (ISP) scores will increase by 10%.

### **School Communication Efforts**

The Delta Academy utilizes frequent parent communication as a way to increase student attendance and academic performance. We feel that personal calls from school staff to parents are an important method of communication. If a student has been absent for two or more days, our staff attempts to contact the parent to ascertain the reason behind the absences. We, at the Delta Academy, believe that the only way we can effectively educate the youth of Southern Nevada is to gain the assistance of the parent/guardian. We work together as a team to resolve issues negatively impacting student performance. Also, we frequently use our website to communicate important information to our students, parents and community members.

## **Demographics and Student Information**

Data are provided by the Nevada Department of Education from the state student information system. Gender, race/ethnicity, and special student populations are reported as of count day.

		Ethnicity											Gender						
	#	Native		" I '"' I Acian I H		Hisp	Hispanic Black		White		Pacific Islander				Ma	ale	Female		
		#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
State	451,730	4,782	1.06%	25,264	5.59%	183,212	40.56%	44,795	9.92%	162,544	35.98%	5,994	1.33%	25,139	5.57%	232,790	51.53%	218,940	48.47%
Clark	314,636	1,470	0.47%	20,646	6.56%	139,705	44.40%	39,047	12.41%	90,040	28.62%	4,746	1.51%	18,982	6.03%	162,225	51.56%	152,411	48.44%
Delta Academy	225	-	1	1	-	63	28.00%	63	28.00%	73	32.44%	N/A	N/A	17	7.56%	104	46.22%	121	53.78%

Data as of: Count Day

District totals do not include state or district sponsored charter school data. (2008-Current)

## **Special Populations**

	#	IE	P.	E	LL	FF	RL .	Migrant		
		#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
State	451,730	51,946	11.50%	67,836	15.02%	239,170	52.95%	77	0.02%	
Clark	314,636	35,073	11.15%	51,931	16.51%	178,690	56.79%	0	0.00%	
Delta Academy	225	41	18.22%	-	-	172	76.44%	0	0.00%	

Data as of: Count Day

ELL= Students who are English Language Learners

FRL= Students qualifying for Free/Reduced Price Lunch

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## Student Average Daily Attendance (ADA)

Student Average Daily Attendance (ADA) is the percentage of the school enrollment in attendance on an "average school day" as of the 100th day of school.

	All Students	Am In/ AK Native	Asian	Hispanic	Black	White	Pacific Islander	Two or More Races	IEP	ELL	FRL
State	94.90%	93.30%	97.00%	94.80%	93.60%	94.90%	94.80%	94.80%	93.40%	95.40%	94.40%
Clark	94.80%	93.40%	97.00%	94.80%	93.50%	95.00%	94.90%	94.90%	93.30%	95.40%	94.50%
Delta Academy	96.20%	-	-	97.10%	94.30%	96.70%	N/A	97.40%	92.40%	-	96.00%

ADA Data as of: First 100 days of instruction

ELL = Students who are English Language Learners

FRL = Students qualifying for Free/Reduced Price Lunch

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# Transiency, Truancy, and Discipline

	Transiency	Disci	pline
	Turnellan an Batatt	# of Str	udents
	Transiency Rate**	Habitual Disciplinary Problems	Habitual Truants
State	26.70%	156	1,900
Clark	28.90%	-	902
Delta Academy	85.70%	0	0

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			# of Incidents (Suspe	nsions or Expulsions)		
	Violence to Students	Violence to Staff	Weapons	Dist. Controlled Substances	Possession/ Use Controlled Substances	Possession/ Use of Alcohol
State	5,588	274	440	86	1,248	271
Clark	3,781	178	264	25	537	73
Delta Academy	6	0	0	0	0	0

		# of Incidents Bullying		# 0	of Incidents Cyber Bullyi	ng
	Incidents Reported	Incidents Determined to be so after an Investigation	Incidents Suspension/ Expulsion	Incidents Reported	Incidents Determined to be so after an Investigation	Incidents Suspension/ Expulsion
State	3,754	3,189	725	544	532	208
Clark	2,286	2,284	391	476	476	180
Delta Academy	0	0	0	0	0	0

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Discipline and Transiency incidents are reported at the school where the action occurred.

### Retention

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	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
State	655	1.90%	1,027	2.80%	480	1.40%	296	0.90%	133	0.40%	71	0.20%	355	1.00%	510	1.50%	566	1.60%
Clark	442	1.80%	824	3.20%	402	1.60%	250	1.00%	98	0.40%	46	0.20%	325	1.40%	453	1.90%	447	1.90%
Delta Academy	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	-	-	-	-

Data as of: Count Day

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Because of the changes in law (NAC 387.659) in 2009-2010 that affected the way credit deficient students are identified, results prior to this date and post this date cannot be compared.

