

WCSD 2019-20 Community Budget Survey

6. Are there other priorities you would like the District to consider funding? If so

Answered 1655

Skipped 3219

Respondents	Response Date	Responses	Tags
1	Jan 08 2019 11	Cut higher school board officials pay, NO ONE should be making	
2	Jan 08 2019 10	District salaries need to be overhauled (reduced) and more money	
3	Jan 08 2019 08	Class room instructors	
4	Jan 08 2019 06	Reduce Salaries. Traci Davis should move to Reno to save us	
5	Jan 07 2019 09	starting middle and high school later, as supported by all research	
6	Jan 07 2019 08	Music is not an extra curricular program. Our students receive	
7	Jan 07 2019 08	Subs should get \$125/day. Cut all admin salaries by 10% to pay	
8	Jan 07 2019 06	Teach United States History	
9	Jan 07 2019 06	Please prioritize Primary Literacy as a goal! Our district has no	
10	Jan 07 2019 05	Definitely, more for music and art.	
11	Jan 07 2019 05	Increase academic pass rate should not be done at the expense of	
12	Jan 07 2019 03	I find it unusual and unacceptable that you include music under	
13	Jan 07 2019 02	Funding to lower teacher student ratios and lower class sizes.	
14	Jan 07 2019 02	To help with academic success in high-risk, Title one elementary	
15	Jan 07 2019 02	More teacher allocations at secondary high school sites.	
16	Jan 07 2019 01	Helping the teachers more with their resources. Stop giving money	
17	Jan 07 2019 01	Art	
18	Jan 07 2019 12	I think it may fall under academic growth, but we need to greatly	
19	Jan 07 2019 11	These are ALL priorities aimed for student success. The LE	
20	Jan 07 2019 11	More support for music education.	
21	Jan 07 2019 11	Special education	
22	Jan 07 2019 10	More support for Positive Behavioral Interventions and Support	
23	Jan 07 2019 10	Please consider how much money is spent in transportation to	
24	Jan 07 2019 10	Yes, increase teacher salaries. This will pull in higher quality teachers	
25	Jan 07 2019 10	Maybe ask outsiders to volunteer time or resources to organize	
26	Jan 07 2019 09	Reduce class sizes.	
27	Jan 07 2019 09	I would like to see the salaries of teachers become a priority over	
28	Jan 07 2019 08	Put money back into the classrooms and get rid of all the administrative	
29	Jan 07 2019 08	Stop focusing so much on testing. Teach our kids, help us to create	
30	Jan 07 2019 08	Teacher retention, & health insurance.	
31	Jan 07 2019 07	I think the district should focus on students actually learning the	
32	Jan 07 2019 06	charter buses for student athletes who need to travel across the	
33	Jan 07 2019 02	PE - kids have PE once a week and sometimes that cancelled	
34	Jan 06 2019 08	Please prioritize buildings. Enough with expanding the TOSA program	
35	Jan 06 2019 08	Team sports	
36	Jan 06 2019 07	Stop wasting money on the SLO program. It provides nothing constructive	
37	Jan 06 2019 07	High Behavior Problem schools desperately need at least 5 extra	
38	Jan 06 2019 06	Getting rid of common core.	
39	Jan 06 2019 06	Raises for teachers	

40 Jan 06 2019 06 Do not give less money to higher ranking schools
41 Jan 06 2019 05 Our district greatly needs certified staff to provide physical edu
42 Jan 06 2019 03 Increase teacher pay
43 Jan 06 2019 02 Out-dated computers
44 Jan 06 2019 02 Too many kids are still falling through the cracks. It's very exp
45 Jan 06 2019 12 ANY kind of pay raise for teachers!!!
46 Jan 06 2019 12 Music is a graded and evaluated subject during the school day
47 Jan 06 2019 12 More teachers, class reductions. 38-40 students per teacher i
48 Jan 06 2019 11 Focusing on hiring and keeping great teachers and aides. Nor
49 Jan 06 2019 11 Early Childhood Education
50 Jan 06 2019 09 Athletics. Current coaching salaries are deplorable, yet admini
51 Jan 06 2019 08 Giving the teachers a higher pay which in turn creates a dema
52 Jan 06 2019 08 Teachers, not central staff, must be paid more. When employe
53 Jan 06 2019 07 Music
54 Jan 05 2019 10 Technology for students
55 Jan 05 2019 10 School in the mid- socioeconomic level. These schools do not
56 Jan 05 2019 09 Cut down administrator salaries!!!
57 Jan 05 2019 09 Stop wasting tax dollars.
58 Jan 05 2019 08 Teachers and supplies
59 Jan 05 2019 05 After cost reductions shortfall is paid by the marijuana tax.
60 Jan 05 2019 04 Smaller class sizes.
61 Jan 05 2019 03 Get rid of Admin cars, it's disgusting the walk zones were exte
62 Jan 05 2019 03 More field trips, more hands on learning
63 Jan 05 2019 02 Making sure our students have adequate supplies for the year
64 Jan 05 2019 01 Stop wasting millions to overhaul a golf course. Ridiculous! St
65 Jan 05 2019 01 They are all greatly needed It was very difficult to have to choc
66 Jan 05 2019 01 More training for special education teachers and aids. Smaller
67 Jan 05 2019 12 Teacher salaries
68 Jan 05 2019 12 Stop funding administrators, lower Tracy Davis' pay and stupic
69 Jan 05 2019 11 21st century learning
70 Jan 05 2019 11 Increase salaries of Aides in the classrooms.
71 Jan 05 2019 11 Gifted and Talented Education Music/Art Technology--One-T
72 Jan 05 2019 10 It is my understanding (not sure if it is correct or not) that the r
73 Jan 05 2019 10 Raises for personnel
74 Jan 05 2019 10 X
75 Jan 05 2019 10 Music and arts are not extracurricular programs. Documented
76 Jan 05 2019 10 Stop concentrating so damn much on these ridiculous inflated
77 Jan 05 2019 10 Pay teachers what they are worth! Get rid of unnecessary "tea
78 Jan 05 2019 09 More world languages in middle schools.
79 Jan 05 2019 09 The fact that this survey groups music and the arts into the ex
80 Jan 05 2019 09 The arts support all of the areas mentioned above and are wo
81 Jan 05 2019 08 Other Healthcare cost options need to be considered. Current
82 Jan 05 2019 08 Encourage students in the trades. Just like we need doctors a
83 Jan 05 2019 07 I resent seeing music and arts bundled in as "extra-curricular".
84 Jan 05 2019 07 More music
85 Jan 05 2019 05 It is clear from the feedback and results that I get from my dau

86 Jan 05 2019 04 Campus security. There should be closed and secure building;
87 Jan 05 2019 03 This survey is fundamentally flawed by treated graded course
88 Jan 05 2019 01 Keep building schools and please remember to add teachers w
89 Jan 05 2019 12 No
90 Jan 05 2019 12 reduce class sizes
91 Jan 05 2019 12 Music and arts
92 Jan 05 2019 12 More workers. We need more support for our teacher.
93 Jan 04 2019 11 Fund programs to educate community and voters and promote
94 Jan 04 2019 11 I think the wording above is misleading. It seems to imply musi
95 Jan 04 2019 09 As an employer I can teach an employee the skills to do a job.
96 Jan 04 2019 09 Lowering student to teacher ratio
97 Jan 04 2019 08 Gifted services
98 Jan 04 2019 08 Decrease the number of students in one classroom.
99 Jan 04 2019 08 Programs and opportunities, including after-school enrichment
100 Jan 04 2019 08 Music and band is very important
101 Jan 04 2019 08 Please note that I am furious that arts (specifically music) is lur
102 Jan 04 2019 07 Teacher pay increase
103 Jan 04 2019 06 The district needs to spend more money on staff who actually
104 Jan 04 2019 05 Adequately paying teachers
105 Jan 04 2019 05 Class sizes affect students' learning and growth as well as the
106 Jan 04 2019 05 You include music and arts in the same category as extra-curr
107 Jan 04 2019 04 Trade schools
108 Jan 04 2019 03 I think that teacher salaries are extremely important. I don't bel
109 Jan 04 2019 03 With school shootings on the rise, I would like to see promotio
110 Jan 04 2019 03 More for special education.
111 Jan 04 2019 02 special education
112 Jan 04 2019 02 Elementary school strategy labs for games and puzzles. Need
113 Jan 04 2019 02 School bus transportation for ALL elementary schools.
114 Jan 04 2019 02 Focus WAY on him based activities involving the parents. This
115 Jan 04 2019 02 reducing class size to historic lows.
116 Jan 04 2019 02 Arts education, which includes Music. We should be STEAM.
117 Jan 04 2019 01 Athletic Trainers for each and every high school. A must for th
118 Jan 04 2019 01 The year over year doom and gloom reported by the district is
119 Jan 04 2019 01 This is NOT WORDED CORRECTLY. MUSIC and the ARTS
120 Jan 04 2019 01 Prioritize and increase funding for programming for English Lea
121 Jan 04 2019 01 Smaller classroom size
122 Jan 04 2019 12 A homeschooling option for the students who are only at schoo
123 Jan 04 2019 12 Collect funds(fees) from delinquent students to put back into th
124 Jan 04 2019 12 Art, music and physical/health education for all students.
125 Jan 04 2019 12 Teachers, special education,
126 Jan 04 2019 12 Please cut administration! We have too many administrators!!!!
127 Jan 04 2019 12 Improving quality of special education programs.
128 Jan 04 2019 11 Support for internships and developing connections with busine
129 Jan 04 2019 11 I would like the district to consider equal funding across all sch
130 Jan 04 2019 11 Music is NOT an extracurricular activity. I have over 30 years
131 Jan 04 2019 11 Fire Tracy Davis she has been a disaster. The money spent f

