

ALL COMPLETED APPLICATIONS MUST BE HAND-DELIVERED TO THE MAIN OFFICE!

Rainbow Dreams Academy is a Nevada state approved, Kindergarten, public charter school. All students have an equal opportunity to attend: Rainbow Dreams Early Learning Academy does not discriminate in its enrollment based upon the race, gender, religion, ethnicity, or disability of a pupil. RDELA's is dedicated to providing educational opportunities to students who are at risk. In order to serve this population, our application for admissions and determination of enrollment, are governed by NRS 386.580 and SB 391.

Enrollment Process for the 2021 | 2022 School Year

Please note: To complete enrollment at RDELA, you must both register with CCSD online **AND** complete the paper enrollment process at RDELA main office as specified.

STEP 1: Nevada State Online Registration

Online registration is now required for **all** students enrolling in Nevada public schools. Online registration **Opens on June 11th** for all students entering Pre-K/ kindergarten next school year.

Please note that CCSD does not provide transportation for students to or from RDELA. All transportation must be arranged or provided by the parents or guardians of RDELA students.

Families New to the Clark County School District:

Register from home on the CCSD website at register.ccsd.net. Parents registering from home must have an active personal email account. If you do not have a personal email account, or if you have questions regarding the Online registration process, please contact us for assistance at 702-638-0222.

STEP 2: RDELA Enrollment

RDELA is currently accepting applications for enrollment for the 2021 – 2022 school year and maintains Open Enrollment for the 2021-2022 school year. We are now accepting applications for grades Pre-K, and Kindergarten only. An application does not mean acceptance of enrollment. Upon acceptance the parent/guardian will be provided with an "Intent to Enroll" Packet to complete in order to obtain enrollment at RDELA.

While considering enrolling your student at RDELA, please review our Discipline, Attendance, and Dress Code policies which are stricter than local schooldistrict policies. Attendance at RDELA is a high priority and is closely monitored by administration.

Enrollment at the Rainbow Dreams Early Learning Academy school is conducted as follows:

- Placement priority is given to students currently enrolled in the academy. Homeless or Residing in foster care, Military families, and families residing in Tribal Land.
- Families whose income falls below 200% the federal poverty level.
- Applications economically disadvantaged with siblings attending Rainbow Dreams Early Learning Academy, during the school year, and living within a two-mile radius of RDELA
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- Applicants economically disadvantaged and living beyond a two-mile radius of RDELA
- All remaining applicants
- At the conclusion of this process, we will open enrollment to the public by filling any openings on a first come first served basis.

If more students are enrolled who meet the above criteria than there are spaces available, the school will enroll students based upon lottery system established and conducted in accordance with NRS 386.580 and SB 391, using the same criteria as outlined above for enrollment.

Additional Documentation Required for Enrollment:

- Photo ID of a Parent or Guardian
- 2 Proofs of Residence (Gas, Water, Electric, Lease or Mortgage Agreement) or Residential Affidavit
- Student's Original Birth Certificate
- Copy of Students Current Grades or Report Card
- Copy of Students Immunization Records
- If Applicable:
 - Copy of 504
 - Individual Education Plan (IEP)

Infinite Campus Registration is required!

ALL DOCUMENTS MUST ACCOMPANY THIS APPLICATION TO BE CONSIDERED!

Incomplete Applications WILL NOT be accepted!

For Office Use Only: Date Received: _____ Received By: _____ IC App Number: _____
 Immunizations: _____ Application Approved: _____ Notification Email Sent: _____
 Enrollment Packet Received: _____ Enrolled: _____ Schedule Complete: _____ HR Teacher: _____

Who can we thank for letting you know about RDA? _____

STUDENT INFORMATION

STUDENT MUST BE ENROLLED BY LEGAL NAME (As per birth certificate or other legal document) (PLEASE PRINT)

 Last Name First Name MI Age Date of Birth

 Grade (2021-2022) Last 4 digits Social Security Number: _____

Male Female

LANGUAGE SURVEY (Parent or Guardian Must Complete)

1. First language learned by student? _____ English _____ Other _____
2. Language spoken by student with friends? _____ English _____ Other _____
3. Language used in home? _____ English _____ Other _____