## **Credit Deficiency**

	9	9	1	0	1	1	12		
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
State	242	0.70%	4,737	14.00%	6,287	19.20%	6,631	21.10%	
Clark	N/A	N/A	3,592	15.20%	4,663	20.60%	4,885	22.50%	
Delta Academy	N/A	N/A	16	42.10%	32	68.10%	49	66.20%	

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### Student/Teacher Ratio

	All Schools#	Kindergarten++	1st Grade	2nd Grade	3rd Grade	4th Grade	5th Grade	6th Grade	7th Grade	8th Grade
State	21:1	20:1	19:1	19:1	20:1	24:1	24:1	24:1	19:1	19:1
Clark	20:1	19:1	18:1	19:1	19:1	24:1	24:1	N/A	N/A	N/A
Delta Academy	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

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<sup>\*\*</sup>The purpose of some alternative programs is to enroll students for a short period of time until they can reenroll in a comprehensive school; therefore, transiency rates may be greater than 100% or N/A. Data reported as of the end of the school year.

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"+" Teachers may serve multiple grade levels as needed. Student/Teacher Ratio is reported for the school as a whole.

"++" Kindergarten ratios are based on the number of classes, not teachers.

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### **Average Class Size**

Average Class Size is listed for all classes where students rotate to different teachers for different subjects.

	English	Mathematics	Science	Social Studies
State	24	24	25	25
Clark	24	25	27	27
Delta Academy	6	4	4	4

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## **Dropout Rate: Class of 2013**

	Grades 9-12 Total	Male	Female	Am In/ AK Native	Asian	Hispanic	Black	White	Pacific Islander	Two or More Races
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
State	4.70%	5.30%	4.10%	6.00%	2.20%	5.40%	8.40%	3.60%	4.80%	4.30%
Clark	5.70%	6.40%	4.90%	9.10%	2.40%	6.00%	9.20%	4.70%	5.20%	4.60%
Delta Academy	52.40%	55.40%	50.00%	N/A	-	59.30%	46.70%	50.00%	N/A	78.60%

Data as of: Previous School Year

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Adult diplomas issued to 12th grade students enrolled in a program of alternative education are included in these figures.

Dropout Rates for 2003-2009 reports include grades 7 and 8. Reports after 2009 include grade 6.

CGR - Cohort Graduation Rates are reported for 2010-11 forward. Please see the 'Cohort Graduation Rates' report to access graduation data for the 2010-11 school year and subsequent school years.

Certificates of Attendance are given to students who did not receive a diploma only because they did not pass the Nevada High School Proficiency Exam.

## Nevada System of Higher Education (NSHE) (Fall 2013)

Students enrolled in remedial courses within the Nevada System of Higher Education (NSHE) do not reflect all graduates. Some graduates do not attend college or they attend college out of state.

	# Enrolled	# Remediated	% Remediated
State	11,696	3,040	26.00%
Clark	8,468	1,725	20.40%
Delta Academy	0	0	

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### **Graduation Rate: Class of 2013**

	Ger	nder				Ethnicity				Total
	Female	Male	Am In/ AK Native	Asian	Black	Hispanic	Two or More Races	Pacific Islander	White	Graduation
	Graduation Rate	Graduation Rate	Graduation Rate	Graduation Rate	Graduation Rate	Graduation Rate	Graduation Rate	Graduation Rate	Graduation Rate	Rate
State	74.02%	67.27%	58.67%	82.03%	56.71%	64.39%	80.14%	74.77%	77.20%	70.65%
Clark	75.02%	67.96%	57.81%	82.75%	57.87%	65.81%	82.52%	76.64%	79.57%	71.50%
Delta Academy	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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Cohort Graduation Rate is lagging data, which means that for 2012-2013 Report Card, data from 2011-2012 school year (class of 2012) is being reflected. Likewise, in the 2011-2012 Report Card, data from 2010-2011 (class of 2011) school year is reflected.

# **High School Completion Indicators: Class of 2013**

	Adjusted Diploma		Adult Diploma		Advanced Diploma		Certificates of Attendance and HSE+		Standard Diploma	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
State	1,234	4.80%	70	0.30%	6,957	27.20%	1,264	4.90%	16,056	62.80%
Clark	856	4.70%	-	-	4,317	23.50%	1,074	5.80%	12,134	66.00%
Delta Academy	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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## **Summary of Standards-Based Test Performance**

Nevada uses criterion referenced tests (CRTs), Nevada Alternate Assessment (NAA) and the High School Proficiency Exam (HSPE) to measure student achievement relative to Nevada's academic standards. For grade specific assessment results and other assessment information, refer to the Nevada Report Card Website at www.nevadareportcard.com.

ED = Percentage of students performing in the lowest range of achievement (Emergent/Developing)

AS = Percentage of students performing in the Approaches Standards range of achievement

MS = Percentage of students performing in the Meets Standards range of achievement

ES = Percentage of students performing in the highest range of achievement (Exceeds Standards)

K-8		Rea	ding			Writing			Mathematics				Science			
N-0	ED	AS	MS	ES	ED	AS	MS	ES	ED	AS	MS	ES	ED	AS	MS	ES
State	19%	19%	37%	25%	49%	18%	23%	10%	19%	25%	44%	13%	18%	22%	41%	20%
Clark	20%	19%	36%	25%	52%	19%	20%	9%	20%	25%	42%	13%	19%	22%	40%	19%
Delta Academy	59%	18%	22%	2%	0%	0%	0%	0%	69%	22%	10%	0%	68%	21%	12%	0%