132 Jan 04 2019 11 More teachers, smaller class sizes. Smaller teacher:student ratio
133 Jan 04 2019 11 All of the above are, to some extent, staff reliant. We need to fix
134 Jan 04 2019 11 I'd like the Superintendent salary decreased. It's absurd she's not
135 Jan 04 2019 11 Shop Classes
136 Jan 04 2019 10 You should not include music in extracurricular, that is a subject
137 Jan 04 2019 10 More Support for kids with emotional struggles and also more support
138 Jan 04 2019 10 This school district is top heavy in the area of district level departments
139 Jan 04 2019 10 Incorporating life skills, planning, and time management.
140 Jan 04 2019 10 CLASS SIZE!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!! It is impossible reach 40 to 50 students
141 Jan 04 2019 10 Increase base pay of ESP faculty (aides, assistants, etc), especially
142 Jan 04 2019 10 Teacher salaries, real health insurance
143 Jan 04 2019 10 Not for funding but In general - Please Provide more, and detail
144 Jan 04 2019 10 Get rid of the high paid employees and put SOME of them back to work
145 Jan 04 2019 10 Budget cuts should not impact extra curricular programs like music
146 Jan 04 2019 10 Fund SPED Pre-K to make it equal with Grant funded Gen. Ed
147 Jan 04 2019 09 Assisting teachers to help students be more successful through
148 Jan 04 2019 09 It feels like an impossibility after reading this, but I would like the
149 Jan 04 2019 09 Physical Education and Athletics; Home Economics & Financial
150 Jan 04 2019 09 Basic life skills.. i.e. Rent, bank accounts, Pay day loan ripoffs
151 Jan 04 2019 09 No
152 Jan 04 2019 09 Teacher pay raises are essential. It is nearly impossible to live
153 Jan 04 2019 09 Afterschool programs
154 Jan 04 2019 09 Decent pay for teachers. Teachers who have to work 2 jobs in
155 Jan 04 2019 09 Yes, Transportation would help family and their child would not have
156 Jan 04 2019 09 MORE SCHOOL SOCIAL WORKERS, more physical activity in
157 Jan 04 2019 09 You need to stop having cars for so many administrators. Also
158 Jan 04 2019 09 Making sure the students and teachers have the equipment and
159 Jan 04 2019 09 Field trips Supplies for the class room or for the school i.e. Paper
160 Jan 04 2019 09 I feel that some instructors are not necessarily great at teaching
161 Jan 04 2019 09 Teacher's salary
162 Jan 04 2019 09 Health and sports programs
163 Jan 04 2019 09 Mental health services in schools. 1- 2x/weekly appointments
164 Jan 04 2019 09 Cost of living increase for teachers. Teacher pay increases.
165 Jan 04 2019 09 Teacher/Staff salary promotions
166 Jan 04 2019 08 I'd like to see more dual language programs in elementary schools
167 Jan 04 2019 08 Better pay for teachers and making it easier for those with Master's
168 Jan 04 2019 08 I completely disagree that music belongs in the same basket as
169 Jan 04 2019 08 Class size reduction to a ratio of 16 to 1 needs to be funded for
170 Jan 04 2019 08 Mental health support for needed students
171 Jan 04 2019 08 SPECIAL EDUCATION: Teacher recruitment, increased allocation
172 Jan 04 2019 08 More on fair wages for ESPs. Allowing bus drivers, aides, secretaries
173 Jan 04 2019 08 Sites choose what is necessary for their students and families
174 Jan 04 2019 08 Healthier cafeteria food
175 Jan 04 2019 08 TWI programs in all schools. Focus on reading aloud and SSI
176 Jan 04 2019 08 Music is not extracurricular and is a core subject.
177 Jan 04 2019 08 Our district is a large district with a wide range of needs. Each

178 Jan 04 2019 08 More Computers in classrooms. More music, sports, and art
179 Jan 04 2019 08 Teacher salary increases
180 Jan 04 2019 07 Accountability experts who are actually held accountable.
181 Jan 04 2019 07 Class size
182 Jan 04 2019 07 Better health care cost for employees.
183 Jan 04 2019 07 Personal Finance. 100% of students will use it in future yet not
184 Jan 04 2019 07 Student ratio dropping lower. Grass/ turf on playgrounds so kids
185 Jan 04 2019 06 Please continue the music and art programs at the schools. They
186 Jan 04 2019 06 I would like to see the district give teachers and ESP a cost of
187 Jan 04 2019 05 If there isn't enough funding, eliminate middle and high school art
188 Jan 04 2019 05 Teacher salaries
189 Jan 04 2019 05 Recruiting quality educators by paying them what they are worth
190 Jan 04 2019 05 special education that emphasizes mainstreaming students as
191 Jan 04 2019 04 A variety of WORLD languages
192 Jan 04 2019 01 Stop paying the superintendent a six figure salary and give them
193 Jan 04 2019 01 School social workers as district employees
194 Jan 04 2019 01 Teach about life skills, basic things like personal hygiene, home
195 Jan 04 2019 01 Stop spending so much money overtesting the kids
196 Jan 04 2019 12 I am stunned that WCSD continues to exclude the arts as inte
197 Jan 04 2019 12 Fund classes that prepare kids to start business and balance sheet
198 Jan 04 2019 12 **Music and the arts are not extracurricular! They are at the core
199 Jan 03 2019 11 Kids with dyslexia these students are not special ed
200 Jan 03 2019 11 Well stocked classroom libraries that meet the needs of diverse
201 Jan 03 2019 11 Teachers in WCSD deserve a raise. Money should be funded
202 Jan 03 2019 11 More after-school programs
203 Jan 03 2019 10 Music and the arts are not "extracurricular." They enrich students
204 Jan 03 2019 10 None
205 Jan 03 2019 10 Pay aides and assistants more. That's right you pay your staff
206 Jan 03 2019 10 Basic life skills such as real world working skills i.e How to balance
207 Jan 03 2019 10 Increase in educators' resources, salary, benefits and continuing
208 Jan 03 2019 10 More focus on instructional spending per pupil, less on support
209 Jan 03 2019 10 Building Security.
210 Jan 03 2019 09 Offering foreign languages and music at middle school (not just
211 Jan 03 2019 09 More Teachers/Assistant Teachers, and more Training of Teachers
212 Jan 03 2019 09 Lowering the superintendents \$350,000 salary.
213 Jan 03 2019 09 Teacher salaries and retention of good teachers needs to be a
214 Jan 03 2019 09 Maybe not additional priorities, but there are easy places to rec
215 Jan 03 2019 09 More trade classes such as woodshop and auto shop
216 Jan 03 2019 09 Technology for teachers and students to meet 21st Century learning
217 Jan 03 2019 09 Focus on providing education to kids who learn at a slower rate
218 Jan 03 2019 09 Funds for students to excel overall. Also funds for educating students
219 Jan 03 2019 09 Reduce class size. Last years budget cuts added more students
220 Jan 03 2019 09 Once you are 100% confident in the safety, then allocate funds
221 Jan 03 2019 09 No
222 Jan 03 2019 08 Reduce the high level management salaries and hire more teachers
223 Jan 03 2019 08 Reading, writing, math. My kids need to know how to write legibly

224 Jan 03 2019 08 School supplies for teachers and students. Higher pay for teach
225 Jan 03 2019 08 School providing breakfast services to kids. School reducing tl
226 Jan 03 2019 08 I feel as though the district does not put enough focus on progr
227 Jan 03 2019 08 Cost for sports
228 Jan 03 2019 08 We need a Science program for ES.
229 Jan 03 2019 08 Reduce the Salary for the Board of Directors
230 Jan 03 2019 08 More attention to special education: programs for language, de
231 Jan 03 2019 08 Maintenance, music, trades
232 Jan 03 2019 08 The US is built on a 6th grade level of academic skill developm
233 Jan 03 2019 08 I'd like them to stop funding a bloated administration and full-tir
234 Jan 03 2019 08 Health and physical education, improved nutrition of lunches
235 Jan 03 2019 08 Music is not extra curricular. I would like more programs supp
236 Jan 03 2019 07 Cut 1/3 of all overhead too many in management. Stuperenten
237 Jan 03 2019 07 Student to teacher ratio
238 Jan 03 2019 07 None
239 Jan 03 2019 07 Electrics in the lower grade levels for schools who are not title
240 Jan 03 2019 07 Teacher pay
241 Jan 03 2019 07 Take money to fund programs for high achieving students from
242 Jan 03 2019 07 The School district needs to consider hiring more teachers. Th
243 Jan 03 2019 07 Bring the district up to date with using technology, for example
244 Jan 03 2019 07 Yes, pay the staff better. I have noticed a decrease in substitui
245 Jan 03 2019 07 teachers over administration, reducing class size, fully fund ar
246 Jan 03 2019 07 Higher pay for subs- especially at schools far from town (cold
247 Jan 03 2019 07 I am not very familiar with the challenges WUSD faces, but i be
248 Jan 03 2019 06 The superintendent could decrease how much of the money is
249 Jan 03 2019 06 Teacher incentives to keep good quality teachers.
250 Jan 03 2019 06 Incentives for effective and highly effective teachers to keep th
251 Jan 03 2019 06 Training of teachers and therapists, they are extremely under f
252 Jan 03 2019 06 PBB is a huge waste of time. Once again, our district leaders h
253 Jan 03 2019 06 Bring back physical education. Also smaller schools with a foc
254 Jan 03 2019 06 Carrier readiness as much or more than collage prep. Get rid
255 Jan 03 2019 05 Mental health support services in schools
256 Jan 03 2019 05 Smaller class sizes, particularly in upper elementary grades. I
257 Jan 03 2019 05 A new curriculum
258 Jan 03 2019 05 Don't know
259 Jan 03 2019 05 Teacher training, WUSD teachers do not have access to as m
260 Jan 03 2019 05 Tutors for our students
261 Jan 03 2019 05 Text books and supplies needed for the teachers and students
262 Jan 03 2019 05 Internship/Externships STEM focused learning and more proje
263 Jan 03 2019 05 (1) Stop funding suspended teachers pay. Foster greater res
264 Jan 03 2019 05 Use the funding that we have available that you don't want to u
265 Jan 03 2019 05 Arts and music
266 Jan 03 2019 05 Taking processed foods out of the schoool lunch program and
267 Jan 03 2019 05 Better monitoring of student understanding class materials
268 Jan 03 2019 05 teacher development, increasing salaries for teachers, incenti
269 Jan 03 2019 04 Before and After school care! How can parents work 8-5 hours