PARENT/GUARDIAN (please print legibly)

 Parent/Guardian Last Name First Name MI Relationship to child

 Address City State Zip Code

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 Home Phone Number Cell Phone Number E-Mail Address

 Occupation Employer Name Work Phone Number

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 Home Phone Number Cell Phone Number E-Mail Address

 Occupation Employer Name Work Phone Number

 Emergency Contact Name/Relationship Emergency Contact Phone Number(s)

If Guardian, do you have legal custody? Yes (Please submit court document)
 No (Please explain on separate page)

Pre-K students must be 4 years old by September 30th, 2021
Kindergarten students must be 5 years old by September 30th, 2021

ENROLLMENT APPLICATION
cont. SCHOOL YEAR 2021---2022

Type of School last attended:

CCSD/Nevada Out of State Private _____ _____
 Private Out of State Charter Date Last Attended Grade Last Attended
 Charter Out of State Public
 Homeschooled Other (identify)

 Name of School last attended Address of School (include zip code)
 Did child ever attend pre-school Yes No Where _____
 Did child ever attend kindergarten? Yes No Specify Month _____ Year _____

Was/is child in a Special Education Program? Yes No Where and When? _____
If yes, a copy of the latest Individual Education Plan (IEP) must be included.

SIBLING INFORMATION List all siblings applying for or attending Rainbow Dreams Early Learning Academy

 Last Name First Name MI Age Date of Birth

Is sibling presently attending a school? Yes No If yes, provide the following information.

 Name of School Grade

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 Name of School Grade

I/We further certify that the information supplied in this application is true and correct. Any information not disclosed will void this application.

An incomplete packet will not be accepted.

Signature of Parent/Legal Guardian

Date

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PARENT RESPONSIBILITY PAGE

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____ Initial I/We agree to support my/our child(ren) in all aspects of his or her education because I/we have no higher responsibility as a parent(s).

____ Initial I/We agree to be active in my/our child(ren)'s education by attending school events and volunteering because my/our presence is a very tangible sign of support for my child and the school.

____ Initial I/We agree to enforce the School's Code of Conduct/Behavior Policy: RDA has a zero-tolerance discipline policy. Guidelines are established and in place to correct inappropriate behavior. If inappropriate behaviors continue, a student may be suspended or removed from Rainbow Dreams Early Learning Academy. A student **must then attend** their zoned school or apply at another choice school.

____ Initial I/We agree to adhere to the Rainbow Dreams Early Learning Academy mandatory student dress and appearance policy. All students must wear the official Rainbow Dreams Early Learning Academy uniform. All RDA Uniforms **MUST** be purchased from LAS VEGAS UNIFORMS DIRECT.

____ Initial I/We agree to complete family engagement surveys. (Pre; Mid- Years; Post & Existing)

I certify that all answers given in this enrollment application are accurate and complete. I understand that if my child is enrolled, my having given false or misleading information in any of my application forms, residency forms, or having omitted significant information there from, may result in the discharge of my child from the school.

Student's Name

Grade

Signature of Parent/Guardian

Date

Signature of Parent/Guardian

Date

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2021-2022 DREAM CARE PARTICIPANT INFORMATION FORM

Program/School Rainbow Dreams Early Learning Academy	Grade Circle One! Pre-K----- Kindergarten	Date of Birth	
Student Name			Age
Address	Apt. #	Zip Code	Phone
Parent/Guardian *1		Cell Phone	
Work Location		Work Phone	
Parent/Guardian *2		Cell Phone	
Work Location		Work Phone	
E-Mail Address			

EMERGENCY CONTACT (someone other than parent/guardian):

I understand that it is my responsibility to provide current phone numbers and addresses.

_____ Relationship: _____ Phone: _____

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MY CHILD MAY BE PICKED UP BY (someone other than parent/guardian):

_____ Relationship: _____ Phone: _____

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MEDICATION: **NO** **YES** (If yes, please fill out additional medication form and attach photo.)