9-12		Rea	ding			Writing			Mathematics				Science			
9-12	ED	AS	MS	ES	ED	AS	MS	ES	ED	AS	MS	ES	ED	AS	MS	ES
State	9%	9%	67%	14%	2%	20%	75%	3%	1%	22%	54%	24%	6%	17%	70%	8%
Clark	10%	9%	67%	14%	2%	20%	75%	3%	1%	22%	53%	24%	6%	17%	69%	7%
Delta Academy	17%	22%	54%	7%	4%	38%	58%	0%	6%	47%	43%	4%	10%	41%	49%	0%

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# Per-Pupil Expenditures 2012-2013

The Nevada Department of Education in consultation with In\$ite adjusted the formula used to calculate per pupil expenditures beginning with the 2009-2010 Annual Reports of Accountability. Therefore, we have two appropriate comparisons sets; comparisons 2003-04 SY through 2008-09 SY and comparisons of 2009-10 SY and forward.

Clark Total Cost Per Pupil = \$8006 District Total Cost Per Pupil = \$8274

	Instruction		Instruction Support		Operations		Leadership		Total Expenditures	
	\$	%	\$	%	\$	%	\$	%	\$	%
State	\$4,799.00	58.00%	\$968.00	11.70%	\$1,874.00	22.60%	\$633.00	7.60%	\$8,274.00	100.00%
Clark	\$4,718.00	58.90%	\$894.00	11.20%	\$1,802.00	22.50%	\$591.00	7.40%	\$8,006.00	100.00%
Delta Academy	\$3,972.00	67.90%	\$214.00	3.70%	\$671.00	11.50%	\$995.00	17.00%	\$5,852.00	100.00%

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Schools only showing up with \$0 are new and data was not collected for prior year. NDE in consultation with In\$ite adjusted formula used to calculate per pupil expenditures with the Annual Reports of Accountability, rendering comparisons between the year and past years data.

### **Personnel Information**

## **Classes Not Taught by Highly Qualified Teachers**

Highly qualified teachers hold a minimum of a bachelor's degree, are licensed to teach in the State of Nevada, and have demonstrated competence in their teaching area. Data were obtained from the Office of Teacher Licensure as of May 2014.

	English/ Reading/ Lang. Arts	Mathematics	Science	Social Studies	Foreign Languages	Arts	Elementary	Poverty Level
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	
State	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Clark	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Delta Academy	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Н

Teacher Data as of: May 1st (2008-Current)

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(H) = High Poverty School - defined as being within the bottom quartile throughout the state of percentages of students who qualify for free or reduced-price lunch

(L) = Low Poverty School - defined as being within the top quartile throughout the state of percentages of students who qualify for free or reduced-price lunch

### **Teacher ADA and Licensure Information**

	Average Daily Attendance	Teachers Providing Instruction						
	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	# Pursuant to NRS 391.125	# Pursuant to Waiver	# w/ o Endorsement				
State	95.80%	N/A	N/A	N/A				
Clark	95.90%	N/A	N/A	N/A				
Delta Academy	97.00%	N/A	N/A	N/A				

Teacher Data as of: May 1st (2008-Current)

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### School NSPF Results: 1 Star Rating

#### **Delta Charter MS**

Information on the ratings or rankings of schools in the Nevada School Performance Framework (NSPF) can be found via the Nevada School Performance Framework website at http://nspf.doe.nv.gov/

A 1-Star School is a school that has room for substantial improvement in whole school proficiency and growth. The required engagement of district leadership will support the school in improvement planning and implementation of specified and effective practices.

Performance Indicators	Points Earned	Points Eligible			
Growth Measure of Achievement	10	40			
Status Measure of Achievement	6	30			
Reduction in Achievement Gaps	0	20			
Other Indicators	8	10			
Total Index Score	[Points Earned(24)/Points Eligible(100)] X 100 = 24.00				

## **School NSPF Results: 2 Star Rating**

#### **Delta Charter HS**

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A 2-Star School is a school that has room for improvement in whole school proficiency and growth. The required engagement of district leadership will support the school in improvement planning and implementation of specified and effective practices.

Performance Indicators	Points Earned	Points Eligible			
Status/Growth Measure of Achievement	15	30			
Reduction in Achievement Gaps	3	10			
Graduation Measures	6	15			
College and Career Readiness	1	8			
Other Indicators	9	14			
Adjusted Index Score	[Points Earned(34)/Points Eligible(77)] X 100 = 44.16				

<sup>\*\*</sup>This school has received an \*Adjusted Index Score - Some schools in Nevada do not have enough students to reliably compute all of the performance measures in the Nevada School Performance Framework. These schools' ratings will be determined using an adjusted index score. The adjusted index score is a percentage of points. The percent is determined by points earned out of points eligible.

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The development of this annual state accountability report is a joint effort among the Nevada Department of Education and Nevada school districts. This report is provided to the public as required by the federal No Child Left Behind Act and NRS 385.347. A comprehensive listing of all accountability data, including student test data, may be accessed on the Nevada Annual Reports of Accountability website at www.nevadareportcard.com.