270 Jan 03 2019 04 reduced class size.
271 Jan 03 2019 04 special education and all that goes with it
272 Jan 03 2019 04 I think the practice of increasing class sizes is not good for our
273 Jan 03 2019 04 Assessing the effectiveness of grant-funded programs: what is
274 Jan 03 2019 04 Art, music ,physical education , multi cultural programs, trades
275 Jan 03 2019 04 Safety for students in any way possible Safe transportation
276 Jan 03 2019 04 I don't not want to see music cut from our curriculum. It's impos
277 Jan 03 2019 04 Teachers are professionals and are trained to work with what t
278 Jan 03 2019 04 Technology innon title 1 schools
279 Jan 03 2019 04 Smaller class size
280 Jan 03 2019 03 25 to adequate teacher salaries. 5 to new text books in social
281 Jan 03 2019 03 The teachers should receive a higher starting pay, and bonuse
282 Jan 03 2019 03 Higher salary
283 Jan 03 2019 03 Adequate tools and supplies to make academic growth happer
284 Jan 03 2019 03 Paying more competitively to aides and assistants in order to k
285 Jan 03 2019 03 I think that our schools are in disrepair and need some funding
286 Jan 03 2019 03 STEM
287 Jan 03 2019 03 Class sizes are too large and the playground is dirt.
288 Jan 03 2019 03 The teacher's should NOT have to pay for their supplies!!!! Ho
289 Jan 03 2019 03 Multilingualism and cultural inclusion. We need more options for
290 Jan 03 2019 03 Sports, Arts and Music
291 Jan 03 2019 03 Music!!
292 Jan 03 2019 03 Improve SWAS
293 Jan 03 2019 03 At the middle and high school levels, additional guidance couns
294 Jan 03 2019 03 ADD--Targeted Professional Learning: In order to accomplish
295 Jan 03 2019 03 Increase fundraising from the public and parents. I am used to
296 Jan 03 2019 03 Reduce teacher training and support offered by the district. Pe
297 Jan 03 2019 03 Trade skills in standard schools. Not everyone is going to be a
298 Jan 03 2019 03 Reading specialists
299 Jan 03 2019 03 Pay raises for teachers
300 Jan 03 2019 03 None
301 Jan 03 2019 02 Career Path programs for current support staff
302 Jan 03 2019 02 Counseling (emotional, bullying, handling test anxiety, planning
303 Jan 03 2019 02 newer and updated schools
304 Jan 03 2019 02 Mental health initiatives Health (healthy food options, etc)
305 Jan 03 2019 02 Remove the ridiculous number of staff at C & I and in administr
306 Jan 03 2019 02 Anti bullying seminars
307 Jan 03 2019 02 School bus routes...I drive my daughter to and from middle sch
308 Jan 03 2019 02 identify struggling students and provide academic assistance *
309 Jan 03 2019 02 Life readiness, finances, credit, taxes, budgeting, self care.
310 Jan 03 2019 02 Life preparedness - Financial aptitude, taxes, the political proce
311 Jan 03 2019 02 Yes, elementary School sports programs
312 Jan 03 2019 02 Special Education
313 Jan 03 2019 02 PE or sports are very important. Giving kids opportunities to e
314 Jan 03 2019 01 Technology per student allowances
315 Jan 03 2019 01 Reallocate High School Physical Education budget and resourc

316 Jan 03 2019 01 Athletics-Swim programs/ Teacher-class consumable reimburse
317 Jan 03 2019 01 Financial literacy
318 Jan 03 2019 01 No but I would like to expand on my choices listed above. I do
319 Jan 03 2019 01 How about funding a class that teaches a child how to live in the
320 Jan 03 2019 01 SMALLER CLASS SIZES
321 Jan 03 2019 01 Cut salaries to upper management which will increase funds for
322 Jan 03 2019 01 I feel WCSD isn't supporting volunteering. The amount of money
323 Jan 03 2019 01 professional learning and growth for teachers
324 Jan 03 2019 01 SCHOOL SAFETY!!
325 Jan 03 2019 01 Transportation
326 Jan 03 2019 01 I'd like to see more funding go toward physical activity and education
327 Jan 03 2019 01 Teacher salaries
328 Jan 03 2019 01 Changing school start times to match teenage sleep schedules
329 Jan 03 2019 01 The school district is top heavy, decrease admin and put more
330 Jan 03 2019 01 Secure entry/exit for all schools
331 Jan 03 2019 01 Teacher trainings
332 Jan 03 2019 01 Stop taking away extracurriculars. It's not all about math and English
333 Jan 03 2019 01 Reducing administration.
334 Jan 03 2019 01 I think there are way too many administration jobs in the district
335 Jan 03 2019 01 After school programs sports and team building programs
336 Jan 03 2019 01 More on student wellness, which would include SEL and mindfulness
337 Jan 03 2019 01 no
338 Jan 03 2019 01 To safely monitor traffic around school zones, either through video
339 Jan 03 2019 01 MUSIC , ART AND PE
340 Jan 03 2019 01 School improvements projects for outdated schools, and NOT
341 Jan 03 2019 01 I will not suggest ways for WCSD to spend money, they don't have
342 Jan 03 2019 01 More police to patrol school zones
343 Jan 03 2019 01 Staff salaries to retain and recruit quality educators.
344 Jan 03 2019 01 Yes the district needs to put more money on not the average kid
345 Jan 03 2019 01 Fund to improve technology at the administrative level to improve
346 Jan 03 2019 01 Teacher pay increase
347 Jan 03 2019 01 Kids are not taught how to study. They need more tutoring and
348 Jan 03 2019 01 We are always ranked at the bottom for academics we need to
349 Jan 03 2019 01 Increase in teacher/staff pay.
350 Jan 03 2019 01 Field trips and safety
351 Jan 03 2019 01 Facilities suck for the most part and need updates, especially for
352 Jan 03 2019 01 reading, writing, and math
353 Jan 03 2019 01 Teacher pay and retention Special education staffing and support
354 Jan 03 2019 01 Trades, foreign language, environmental studies, outdoor programs
355 Jan 03 2019 01 The district needs to provide transportation to Schools for students
356 Jan 03 2019 01 Better pay for the teachers so that they care enough to teach and
357 Jan 03 2019 01 There is a huge amount of the budget going for non-English speakers
358 Jan 03 2019 01 Support for new teachers and struggling teachers.
359 Jan 03 2019 01 Elementary school physical education programs and actual class
360 Jan 03 2019 01 NA
361 Jan 03 2019 01 Music and arts is critically important to overall education and learning

362 Jan 03 2019 01 up to date technology
363 Jan 03 2019 01 more in the languages (foreign languages)
364 Jan 03 2019 01 Decreasing class sizes by eliminating administrative overhead
365 Jan 03 2019 01 Fund all teaching assistants fully - pay then benefits. So you ca
366 Jan 03 2019 01 Increasing teacher salaries and wages by reducing administra
367 Jan 03 2019 01 School walk zones need more safety, as in sidewalks, marker
368 Jan 03 2019 01 Give the classrooms back to the teachers! FUND teachers an
369 Jan 03 2019 01 Your surveys are designed to support what YOU want, not trul
370 Jan 03 2019 01 Smaller class sizes! The kindergarten ratio has not changed si
371 Jan 03 2019 01 I worked for the school district and was appalled by the waste,
372 Jan 03 2019 12 Teacher Resources!!! Books, digital technology, paper, pencils
373 Jan 03 2019 12 Not priorities but I sometimes question if we don't add on more
374 Jan 03 2019 12 Two positions solely responsible for academic growth and well
375 Jan 03 2019 12 I would like to see more focus on alternative learning options, li
376 Jan 03 2019 12 Get rid of common core and fire teachers that are bad teacher
377 Jan 03 2019 12 No
378 Jan 03 2019 12 A bigger budget for school supplies so teachers don't have to u
379 Jan 03 2019 12 Child transportation! Schools routes put back to reduce danger
380 Jan 03 2019 12 Obtaining a skill in a working trade.
381 Jan 03 2019 12 Additional mental health supports. Reduce the staff/student rati
382 Jan 03 2019 12 Teachers pay. I see that teachers are leaving their jobs becau
383 Jan 03 2019 12 Teachers and staff! We need to invest in our teams on the gro
384 Jan 03 2019 12 Sports teams so all children can participate.
385 Jan 03 2019 12 Paying teachers better not administrators
386 Jan 03 2019 12 We need more schools built
387 Jan 03 2019 12 Social and emotional development
388 Jan 03 2019 12 No. Tax dollars are stolen. Stop using taxation as a funding me
389 Jan 03 2019 12 There are not nearly enough resources for Special Needs stuc
390 Jan 03 2019 12 If you reduce Traci Davis' salary and all of the wasted top adm
391 Jan 03 2019 12 No
392 Jan 03 2019 12 The school district needs new leadership with better ideas on f
393 Jan 03 2019 12 Lunch for children should be free, if we can house inmates and
394 Jan 03 2019 12 steAm learning is very important and all facets of steAm shoul
395 Jan 03 2019 12 sports and PE
396 Jan 03 2019 12 Unsure what "priorities" do NOT fall under those broad categor
397 Jan 03 2019 12 Teacher income
398 Jan 03 2019 12 I think that the amount we pay for the superintendent is ridiculo
399 Jan 03 2019 12 Campus Police
400 Jan 03 2019 12 Cut school board salaries. Cut school board car allowances.
401 Jan 03 2019 12 Breaking into two districts. We are too large for any type of cor
402 Jan 03 2019 12 Music & arts
403 Jan 03 2019 12 GT programs, AP courses,
404 Jan 03 2019 12 School Safety measures needs to be completed as a priority.
405 Jan 03 2019 12 IT Budget - To have proper IT equipment for the teachers and
406 Jan 03 2019 12 I like the above priorities, but I am concerned that music (as lis
407 Jan 03 2019 12 Equal support positions for literacy for all schools.

