

REQUEST FOR VARIANCE JUSTIFICATION FY20

Lincoln County School District is notifying the Nevada State Board of Education that a variance from the limitation of pupils per licensed teacher in PVES School was approved by the School District Superintendent

Grade requesting variance:		Grade Ratio:	NRS 388.700	SB 555 Funded
Kindergarten	1	20 to 1	16:1	-
Grade One	1	23 to 1	16:1	17:1
Grade Two	1	21 to 1	16:1	17:1
Grade Three			18:1	20:1
Grade Four				
Grade Five				
Grade Six				

Star Rating	FRL %	ELL%	Justification for Variances				
			Facility Limitations	Difficulty Hiring Teacher	Difficulty Hiring Due To	Funding Limitations	Other
3	41	5	Yes	Yes	Location	Yes	Yes

Facility Limitations:

School was not built for more than one grade per class.

Difficulty Hiring Instructors:

Due to location and fewer teacher hiring is difficult.

Funding Limitations:

No funding available to additional teachers

Projected Enrollment Growth:

School has increased enrollment but district has a declining enrollment over all.

Detailed School Level Plan to Reduce Student-to-Teacher Ratios (Including Timeframes):

In classrooms over the ratio qualified paraprofessionals are assisting during instructional times.


Signature, District Superintendent of Schools

10-14-19
Date

State Board Approved ? Yes: _____ No: _____

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Lincoln County School District is notifying the Nevada State Board of Education that a variance from the limitation of pupils per licensed teacher in Panaca Elementary School was approved by the School District Superintendent

Grade requesting variance:		Grade Ratio:	NRS 388.700	SB 555 Funded
Kindergarten	<u>1</u>	<u>22 to 1</u>	16:1	-
Grade One	<u>1</u>	<u>19 to 1</u>	16:1	17:1
Grade Two	_____	_____	16:1	17:1
Grade Three	_____	_____	18:1	20:1
Grade Four	_____	_____		
Grade Five	_____	_____		
Grade Six	_____	_____		

Star Rating	FRL %	ELL%	Justification for Variances				
			Facility Limitations	Difficulty Hiring Teacher	Difficulty Hiring Due To	Funding Limitations	Other
3	49	7	Yes	Yes	Location	Yes	Yes

Facility Limitations:

There are not extra classrooms for more than one grade per class at the school.

Difficulty Hiring Instructors:

Even if we had a classroom and the ratio was higher a qualified teacher in our area is hard to find.

Funding Limitations:

Current funds do not allow for another teacher to be hired

Projected Enrollment Growth:

School has increased enrollment but district as a whole is in a decline

Detailed School Level Plan to Reduce Student-to-Teacher Ratios (Including Timeframes):

In the classroom over the ratio by one or two a qualified paraprofessional assist during instruct time

Other:



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