

REQUEST FOR VARIANCE JUSTIFICATION FY21

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 Elem School was approved by the School District Superintendent

Grade requesting variance:		Grade Ratio:	NRS 388.700	SB 555 Funded
Kindergarten	1	21 to 1	16:1	-
Grade One	1	20 to 1	16:1	17:1
Grade Two	1	17 to 1	16:1	17:1
Grade Three	_____	_____	18:1	20:1
Grade Four	_____	_____		
Grade Five	_____	_____		
Grade Six	1	27 to 1		

Star Rating	FRL %	ELL%	Justification for Variances				
			Facility Limitations	Difficulty Hiring Teacher	Difficulty Hiring Due To	Funding Limitations	Other
3	49	5	Yes	Yes	Location	Yes	No

Facility Limitations:

There are no extra classrooms for more than one grade per classroom in the school.

Difficulty Hiring Instructors:

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

Funding Limitations:

Current budget has no funds for an additional teacher to be hired

Projected Enrollment Growth:

School has higher 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 in ratio a qualified paraprofessional assist during instructional time.

Other:



Signature, District Superintendent of Schools

1-6-21
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 Pahrnagat Valley Elem School was approved by the School District Superintendent

Grade requesting variance:		Grade Ratio:	NRS 388.700	SB 555 Funded
Kindergarten	1	19 to 1	16:1	-
Grade One	1	22 to 1	16:1	17:1
Grade Two	1	18 to 1	16:1	17:1
Grade Three	1	22 to 1	18:1	20:1
Grade Four				
Grade Five				
Grade Six	1	24 to 1		

Star Rating	FRL %	ELL%	Justification for Variances				
			Facility Limitations	Difficulty Hiring Teacher	Difficulty Hiring Due To:	Funding Limitations	Other
3	41	4	Yes	Yes	Location	Yes	No

Facility Limitations:

School was not built for more than on classroom per grade.

Difficulty Hiring Instructors:

Due to location in rural area hiring is difficult.

Funding Limitations:

No funding available for additional 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 classrooms over the ratio a qualified paraprofessional assist during instructional times.



 Signature, District Superintendent of Schools

1-20-21

 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 Caliente Elem School was approved by the School District Superintendent

Grade requesting variance:		Grade Ratio:	NRS 388.700	SB 555 Funded
Kindergarten	_____	_____	16:1	-
Grade One	_____	_____	16:1	17:1
Grade Two	0.5	18 to 1	16:1	17:1
Grade Three	0.5	18 to 1	18:1	20:1
Grade Four	_____	_____		
Grade Five	0.55	20 to 1		
Grade Six	0.45	20 to 1		

Star Rating	FRL %	ELL%	Justification for Variances				
			Facility Limitations	Difficulty Hiring Teacher	Difficulty Hiring Due To	Funding Limitations	Other
4	52	0	No	No	Location	Yes	Yes

Facility Limitations:

Difficulty Hiring Instructors:

Funding Limitations:

Due to decline in enrollment in school there are two multi combined classrooms in which then meet the CSR ratio.

Projected Enrollment Growth:

There is a declining enrollment in this school in all grades

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

In classrooms over the ratio a paraprofessional assist during instructional times with students.



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