





# Spanish Springs High School Academy Signature Academy General Application Current 10-12 Grade



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which program do you wish to apply (circle one):	-C3iviedia	-Sports Medicine	
Student's Legal Last Name(s):	Student ID#		
Student's Legal First Name(s):			
Parent/Guardian Name: Last:	First:		
Address:			
City:	_ State:	Zip Code:	
Home Phone:	Student Date of Birth:		
Parent Email:	Cell Phone:		
Student Email:	Cell Phone:		

# **SUCCESS STATEMENT**

All of our Signature Academies believe in student success and make a commitment to support our students in every way that they can. We also believe that it takes a commitment from the student and parent(s) to achieve this success. Please sign below that you support your child's interest in attending this program, and that you have read the following Basic of Understandings and variance athletic guidelines.

In a Signature School or Signature Academy, the following Basic Understandings apply:

#### **MINIMIUM CRITERIA:**

Acceptance is based on a criteria set by the district. All accepted students are provisionally accepted, dependent upon their grades, attendance, credit accrual, test scores, and behavior.

Acceptance basic criteria:

- 2.0 overall GPA, no Fs
- Meets standards on Math and Reading MAP and/or HSPE tests.
- Regular school attendance (90%, all reasons included)
- Demonstrations of appropriate self-management abilities (no major discipline events).

### **ATTENDANCE IS A PRIVILEDGE:**

Acceptance is a privilege and is for one school year only. Enrollment will continue from year to year provided that students continue to meet the grade, credit, GPA, and behavior requirements as stated in the guidelines to be accepted. Students not meeting these requirements will be notified of probationary status and subsequent revocation of attendance privileges, if applicable.

#### TRANSPORTATION:

There is no district sponsored transportation for all Signature Academies.

#### **ONE YEAR COMMITTMENT:**

Available spaces in Signature Academies are limited and highly competitive. Students and parents accepting one of those available spaces are required to make a commitment to remain enrolled through the conclusion of the enrolled school year.

# **ATHLETIC POLICY:**

Student athletes attending a Signature Academy at a school other than their zoned high school are eligible to participate in any sanctioned sport offered at that school (NAC 386.787/NRS 386.430).

Students must abide by the regulations of the Signature Variance, which include:

- Students must maintain full enrollment in the plan of study designated by the Signature Academy and associated Signature Program with which they are affiliated. Enrollment will be reviewed annually.
- Students must continue to meet the requirements of participation in the Signature Academy and associated Signature Program.
- Student athletic participation is limited to the sanctioned sports offered by the school the student is attending.

If a Signature Variance is revoked or a student opts to leave the Signature Academy:

- Students who elect to return to the zoned school will lose athletic eligibility for the remainder of the school year in which the transfer occurs and for an addition 180 school days for any other sport in which the student's name appeared on a varsity NIAA roster (NAC 386.786).
- Students who are removed from a Signature Academy but have approval from administration to stay at the school in which the Signature Academy exists (which is not the students' school or residence) will revert to a "standard variance" and must complete 180 days of ineligibility for any NIAA sanctioned sport at the varsity level of competition (NAC 386.784).
- Students who leave from a Signature Academy in which they were granted a Signature Variance and apply
  and are accepted to a different Signature Academy located outside of their zone of residence will be
  placed on a standard variance and will lose athletic eligibility for 180 school days for any sport in which
  their name appeared on a varsity NIAA roster (NAC 386.786).

Parent Name:	Date:	
Parent Signature:	Student Signature:	

**Non-Discrimination Statement:** Washoe County School District does not discriminate against any person on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, disability or age, and that they provide equal access to the Boy Scouts of America and other designated youth groups. If you have any questions or concerns regarding the non-discrimination policies, contact Byron Green, Area Superintendent, at 425 E. Ninth St, Reno, NV 89512; (775)789-4604.