408 Jan 03 2019 12 Wcsd doesn't teach children for the future. I graduated in 2002
409 Jan 03 2019 12 Work shops
410 Jan 03 2019 12 Special needs programs
411 Jan 03 2019 12 Special education services
412 Jan 03 2019 12 Build and staff more schools. The amount of students per clas:
413 Jan 03 2019 12 The priority that I would like the District to consider is reversing
414 Jan 03 2019 12 This isn't the correct place for this comment, but there is no oth
415 Jan 03 2019 12 Instead of adding things to fund, I think the school district shou
416 Jan 03 2019 12 Fixing inefficiencies in your bus system.
417 Jan 03 2019 12 Develop actual life skills
418 Jan 03 2019 12 We need to cut spending in administration. We also need to gi
419 Jan 03 2019 12 Look at reducing high-level administration positions.
420 Jan 03 2019 12 Support for independent study and student special interests, in
421 Jan 03 2019 12 I feel that the teachers spend time on most of these issues so
422 Jan 03 2019 12 Art teachers in elementary school.
423 Jan 03 2019 12 All things related to special education.
424 Jan 03 2019 12 Increase teacher pay, reduce administrative/board member pa
425 Jan 03 2019 12 Yes, cut the salaries of all the overpaid administrators and re-a
426 Jan 03 2019 12 Cut extracurricular activities before the safety of the students.
427 Jan 03 2019 12 Classroom size,my children are in classrooms with 30-35 othe
428 Jan 03 2019 12 support staffing
429 Jan 03 2019 12 Class size reduction.
430 Jan 03 2019 12 Bullying needs to be addressed and changed . . . school fights
431 Jan 03 2019 12 mental health, fostering mentally healthy students, and addres
432 Jan 03 2019 12 Buses that need to give children rides to school that are outsid
433 Jan 03 2019 12 SWAS and GT programs could use more money or at least ke
434 Jan 03 2019 12 STEM programs
435 Jan 03 2019 12 Not sure about the \$100 funding option questions above, but I l
436 Jan 03 2019 12 Expanded apprenticeship and internship programs.
437 Jan 03 2019 12 A pathway for salary movement for ESPs, similar to the pathwa
438 Jan 03 2019 12 -Counseling and mental health. It seems like whenever there is
439 Jan 03 2019 12 Technology
440 Jan 03 2019 12 If possible, employee appreciation efforts. Happy and apprecia
441 Jan 03 2019 12 Special education
442 Jan 03 2019 12 Pay teachers more Reduce class size More schools All the
443 Jan 03 2019 12 No, but these are not siloed itesm. If a student has a safe and
444 Jan 03 2019 12 More days in school!!!!
445 Jan 03 2019 12 Fundamental skills in math, science, and logic. Cut out-dated
446 Jan 03 2019 12 Eliminate tenure. Eliminate pensions. Eliminate excessive ac
447 Jan 03 2019 12 A MINIMUM SCHOOL SAFETY NOW!!!
448 Jan 03 2019 12 The five areas you've identified are quite broad and all-encomp
449 Jan 03 2019 12 Special Education
450 Jan 03 2019 12 Paying teachers and counselors an honest living wage, where
451 Jan 03 2019 12 A livable wage for district employees. We would be able to kee
452 Jan 03 2019 12 WCSD kids need to better educated and be ready for adulthoo
453 Jan 03 2019 12 Staff compensation, healthcare, and retention incentives

454 Jan 03 2019 12 More focus on trades and less salary increases for high level :
 455 Jan 03 2019 12 Vocational training is key! Not all students go to college, and th
 456 Jan 03 2019 12 Teacher salary increases
 457 Jan 03 2019 12 Teacher pay. If we want good teachers we should not be the l
 458 Jan 03 2019 12 Pay and/or benefit increases for teachers
 459 Jan 03 2019 12 People who cant afford the costs of fees every year
 460 Jan 03 2019 12 Less of an annual salary for the current superintendent and a r
 461 Jan 03 2019 12 Extra-curriculars for student social development
 462 Jan 03 2019 12 Physical education for k-6, kids need to be exercise.
 463 Jan 03 2019 11 Homework should be focused on improving our community, nc
 464 Jan 03 2019 09 Yes the ETS. Computers are so important these days. Learnin
 465 Jan 03 2019 07 No
 466 Jan 02 2019 02 Higher teacher pay
 467 Dec 31 2018 03 The District should provide more accelerated programs to get
 468 Dec 28 2018 06 Sports to be included in the extra curricular. It is not clear in the
 469 Dec 27 2018 07 No.
 470 Dec 27 2018 07 Be nice if their continuity in subjects. To much class time with t
 471 Dec 27 2018 04 I strongly believe that our families ability to help their children a
 472 Dec 27 2018 02 Reduce the number of administrators. There are waaayyyyy t
 473 Dec 27 2018 01 School books, teacher allocation, education focus in the schoo
 474 Dec 27 2018 12 Better pay for classroom/student aids with summer work optio
 475 Dec 27 2018 10 The gifted and talented program at our school got cut and redu
 476 Dec 27 2018 07 Technology
 477 Dec 26 2018 05 Computer programing
 478 Dec 26 2018 03 Please continue with the GT programming. We moved here fro
 479 Dec 26 2018 12 A clarification: Music & Arts are not "extra-curricular" activities.
 480 Dec 25 2018 01 PE and Health for Elementary schools
 481 Dec 23 2018 05 Teacher salaries. Nine years without a Cost of living raise is to
 482 Dec 21 2018 08 Teaching assistants/aides for K-2 reading program, to help me
 483 Dec 21 2018 03 Sports, arts, and extracurriculars are the only reasons that so
 484 Dec 21 2018 01 Music is not extra-curricular: the teachers are certified and stu
 485 Dec 21 2018 01 Teacher salaries and support staff
 486 Dec 21 2018 01 The district needs to give students at the middle school level r
 487 Dec 21 2018 12 Far more vocational ed programs, including apprenticeships, if
 488 Dec 21 2018 12 Music education during the school day is a priority for all WCSI
 489 Dec 21 2018 11 Physical Education in the elementary schools!
 490 Dec 21 2018 10 Maintenance and custodial support to ensure schools are mair
 491 Dec 21 2018 09 Teacher salaries so that we can be competitive and stop losin
 492 Dec 21 2018 09 Teacher salaries so that they we can be competitive with other
 493 Dec 21 2018 09 Increase teacher pay, lower class sizes, lower teacher clerica
 494 Dec 21 2018 09 Conciser increasing funding for special ed. aides. These posit
 495 Dec 21 2018 08 Added support staff in ECE and K-2 to ensure all students are
 496 Dec 21 2018 07 Teacher Retention with an emphasis on Special Education. Sp
 497 Dec 21 2018 05 educator compensation to recruit and retain highly qualified edu
 498 Dec 20 2018 04 less greenhouse positions and high payroll. More adult suppor
 499 Dec 20 2018 03 Service Learning and internships. Interest inventories and colle

500 Dec 20 2018 03 ALL staff needs to be given a raise. Period. Our jobs are difficult
501 Dec 20 2018 02 Special education
502 Dec 20 2018 01 Field trips and out of school experiences.
503 Dec 20 2018 12 Decreasing class sizes for at risk populations to 20:1 K-12. It is
504 Dec 20 2018 10 Funding for teachers, classroom equipment, grounds equipment
505 Dec 20 2018 10 competitive teacher salaries to those in other service industries
506 Dec 20 2018 10 More Career Preparation Classes at all high schools in the district
507 Dec 20 2018 10 Teacher Salary Compensation; No COLA raise in a decade; better
508 Dec 20 2018 09 Pay our educators more! Superintendent makes too much \$
509 Dec 20 2018 06 Music and arts are proven to be essential to all students and schools
510 Dec 19 2018 03 Look at fully using community resources, like volunteers, non-profits
511 Dec 19 2018 02 Just keep music and arts
512 Dec 19 2018 02 Too little is going toward buses. The traffic congestion at the schools
513 Dec 19 2018 11 Pay teachers adequately what they deserve and are worth, for
514 Dec 19 2018 08 Paying classified a fair wage, they help the certified very well by
515 Dec 19 2018 08 I would like to see students required to have a higher gpa in order
516 Dec 19 2018 06 The allocation of monies should depend on the grade levels. Elementary
517 Dec 18 2018 10 Keep music and the arts in schools! They are essential and keep
518 Dec 18 2018 09 Funding for street safety for students is very important. A large
519 Dec 18 2018 08 Music and art should not be grouped with extracurricular activities
520 Dec 18 2018 08 Do NOT do away with music! There is more to life than tests.
521 Dec 18 2018 05 Equity of student access to technology
522 Dec 18 2018 04 -Implement curriculum that reflects the diversity of our community
523 Dec 18 2018 01 Technology resources to include updated computers for both students
524 Dec 18 2018 12 Many teachers are not prepared to support the needs of students
525 Dec 18 2018 10 Music is a curricular subject and should be given academic priority
526 Dec 18 2018 09 We need transportation services put back in place. Taking away
527 Dec 17 2018 09 Physical Education taught by certified P.E. teachers in ALL schools
528 Dec 17 2018 08 ELA curriculum
529 Dec 17 2018 03 giving teachers a raise. Teachers haven't have a raise in over
530 Dec 17 2018 01 Higher pay for substitute teachers to that the district retains control
531 Dec 17 2018 01 lower class sizes teacher raises greater resources for lower-level
532 Dec 17 2018 12 Ensuring all special needs children needing a one on one aid are
533 Dec 17 2018 11 More schools and teacher, I feel that the administrators are over
534 Dec 17 2018 10 Special education: specifically, retention of teachers in an age
535 Dec 17 2018 09 Increase the # of teachers and the wage. Like all employers, V
536 Dec 17 2018 07 Teacher salaries and benefits to encourage highly qualified teachers
537 Dec 16 2018 08 Increase salaries to classified and certified staff closest to the
538 Dec 16 2018 03 Title 1 high needs schools should get additional funding for intervention
539 Dec 16 2018 10 Transportation
540 Dec 16 2018 09 A well rounded education helps facilitate academic growth, confidence
541 Dec 15 2018 08 Why isn't the school district considering cutting administration?
542 Dec 15 2018 04 Books (for class libraries and small group instruction) this should
543 Dec 15 2018 01 Reduce the bloated administrative payroll. Fire Tracy Davis superintendent
544 Dec 15 2018 11 Cut the superintendent's pay that should help keep a program.
545 Dec 14 2018 03 Our state needs improve teacher pay and benefits to attract and