ALLERGIES OR SPECIAL NEEDS: _____

FEES: I understand that Dream Care is NOT a free service. Dream Care is \$3 for the morning, \$8 for the afternoon; or \$11 for the day. I understand that all fees/ payments must be made by Friday for the following week. Daily rates will apply if making payments for week of service. Payment may be made in cash or money order or paid online. Payments will only be accepted from adults listed on this form.

LATE PICK-UP FEE: I understand that if my child is not picked up by 6 p.m., a late fee of \$1.00 per minute per family will be charged beginning at 6:01 p.m. _____ Initial

ABSENTEEISM: I understand that no refund is given when a child is absent from the program. _____ Initial

SIGN-IN/SIGN-OUT: I understand that each child must be signed in and/or out daily. The only person(s) authorized to pick up the child are those listed on this form and a photo ID must be shown. _____ Initial

_____ Initial

Waiver of Claim

For ourselves, and/or on behalf of our child named above, our heirs, executors, and administrators, we hereby do expressly and forever waive and release the RAINBOW DREAMS EARLY LEARNING ACADEMY, DREAM CARE and all of their respective officers, employees, agents, or representatives from any and all liability for personal injury or damages, sustained, incurred, arising from, or connected with travel to, return from any and all classes, tournaments, and/or special events, and all activities related to, or in connection with said activity by ourselves or by our child. During Rainbow-sponsored programs and events Rainbow (RDELA) staff may take photos of participants that may be used in professionally-designed Rainbow (RDELA) publications and promotional materials.

ATTENDANCE – GRADES PRE-K AND KINDERGARTEN

Nevada Law requires daily attendance by all students, ages 4-18. Parents are asked to call the school before 8:00 a.m. to report a child's absence. An absent note signed by a parent or guardian must be written and returned to school's attendance clerk within 3 school days of an absence.

A student who arrives at school later than 8:30 a.m. will be recorded as "tardy" and both the student and a parent must report to the office for a "Tardy" slip. The school clerk is required to contact parents of students who are excessively tardy and/or absent. A Juvenile Court referral will be made for students accruing large numbers of absences.

ATTENDANCE POLICY

Regular attendance in school leads to increased student achievement. Attendance allows students to benefit from the educational opportunities provided by our excellent staff. The following information outlines the major attendance procedures implemented by Rainbow Dreams Early Learning Academy: See Attendance Policy WHY?

- Attendance enforcement is a shared responsibility between Rainbow Dreams Early Learning Academy and the student's parent/guardian.
- **A student who exceeds twenty (20) absences during the school year may be retained in the current grade.**
- Unavoidable medical and dental appointments that cannot be scheduled any other time and that will result in a partial day absence do not count in the absence total for purposes of attendance enforcement.
- A student that is declared truant three (3) times during a school year could be referred for educational neglect.
- Parents are to request makeup work within three (3) days of an absence. Students will be allowed a maximum of three (3) days to complete makeup work.

The following definitions are provided for your information:

Truancy: When a student is absent from school and neither the parent nor the school knows the whereabouts of the student.

Prearranged Absences: When a parent/guardian informs the school in advance that his/her child will be absent. Prearranged absences are always excused, but prearranged absences do count against the student's total number of absences.

Excused Absences: When a student is physically or mentally unable to attend school due to a medical appointment or illness.

When the parent/guardian explains the cause of the absence within three (3) days after the student returns to school. **(MUST HAVE A NOTE)**

When the approval of the principal has been given for an unavoidable absence due to an emergency.

When a student is participating in a school sanctioned activity outside the classroom during school hours, as approved by the principal.

When a student is absent due to a required court appearance or a required religious holiday. **(MUST HAVE A NOTE)**

Unexcused Absences: When a parent / guardian fails to notify the school to excuse the student's absence within three (3) days after the student returns to school. (Does not necessarily equate to truancy.)

Tardies: When a student is not physically present in the classroom at the start of the instructional day. A tardy becomes ½ day absence if more than one hour and fifty-five minutes are missed and becomes a full day if more than 3 ¾ hours are missed of the instructional day.

Makeup Work: Assigned classroom work which can be made up following an absence (i.e., worksheets, textbook assignments, etc.). It is virtually impossible to make up work directly related to oral instruction and discussion provided by the teacher, classroom discussions, video presentations, guest speakers, etc.