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Dear Parent or Guardian,

The purpose of this letter is to notify you about important information regarding your child's school and to detail the protocol for measuring the academic performance of public schools in Nevada. The Nevada School Performance Framework (NSPF) is a critical part of the Education Performance System and utilizes a five-star classification system.

In December 2015, the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) was signed into law. Highlights of ESSA include holding all students to high academic standards and ensuring that the lowest-performing schools are provided the appropriate supports for school improvement. Information is provided below about our school.

School Specific Information

Quest Academy has received for the year 2023-2024 an index score of 57.78 for the Middle School (3-Star Designation) and 22.5 for the Elementary School (1-Star Designation) based on the data from the previous school year.

School Specific Actions

Quest Academy is using allocated Title I funding to:

Ensure high quality instruction and support by providing the school an instructional interventionist. An interventionist models best practices, works with staff to meet students at their level, and supports strong student growth. Additionally, funds are used for class size reduction for English Language Arts and Mathematics. Small class sizes support individualized instruction and attention to each student's needs. Title I funds also support Information Technology staff to keep access to technology at the fingertips of all students so they can learn 21st century technology skills. Finally, Title I funds support staff to monitor chronic absenteeism. Chronic absenteeism, or missing more than 10% of school days, can have a negative effect on academic achievement and early intervention is key to keeping students on track.

We have high expectations for student achievement and growth and are working to improve every student's performance. We are using the results of our report card to guide our efforts this year and continue implementing the research-based best practices we launched in the last few school years and were responsible for the remarkable growth we have made so far. As we continue to strive to move to the next star ranking, our goal is for both campuses to demonstrate exponential growth and improve our rating scores this year and beyond.

Lastly, parent and family engagement are critical to your child's success. You are welcomed and encouraged to become involved in the academic progress of Quest. Please visit your child's school for information about parent and family engagement opportunities. We value your input and support as we recognize that Quest is a school of choice, and we work diligently to ensure it is your best choice. Your student also has the right to attend a zoned school.*

For more information about the resources, specific strategies, and tailored school goals, please review the School Performance Plan on your school's website. Additionally, your school's rating report is available at www.nevadareportcard.com. Or you may contact Janelle Veith, Principal, at (702) 631-4751.

*Nearby Zoned schools: Reed Elementary (23.5 points, 1-star school), Parson Elementary (29 points, 2-star school), Tobler Elementary (67 points, 4-star school)

Sincerely,

Janelle Veith
Principal