546 Dec 14 2018 03 Special Education and related services
 547 Dec 14 2018 01 Every school should have a community garden that the student
 548 Dec 14 2018 12 Higher teacher salaries, increase in pay for substitutes and
 549 Dec 14 2018 11 Increased teacher pay. Our teachers are woefully underpaid for
 550 Dec 14 2018 11 As a function of, and precursor to, academic growth - teacher
 551 Dec 14 2018 10 Physical Education. I believe this is included in the Well Rounded
 552 Dec 14 2018 10 Classroom sizes at district middle schools and high schools in
 553 Dec 14 2018 08 TEACHERS SALARY!!!!!! no brainer.
 554 Dec 14 2018 05 Professional learning for teachers to become highly effective
 555 Dec 13 2018 10 More music programs
 556 Dec 13 2018 09 Teachers
 557 Dec 13 2018 07 Career and technical training
 558 Dec 13 2018 04 Teacher salaries. NOT the Superintendents.
 559 Dec 13 2018 02 "Music and arts" should not just be considered extra-curricular
 560 Dec 13 2018 02 first priority - remove common core and replace with a system
 561 Dec 13 2018 01 Additional support staff to keep the buildings and vehicles in safe
 562 Dec 13 2018 01 Music and Arts should not be lumped with sports. There are many
 563 Dec 13 2018 01 I would like to see Common Core dumped and a curriculum more
 564 Dec 13 2018 01 physical education, especially teaching kids about good posture
 565 Dec 13 2018 11 A well rounded student, who feels safe and supported at school
 566 Dec 13 2018 10 The district needs to prioritize arts, music, & PE. They need to
 567 Dec 13 2018 10 I feel like the teachers should be paid more. A higher salary means
 568 Dec 13 2018 09 There are more things the district should "unfund" than prioritize
 569 Dec 13 2018 09 All areas of funding should be looked over and evaluated accordingly
 570 Dec 13 2018 08 I believe that if we work on the community and families aspect
 571 Dec 13 2018 08 Am. Pediatrics Assoc and multiple studies show the benefits of
 572 Dec 13 2018 08 As part of Pleasant Valley Elementary, I know our PTA covers
 573 Dec 13 2018 07 I will always consider the arts a priority.
 574 Dec 13 2018 02 I think the district should prioritize student experience. The amount
 575 Dec 13 2018 12 Increased spending and focus on STEAM based education. We
 576 Dec 12 2018 10 Special Education
 577 Dec 12 2018 09 Bullying and mindfulness curriculum Individualized school PTAs
 578 Dec 12 2018 08 Mental illness in schools so kids can get support and not bullied
 579 Dec 12 2018 08 Actually help or do something about bullying
 580 Dec 12 2018 07 Music and the arts MUST be a priority in our district to align with
 581 Dec 12 2018 03 I believe that for our title 1 students to be competitive in the future
 582 Dec 12 2018 03 Sports, other than Football. - Track And Field, and Cross Country
 583 Dec 12 2018 01 Innovation in schools with technology and online learning.
 584 Dec 12 2018 11 1) Make bi-lingual education a priority across the district instead
 585 Dec 12 2018 11 Teachers and substitutes need a pay raise immediately. The district
 586 Dec 12 2018 10 Yes -- increases to teacher salaries and reduced class sizes (smaller)
 587 Dec 12 2018 10 Teach the kids to read before sending them to the next grade!
 588 Dec 12 2018 09 Increase teaching positions and decrease TOSA/coaches and
 589 Dec 12 2018 09 No
 590 Dec 12 2018 08 Music is part of a well rounded education but it isn't an extra-curricular
 591 Dec 11 2018 09 Technical skills, having student learn to be good citizens, below

592 Dec 11 2018 09 Special Education. There are not enough supports for CLS pro
 593 Dec 11 2018 09 Special needs children, at home environments.
 594 Dec 11 2018 08 Pay the older teachers to leave Get rid of the worthless IS's a
 595 Dec 11 2018 07 Better evaluation of programs that are being cut - though some
 596 Dec 11 2018 05 supplies and updated text books
 597 Dec 11 2018 05 Teacher pay and increasing substitute availability. My child ha
 598 Dec 11 2018 04 Attracting and retaining talented teachers, the reality is that m
 599 Dec 11 2018 04 Music and arts should not be considered the same as extra-cu
 600 Dec 11 2018 03 Soft skills, Priority on human interaction, and appropriate cor
 601 Dec 11 2018 03 Teachers. Their salaries have not been raised in 10 years be
 602 Dec 11 2018 03 Music and Arts should not be considered extra-curricular prog
 603 Dec 11 2018 03 Athletics in lieu of, or equally to, music/arts
 604 Dec 11 2018 02 Equality of technology across all sites. Some schools have NE
 605 Dec 11 2018 02 Just clarifying that music and arts should not be in the same q
 606 Dec 11 2018 02 music is a graded class not extra curricular Do not cut it for the
 607 Dec 11 2018 02 I feel like a lot of staff spend their own money on supplies and t
 608 Dec 11 2018 02 Outdoor education program
 609 Dec 11 2018 02 Healthier school lunches, physical education, computers and t
 610 Dec 11 2018 01 I noticed that once again, WCSD has listed Music and Art as e
 611 Dec 11 2018 01 Extend the school day and decrease the administration staff th
 612 Dec 11 2018 01 Special education and GATE
 613 Dec 11 2018 01 My son didn't have textbooks provided in any classes from mi
 614 Dec 11 2018 01 Raising teacher's pay should definitely be a priority. We are str
 615 Dec 11 2018 12 Teacher pay increase to match current cost of living inflation in
 616 Dec 11 2018 12 Fine Arts Allocations
 617 Dec 11 2018 12 Physical and nutritional education. Although school lunch progr
 618 Dec 11 2018 11 One on one tutoring. Pay for teacher learning opportunities in tl
 619 Dec 11 2018 11 Reduce standardized testing--takes too many resources and c
 620 Dec 11 2018 11 Teacher pay! With the rising cost of living and no raises for 10
 621 Dec 11 2018 10 Stop providing excessive funding for those in positions that do
 622 Dec 11 2018 10 Currently our school budget is \$30,000. We are unable to purc
 623 Dec 11 2018 10 Teacher salaries/reducing salaries of top level administrators
 624 Dec 11 2018 10 music, reading, libraries, less sports
 625 Dec 11 2018 10 Smaller class sizes, meaning additional allocations of classroom
 626 Dec 11 2018 09 WHY is no one actively lobbying to reverse NRS 387.331 and :
 627 Dec 11 2018 09 Providing employees cost of living increases without increasing
 628 Dec 11 2018 09 Reallocation of funding allowing for flexible spending as needec
 629 Dec 11 2018 08 Teacher salaries!! There is a large gap between what administ
 630 Dec 11 2018 08 Mental health professionals are needed on campus. More cour
 631 Dec 11 2018 05 Teacher pay: competitive with those in leadership positions.
 632 Dec 11 2018 12 The attendance policy for extemunating circumstances
 633 Dec 10 2018 10 Support staff. Students and staff need their support staff. Libra
 634 Dec 10 2018 09 Vocational jobs. Focus more on skills that are actually useful. I
 635 Dec 10 2018 07 In the past, principals were asked to determine priorities and c
 636 Dec 10 2018 06 This is a lose-lose approach, because these are all important.
 637 Dec 10 2018 06 Control salaries and Benefits. Reduce management positions

638 Dec 10 2018 05 Facilities
639 Dec 10 2018 05 reducing ratios. stop Learning strategist positions and instead
640 Dec 10 2018 04 Gifted and Talented
641 Dec 10 2018 04 You need to lobby the 2019 State Legislature to reconsider sor
642 Dec 10 2018 04 Why can Washoe co. Not look at signing up with Google like C
643 Dec 10 2018 04 Maintaining buildings & supporting school libraries.
644 Dec 10 2018 03 Reduce sports. Make transport needs based, not distance ba
645 Dec 10 2018 03 Cut administrative salaries and find qualified people who are int
646 Dec 10 2018 03 Decrease Administrator Salaries
647 Dec 10 2018 03 Safety! Get LE in the schools making connections. More comm
648 Dec 10 2018 02 Sel and quality pd for teachers
649 Dec 10 2018 02 Teacher salaries. Cutting other programs to fund teachers in s
650 Dec 10 2018 02 Differentiated instruction, teacher training, student assessment
651 Dec 10 2018 02 Using smaller buses to transport S.I.P students (maybe even v
652 Dec 10 2018 02 Get rid of administrators; eliminate all but ONE standardized te
653 Dec 10 2018 02 I think that the district should cease to focus on graduation rate
654 Dec 10 2018 02 Funding for special needs students. I have a son that has spe
655 Dec 10 2018 12 A priority would be to defund all non educational support staff o
656 Dec 10 2018 12 Physical education in the elementary schools
657 Dec 10 2018 12 wood shop auto and metals need to be available
658 Dec 10 2018 11 Learning by doing and engaging by play and unorthodox teach
659 Dec 10 2018 11 Get rid of Common Core and let teachers produce an infinitely
660 Dec 10 2018 11 Increase teacher salary, and lower class size by hiring more te
661 Dec 10 2018 11 To be clear: I am confused why the marijuana tax isn't helping
662 Dec 10 2018 11 EL support is super important in our district since we have a hi
663 Dec 10 2018 11 Transportation in dangerous situations.
664 Dec 10 2018 11 I think that if you paid the teachers more than it would create a
665 Dec 10 2018 11 Where are teacher and support staff salaries?
666 Dec 10 2018 10 Reduced class sizes!!! Teachers spend too much time on clas
667 Dec 10 2018 10 Keeping students with life-threatening allergies safe and includ
668 Dec 10 2018 09 How about single point of entry that has been promised for 5 y
669 Dec 10 2018 09 Increase in priority given to unbiased, balanced education and
670 Dec 10 2018 09 Safety in schools. Cameras, police, k9s, metal detectors. STO
671 Dec 10 2018 09 electives, art, music, PE
672 Dec 10 2018 09 Increasing teacher salaries and benefits. -- critical
673 Dec 10 2018 09 With a district that is bottom in the nation with a high level of del
674 Dec 10 2018 09 no
675 Dec 10 2018 08 Gifted and Talented Education, Health and Fitness beyond the
676 Dec 10 2018 08 After school activities or centers, especially for the lower incon
677 Dec 10 2018 08 Decrease the amount of district level administrators-way too m
678 Dec 10 2018 08 Reducing student to teacher ratios. In order to do that perhaps
679 Dec 10 2018 08 Staff pay. Regular increases and cost of living raises. We are s
680 Dec 10 2018 08 Teacher support — aides, mentoring, continuing education, inc
681 Dec 10 2018 07 I think the school district should consider giving teachers a buc
682 Dec 10 2018 07 The district is top heavy. Get rid of 25% of all non- student inte
683 Dec 10 2018 07 Educators and support service should receive a raise. The wa

