



DEMOCRACY PREP PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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100% ON THE ROAD TO COLLEGE

Democracy Prep Public Schools is a growing network of high-performing public charter schools with a national reputation for breakthrough academic results for students. We have proven we can expand our transformative model from Harlem, NY to Camden, NJ, Washington, DC, the Bronx, and Baton Rouge, LA.



MISSION

The mission of Democracy Prep Public Schools is to educate responsible citizen-scholars for success in the college of their choice and a life of active citizenship.



WHY NOW?

Now is the time to change course.

With a widening opportunity gap and growing demand for better schools, Democracy Prep is committed to providing quality seats for the students who need them the most.



SUCCESSES

97%

High School Graduation Rate

100%

College Admittance

89%

Alumni Enrolled in College.



LESSONS LEARNED

Data Driven Decision-Making

- ★ Using sophisticated network-wide dashboards and feedback loop
- ★ Administering nationally normed assessments to track student growth

Local Leadership

- ★ Shifting decision making power to leaders most familiar with the school's environment
- ★ Leveraging and developing exceptional talent by expanding Leader U, an in-network school leadership training program



WHY NEVADA?

Nevada deserves outstanding schools providing first-class education from kindergarten through high school. Democracy Prep senses the urgency to work with communities like Clark County, where children are historically lacking quality educational opportunities.

- ★ Nevada currently ranks last in the nation for academic achievement
- ★ Clark county students are likelier to drop out of HS than students elsewhere in Nevada

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WHAT MAKES DEMOCRACY PREP DIFFERENT



- I am welcome at Democracy Prep, regardless of my academic standing, behavioral standing, income or learning needs.



- I study two hours of math and English every day, one hour each of science and social studies as well as arts and physical education.



- I learn about civics and what it means to have a voice in my community.



- I'm a member of a warm and supportive school environment and my teachers use joy to help me learn.



- I spend more time in school than my peers at traditional public schools which means I'll get six more years of instructional time than other students.



- My teachers are some of the most talented and committed educators in the country.



- My teachers use data to adjust instruction so that it meets my needs and advances my learning daily.



- I am a public school student which means my education is paid for only with public funds.