684 Dec 10 2018 06 Cut Admin. 60% go back to teaching the following - reading, wr
 685 Dec 10 2018 06 District level department cost cutting - too many individuals in t
 686 Dec 10 2018 05 Teacher salary. If teachers are paid more fairly it would be eas
 687 Dec 09 2018 1C Priotize funding that goes directly to students, not administratio
 688 Dec 09 2018 1C Nutrition classes need to be offered in high school.
 689 Dec 09 2018 1C Foreign-language immersion classes. Non-college job prepare
 690 Dec 09 2018 1C Teacher salaries
 691 Dec 09 2018 09 Social Emotional Learning
 692 Dec 09 2018 08 Art programs
 693 Dec 09 2018 07 Behavioral support/therapy for middle school students who are
 694 Dec 09 2018 05 I would like to see smaller class sizes.
 695 Dec 09 2018 04 Do no remove the arts from the school. This was done years
 696 Dec 09 2018 03 I don't think increasing class sizes is beneficial as there are alr
 697 Dec 09 2018 02 The most important part of school is teaching our children valu
 698 Dec 09 2018 12 The district needs to cut back on administrative-level personne
 699 Dec 09 2018 12 I have been confused for a long time how the education leader:
 700 Dec 09 2018 12 Look at the expense of putting mobile classrooms at middle sc
 701 Dec 09 2018 11 Curriculum revisions so the students are receiving fluency bas
 702 Dec 09 2018 1C Special education programs.
 703 Dec 09 2018 1C Smaller class size
 704 Dec 09 2018 1C Over crowding & class size!!
 705 Dec 09 2018 1C I would like the district to spend less money on sports, particul
 706 Dec 09 2018 09 none
 707 Dec 09 2018 09 Transportation so that we can get all students that would like to
 708 Dec 09 2018 09 Higher pay for teachers assistants, substitutes
 709 Dec 09 2018 09 school facilities
 710 Dec 09 2018 08 Teaching children about the credit system and how it works. N
 711 Dec 09 2018 08 Money should directly go to schools and students not creating
 712 Dec 09 2018 08 Do what is needed for special education students. Their needs
 713 Dec 09 2018 08 Programs to apply discipline on out of control students
 714 Dec 09 2018 08 Reducing class size
 715 Dec 09 2018 07 Classroom and individual aides
 716 Dec 09 2018 07 Help with those who cannot afford their school fees
 717 Dec 09 2018 06 Students need a well-rounded education! DO NOT cut music -
 718 Dec 08 2018 11 Please provide PE for all students
 719 Dec 08 2018 1C Special Education. Early detection of autism and other cognitiv
 720 Dec 08 2018 08 Staffing
 721 Dec 08 2018 08 No, but they all should get the same funding. no one thing shou
 722 Dec 08 2018 07 More teachers
 723 Dec 08 2018 06 Ethics
 724 Dec 08 2018 06 prioritize coding and technology, create an audit to determine e
 725 Dec 08 2018 04 No.
 726 Dec 08 2018 04 I think is important to shore up academics at all schools, includ
 727 Dec 08 2018 02 PLEASE put a moratorium on travel. What a waste to continue
 728 Dec 08 2018 02 Teacher staffing for special needs classes that need it
 729 Dec 08 2018 02 4H programs and Tutoring. More teachers per pupil populatio

730 Dec 08 2018 02 This division would seem I don't value safety. I do very much b
 731 Dec 08 2018 02 De-fund English as a second language. If your in Washoe Cou
 732 Dec 08 2018 02 More Distributed Education availability to the students.
 733 Dec 08 2018 01 Get rid of the excess personnel at the District Office. They are
 734 Dec 08 2018 12 All students should have to take classes that teach checkbook
 735 Dec 08 2018 12 Transportation
 736 Dec 08 2018 11 The priorities you've listed in the question above should all be a
 737 Dec 08 2018 11 N/A
 738 Dec 08 2018 09 I would like the district to cut administrative salaries by at least
 739 Dec 08 2018 09 Get rid of parent university.
 740 Dec 08 2018 08 Salaries for teachers
 741 Dec 08 2018 08 Better security against gun violence
 742 Dec 08 2018 08 Construction and maintenance, technology
 743 Dec 08 2018 08 Teacher raises.
 744 Dec 08 2018 08 PE
 745 Dec 08 2018 07 This answer is based on question 7 (that doesn't have a box to
 746 Dec 08 2018 07 Music and art education, reducing class sizes.
 747 Dec 08 2018 07 Cut the salary and benefits for the ridiculously overpaid and un
 748 Dec 08 2018 07 Permanent infrastructure development to get ahead of populati
 749 Dec 08 2018 07 Basic literacy; how to interact in society in a civil and polite mar
 750 Dec 08 2018 07 Cutting district vs. teachers and school staff. We need less ov
 751 Dec 08 2018 07 Increase in teacher salary. Teachers earn a bachelor's degree
 752 Dec 08 2018 07 Physical education for elementary schools.
 753 Dec 08 2018 06 Teacher pay
 754 Dec 08 2018 04 Stop making new programs! Holy hell. Reading, writing, and ari
 755 Dec 07 2018 11 Instrumental Music 6-12 Vocal Music 6-12 General Music K-5
 756 Dec 07 2018 10 Sports, PE, music and other arts need to be fostered not cut
 757 Dec 07 2018 10 Salary increase for all that work in a school building.
 758 Dec 07 2018 10 More support teachers to help with math and reading
 759 Dec 07 2018 09 Everything above starts with hiring quality teachers and suppo
 760 Dec 07 2018 08 Classrooms
 761 Dec 07 2018 08 Providing strong benefits packages & salaries to teachers. Te
 762 Dec 07 2018 07 Aides in special education classes that include benefits. Who v
 763 Dec 07 2018 07 This question proves there is a problem. You say you don't ha
 764 Dec 07 2018 07 Reduce class sizes
 765 Dec 07 2018 06 25.Vocational shops such as; wood, welding, electrical, automa
 766 Dec 07 2018 06 Teacher increases in salaries
 767 Dec 07 2018 06 Class size reduction at the start of the year, not the middle! I k
 768 Dec 07 2018 05 SEL. We must get back to educating the WHOLE CHILD. Acac
 769 Dec 07 2018 05 Pay your support (maintenance) staff more. Too many over
 770 Dec 07 2018 05 Reductions should be made to administration costs. There are
 771 Dec 07 2018 05 N/A
 772 Dec 07 2018 04 Special education
 773 Dec 07 2018 04 I would like the District to re-consider teacher training every W
 774 Dec 07 2018 04 How about not funding extra perks to folks who are ready the t
 775 Dec 07 2018 04 Anything except more perks to administrators!

776 Dec 07 2018 04 P.E.
777 Dec 07 2018 04 Parent involvement is a major issue at Stead Elementary, fundi
778 Dec 07 2018 04 Hiring and retaining Substitute teachers Increasing Teacher s
779 Dec 07 2018 04 World language and global studies programs
780 Dec 07 2018 03 My #1 priority would be to reduce class sizes and eliminate ov
781 Dec 07 2018 03 We have not been provided with: -a research based reading ir
782 Dec 07 2018 03 new technology, raises for all teachers
783 Dec 07 2018 03 Arts education. I think that the district spends too much money
784 Dec 07 2018 03 Question 5 (above) promotes the myth that prioritizing (funding
785 Dec 07 2018 03 Sped
786 Dec 07 2018 03 Insurance for staff including support staff
787 Dec 07 2018 02 Please do not defund arts/fine arts programming. They are alre
788 Dec 07 2018 02 School Counseling
789 Dec 07 2018 02 1) Faculty development. Nothing is more important than the qu
790 Dec 07 2018 02 Please eliminate positions at the district that are not engaged w
791 Dec 07 2018 02 1) I would like to reiterate my strong support for the state to alk
792 Dec 07 2018 02 I would like to see more funding go towards some sort of thera
793 Dec 07 2018 02 Special Education revision to meet the law
794 Dec 07 2018 02 The District Athletic, Activities & Wellness Department. It is abs
795 Dec 07 2018 02 Music programs
796 Dec 07 2018 02 Teacher/substitute salaries to be competitive in order to help w
797 Dec 07 2018 02 Transportation for students, particularly handicapped, and athl
798 Dec 07 2018 01 Fully funded music programs at all Incline Village public school
799 Dec 07 2018 01 Art- Math
800 Dec 07 2018 01 Allocate more resources to education in Nevada. Support the
801 Dec 07 2018 01 I believe some officials should no be paid as much as we paid t
802 Dec 07 2018 01 "Community and Family partnerships" should directly impact "s
803 Dec 07 2018 01 More money per pupil. higher teacher pay
804 Dec 07 2018 01 Anything that supports direct education by the teachers. Supp
805 Dec 07 2018 01 Fund experts or consultants that on a pro-Bono basis will redu
806 Dec 07 2018 01 Shop classes to push kids not college bound towards a well cu
807 Dec 07 2018 01 In the 21st century, we should be cutting out actual textbooks ;
808 Dec 07 2018 01 Teacher pay and financial compensation for all the work that is
809 Dec 07 2018 12 no
810 Dec 07 2018 12 The biggest one for me is class size. We need to keep the cla
811 Dec 07 2018 12 PAY OUR TEACHERS AND COUNSELORS MORE! The peo
812 Dec 07 2018 12 I do not support removing the arts programs. Children need to
813 Dec 07 2018 12 Special Education
814 Dec 07 2018 12 get rid of all the touchy feely programs and concentrate on edu
815 Dec 07 2018 12 PE and STEAM (especially the Arts) in Elementary; vocational
816 Dec 07 2018 12 Physical Education at the elementary level. We have a high tra
817 Dec 07 2018 12 Get rid of Tracy Davis!!!
818 Dec 07 2018 12 I'm so tired of hearing the whining of lack of funding. Funding s
819 Dec 07 2018 12 We are testing our students to death. Cut down on the money
820 Dec 07 2018 12 Special Education Aids
821 Dec 07 2018 12 Remove the ridiculously over payed administration. Way too m

822 Dec 07 2018 12 Why are there little to no wood shop/metal shop/auto shop in r
823 Dec 07 2018 12 Yeah, how about we put some money into teaching kids and st
824 Dec 07 2018 11 administrators are paid way too much.
825 Dec 07 2018 11 Increasing teacher pay AND negotiating with the union to incre
826 Dec 07 2018 11 Teacher Pay increase and substitute pay increase. Cut admir
827 Dec 07 2018 11 teacher salaries are too low as compared to local cost of living
828 Dec 07 2018 11 teacher salaries are way below current local cost of living.
829 Dec 07 2018 11 The technology for older schools is severely outdated. In addi
830 Dec 07 2018 11 we need to focus on academics and preparing our kids for the
831 Dec 07 2018 11 Overcrowded classrooms, teachers readiness and engagemen
832 Dec 07 2018 11 Nevada students need to preform better and move up the state
833 Dec 07 2018 11 Hiring more teachers to decrease the student-teacher ratio in c
834 Dec 07 2018 11 I feel that the district needs to focus on providing a more well r
835 Dec 07 2018 11 how about reducing the top-heavy District Administration (the
836 Dec 07 2018 11 Smaller class sizes in all schools especially Kindergarten and f
837 Dec 07 2018 11 Supplies
838 Dec 07 2018 11 There needs to be more physical education and real life skills.
839 Dec 07 2018 11 Please fund for programs for children to really know the risks c
840 Dec 07 2018 11 Closing the achievement gap should be a focus of the above p
841 Dec 07 2018 11 I know this has been said before, but there needs to be a conti
842 Dec 07 2018 11 A focus on the whole student; student engagement
843 Dec 07 2018 10 No free food/meals Charge for bussing
844 Dec 07 2018 10 Technology skills and computer science program
845 Dec 07 2018 10 Change curriculum to a not one-size-fits-all. For high school ag
846 Dec 07 2018 10 I would like WCSD to prioritize having an appropriate administr
847 Dec 07 2018 10 In alignment with Academic growth and CCR-classroom sizes
848 Dec 07 2018 10 Mental Health; School Psychologists.
849 Dec 07 2018 10 Please give performing teachers a raise. This is an important j
850 Dec 07 2018 10 Teacher and Administrator professional learning around under
851 Dec 07 2018 10 Support in lowering the cost of healthcare for employees and c
852 Dec 07 2018 10 I would consider defunding some of the salaries at the greenhc
853 Dec 07 2018 10 It's extremely important to retain and maintain quality teachers
854 Dec 07 2018 10 Security/campus monitors for schools
855 Dec 07 2018 10 Raising teacher salaries. Expanding the school day.
856 Dec 07 2018 10 District staff is bloated and teachers are underpaid.
857 Dec 07 2018 10 I would like the school district to keep funding programs that ar
858 Dec 07 2018 10 Growing gifted and talent as well as special class for at risk of
859 Dec 07 2018 10 A pay raise for substitute custodians.
860 Dec 07 2018 10 I would spend more time on knowing which teachers at each ir
861 Dec 07 2018 10 Where are the libraries in this funding scenario?
862 Dec 07 2018 10 quit giving administrators raises! The principals received COL
863 Dec 07 2018 10 Nutrition services having to throw away unaccounted for food i
864 Dec 07 2018 10 Above purchasing additional curriculum, student success hing
865 Dec 07 2018 10 Agricultural and technical programs such as FFA and other tra
866 Dec 07 2018 10 Increasing teacher salaries and classroom budgets for supplie
867 Dec 07 2018 09 fully fund athletic trainers at each high school, pay a living wag

868 Dec 07 2018 09 Get the same amount of technology to schools like Sepulveda
 869 Dec 07 2018 09 Safer Transportation routes... 2.5 miles is too far for MS (espe
 870 Dec 07 2018 09 No but approaching the above model in a way that is balanced
 871 Dec 07 2018 09 Music and the Arts
 872 Dec 07 2018 09 In order to conserve resources class sizes have increased. /
 873 Dec 07 2018 09 I would like the school district superintendent and board memb
 874 Dec 07 2018 09 School mental health and wellness to include activity, arts and
 875 Dec 07 2018 09 smaller caseloads for special education
 876 Dec 07 2018 09 100 to paying teachers. They are doing everything for the stud
 877 Dec 07 2018 09 Teacher and counselor Salaries need to be increased. Our tea
 878 Dec 07 2018 09 Bring back skilled class options for high school, woodshop, au
 879 Dec 07 2018 09 Yes. Allocations for teachers and class sizes need to be looke
 880 Dec 07 2018 09 Teacher pay and employee incentives for quality work
 881 Dec 07 2018 09 training and support for technology integration.
 882 Dec 07 2018 09 I think there are too many administrators;
 883 Dec 07 2018 09 Apply the marijuana tax revenue immediately to fund school ini
 884 Dec 07 2018 09 I work at a higher rated school and my children go to higher rai
 885 Dec 07 2018 09 Arts, special education, teacher salaries, teacher benefits, tea
 886 Dec 07 2018 09 -More electives offered in secondary education -PE for eleme
 887 Dec 07 2018 09 Advocating and lobbying the county for a designated stream of
 888 Dec 07 2018 09 Teacher raises and benefits
 889 Dec 07 2018 09 Arts, staffing, school maintenance
 890 Dec 07 2018 09 Additional teachers!!
 891 Dec 07 2018 09 unfortunately, I have to agree with the public. There are so mai
 892 Dec 07 2018 09 New schools
 893 Dec 07 2018 09 I would like to see more focus on real world problems, like how
 894 Dec 07 2018 09 WCSD needs to increase their senior teachers pay. Many of
 895 Dec 07 2018 09 Adopting quality materials instead of poorly reviewed, poorly m
 896 Dec 07 2018 09 Have school counselors engage more with students regarding
 897 Dec 07 2018 09 Give teachers more class room supplies so the dont have to d
 898 Dec 07 2018 09 n/a
 899 Dec 07 2018 09 Stop spending outrageous amounts of money on salaries for p
 900 Dec 07 2018 09 Increasing the number of support staff (counselors, school psy
 901 Dec 07 2018 09 Anti-bullying and self-defense. I'd shift focus on family offerings
 902 Dec 07 2018 09 Specialized tutoring in Stem programs
 903 Dec 07 2018 09 Your surveys support your agendas. These surveys are desi
 904 Dec 07 2018 09 Pre-K
 905 Dec 07 2018 09 Reduce expenditures for team sports, increase for music, art,
 906 Dec 07 2018 09 District is over the top heavy. Reduce pay to school board. \$4
 907 Dec 07 2018 09 Class size reduction, elimination of supplemental teaching posi
 908 Dec 07 2018 09 Pay teachers extra (a lot! Like 5,000\$) or give extra PERS dor
 909 Dec 07 2018 09 Just put money in the classrooms. The district brags about the
 910 Dec 07 2018 09 I would like to see money taken from organized sports to supp
 911 Dec 07 2018 09 keeping the buildings in good working order and schools lookin
 912 Dec 07 2018 09 Pay raise for staff- less money for soft programs that don't wo
 913 Dec 07 2018 09 Will the board ignore the results of this survey? I was frustrate

914 Dec 07 2018 08 Special education, mental health
915 Dec 07 2018 08 Special education, smaller class sizes
916 Dec 07 2018 08 Child Find program!! and any and all other specific programs th
917 Dec 07 2018 08 pay raises for teachers. They continue to have additional stre
918 Dec 07 2018 08 Mental health support
919 Dec 07 2018 08 WCSD needs to tell the public the truth! Our graduation rates a
920 Dec 07 2018 08 lower student teacher ratio
921 Dec 07 2018 08 Recruitment and retention of highly qualified educators.
922 Dec 07 2018 08 Lowering class size Paying teachers and support professiona
923 Dec 07 2018 08 Technology
924 Dec 07 2018 08 Competitive wages for employees
925 Dec 07 2018 08 It would be great if you guys would fund a home schooling prog
926 Dec 07 2018 08 Cut positions and salaries at the Top levels WCSD is to top he
927 Dec 07 2018 08 CUT THE SUPERINTENDENTS BUDGET SHE IS OVER PAID
928 Dec 07 2018 08 Raise teacher and substitute teacher pay
929 Dec 07 2018 08 Gym class. Teaching outside classes. More field trips. Finan
930 Dec 07 2018 08 I'm unsure if by "identifying student risks" you mean more cour
931 Dec 07 2018 08 better teacher salaries to encourage people to enter and stay i
932 Dec 07 2018 08 Reduce salaries and overhead in the district office. Eliminate r
933 Dec 07 2018 08 Cut salaries of Superintendent and the area superintendents. I
934 Dec 07 2018 08 It would be great if middle and high schools went to a 6 hour da
935 Dec 07 2018 08 Classroom materials are needed such as books, the schools c
936 Dec 07 2018 08 STUDENT TO TEACHER RATIO
937 Dec 07 2018 08 When central services are cut in order to avoid cuts that affect
938 Dec 07 2018 08 More support for the technology in the classrooms and through
939 Dec 07 2018 08 Increased wages for teachers and other staff.
940 Dec 07 2018 08 TEACHERS!!!! They do not get paid nearly enough for the amc
941 Dec 07 2018 08 Some schools that are nationally ranked as Title I do not receiv
942 Dec 07 2018 08 Along with a well rounded education, I believe we are lacking th
943 Dec 07 2018 08 I do not feel that "Safe and Supportive Environment" should be
944 Dec 07 2018 08 more teachers and smaller classroom sizes
945 Dec 07 2018 08 Classroom Aides, especially at Title 1 schools, high ELL popul
946 Dec 07 2018 08 Music and Arts are not actually electives. Nationally they are c
947 Dec 07 2018 08 I would like to see our academic achievement increased, but n
948 Dec 07 2018 08 Teacher salaries are dismal. Teachers have not received a ra
949 Dec 07 2018 08 Teacher raises. Teachers have not had a raise in years.
950 Dec 07 2018 08 It shouldn't be dumping money into an army of bureaucrats wh
951 Dec 07 2018 08 Why isn't administration an option here? We need to cut admini
952 Dec 07 2018 08 Use more cameras and lower the number of on site security of
953 Dec 07 2018 08 Students need to be career ready. We have taken away every
954 Dec 07 2018 08 I would ask the district to reconsider their cuts to transportation
955 Dec 07 2018 08 Teacher salary!
956 Dec 07 2018 08 SMALLER CLASS SIZES! More general ESPs in schools.
957 Dec 07 2018 08 Staff at building sites in direct contact with students including a
958 Dec 07 2018 08 Cancel the bus program.
959 Dec 07 2018 08 The priority should always be the classroom, the things the DII

960 Dec 07 2018 08 Lower class sizes, our numbers are out of control, good teach
 961 Dec 07 2018 08 Foreign Language and Dual Immersion
 962 Dec 07 2018 08 Fix the older school buildings. The heaters do not work, one of
 963 Dec 07 2018 08 Reduce class sizes
 964 Dec 07 2018 07 Staff employment and restructuring.
 965 Dec 07 2018 07 More supports for community and family partnerships, and pro
 966 Dec 07 2018 07 Has funding schools from the bottom up ever been implemente
 967 Dec 07 2018 07 The schools need to focus more on vocational training instead
 968 Dec 07 2018 07 Teacher pay should be a top priority as it is difficult to keep qua
 969 Dec 07 2018 07 There needs to be an increase in Special Education funding. TI
 970 Dec 07 2018 07 na
 971 Dec 07 2018 07 Washoe is the home of good ideas poorly implemented. Washo
 972 Dec 07 2018 07 The read by three law is a major priority and hurdle.
 973 Dec 07 2018 07 School lunch.. more money may give room to make better cho
 974 Dec 07 2018 07 I would like to see an accross-the-board reduction in administr
 975 Dec 07 2018 07 Merit increases for the teachers would be nice. The structure c
 976 Dec 07 2018 07 Schools should not be the place where kids have to learn how
 977 Dec 07 2018 07 Gifted education is the fastest and safest route to increase qua
 978 Dec 07 2018 07 Teachers
 979 Dec 07 2018 07 How about NOT funding 60 vehicles? Which I know have been
 980 Dec 07 2018 07 Foreign languages
 981 Dec 07 2018 07 Funding for all support backgrounds, the ones who end up geti
 982 Dec 07 2018 07 There are schools that meet the Federal requirement for Title 1
 983 Dec 07 2018 07 Refreshing all staff computers at the schools. Most teachers a
 984 Dec 07 2018 07 I would like the District to consider NOT funding any more (anc
 985 Dec 07 2018 07 More career and technical courses in high schools. Bring back
 986 Dec 07 2018 07 Increased site admin. Principal and dean/AP at each site.
 987 Dec 07 2018 07 100 to classrooms and teacher. Health care is another priority
 988 Dec 07 2018 07 In order to support academic growth class sizes must be decre
 989 Dec 07 2018 07 more funding for those who excel. The district has done away
 990 Dec 07 2018 07 Increase teacher salary. Increase the number of admin at high
 991 Dec 07 2018 07 no
 992 Dec 07 2018 07 More money for the New text book adoption
 993 Dec 07 2018 07 More teachers More schools Pay teacher more Pay for it by
 994 Dec 07 2018 07 Bilingualism in curriculum (Spanish)
 995 Dec 07 2018 07 Technology Department/Infrastructure
 996 Dec 07 2018 07 Staffing Academics
 997 Dec 07 2018 07 Increase teacher wage and benefits to be competitive with othe
 998 Dec 07 2018 07 Class Size and teacher/admin site staffing. Cut the greenhous
 999 Dec 07 2018 07 Lower class sizes and higher pay for teachers! Teachers burr
 1000 Dec 07 2018 07 NO. We are broke, so why would we create another thing that
 1001 Dec 07 2018 06 more computers, but not dumb purchases (like overpaying for
 1002 Dec 07 2018 06 Gate/GT programs Science and engineering curriculums/exp
 1003 Dec 07 2018 06 Teacher pay increase from money lost during Great Recessio
 1004 Dec 07 2018 06 Please ensure that the topic of bus transportation is not neglec
 1005 Dec 07 2018 06 Bring the classified personal to current outside the district pay

1006 Dec 07 2018 06 Books for the kids. Please. Especially in math.
 1007 Dec 07 2018 06 Fund programs to educate students about the free enterprise s
 1008 Dec 07 2018 06 P.E., Library
 1009 Dec 07 2018 06 No. I don't feel as though the District is funded enough to make
 1010 Dec 07 2018 06 Teacher development
 1011 Dec 07 2018 06 technical education. We are turning out indoctrinated children t
 1012 Dec 07 2018 06 Funding to reduce class size - or the ability to hire more teache
 1013 Dec 07 2018 06 Special education. There is too much emphasis on taking tests
 1014 Dec 07 2018 06 Teacher morale ... lot of burnout happening.
 1015 Dec 07 2018 06 Physical Education in Title 1 schools. Students have so much s
 1016 Dec 07 2018 06 The District's square footage is going to grow in the next 2 yea
 1017 Dec 07 2018 06 Special education needs more funding.
 1018 Dec 07 2018 06 Special education needs
 1019 Dec 07 2018 06 Increase staffing at schools, look at unneeded administrative p
 1020 Dec 07 2018 06 Teacher school supplies. My son is in pre k and his teacher bu
 1021 Dec 07 2018 06 I think the district should attempt to prioritize certain learning of
 1022 Dec 07 2018 06 Classroom size and teacher support
 1023 Dec 07 2018 06 Bus safety, class size, better superintendent
 1024 Dec 07 2018 06 Adequate support for schools, including teachers, assistants, t
 1025 Dec 07 2018 05 Supplies
 1026 Dec 07 2018 05 Teachers are overworked and underpaid
 1027 Dec 07 2018 05 Teacher salaries
 1028 Dec 07 2018 05 Quality over quantity. There's a huge number of kids that don't
 1029 Dec 07 2018 05 Hiring and retaining the best teachers.
 1030 Dec 07 2018 05 Higher teacher pay and especially for special education teache
 1031 Dec 07 2018 05 By placing Well rounded student as a category, you insinuate t
 1032 Dec 07 2018 05 Keep music programs
 1033 Dec 07 2018 05 There is a need to provide a different setting for students who s
 1034 Dec 07 2018 05 Incentives to retain great teachers in math and science, not jus
 1035 Dec 07 2018 05 Physical education and more recess where play is encourage
 1036 Dec 07 2018 04 Phonics in early years reading curriculum
 1037 Dec 07 2018 04 Yes.
 1038 Dec 07 2018 04 Buses refund bus routes it's too dangerous for kids to walk to s
 1039 Dec 07 2018 04 We need to fund vocational opportunities as much as general s
 1040 Dec 06 2018 11 Secure locked entry ways at all entrances
 1041 Dec 06 2018 11 Teachers' pay should be increased. Directors' pay should be c
 1042 Dec 06 2018 11 Repairs to equipment!
 1043 Dec 06 2018 11 Music, vocational/trades, reduced classroom sizes
 1044 Dec 06 2018 11 Allocate bonus per student to be ducted up at a set time each s
 1045 Dec 06 2018 11 I would like the district to look at each individual child and their s
 1046 Dec 06 2018 11 I feel that keeping students and school staff must be a priority l
 1047 Dec 06 2018 10 Reading curriculum in the elementary schools
 1048 Dec 06 2018 10 The Community and Family Partnerships area can be enhance
 1049 Dec 06 2018 10 I would like to see my child grow and learn in an environment tl
 1050 Dec 06 2018 10 Academic: Continued funding dual language programs and gro
 1051 Dec 06 2018 10 Music

1052 Dec 06 2018 1C Smaller class sizes, classrooms that are big enough to accom
1053 Dec 06 2018 1C Reducing Class size
1054 Dec 06 2018 1C Rather than consider funding other programs, I would like to se
1055 Dec 06 2018 1C Creating appropriate placements for students who are disruptiv
1056 Dec 06 2018 1C Transportation
1057 Dec 06 2018 1C Counseling services. Student to counselor ratios are too high a
1058 Dec 06 2018 1C 1."Shop"class 2. Home Economics 3. Activity Bus to bring kid
1059 Dec 06 2018 1C Busses, you have deeply affected the lives of many families ar
1060 Dec 06 2018 09 Class size reduction which would foster improvement of safe a
1061 Dec 06 2018 09 Additional teachers, teacher resources and teacher incentives
1062 Dec 06 2018 09 Less money to football and more to Dance and other overlooke
1063 Dec 06 2018 09 Concentrate on the basics, reading, writing and arithmetic. Go
1064 Dec 06 2018 09 Teacher salaries
1065 Dec 06 2018 09 custodial equipment
1066 Dec 06 2018 09 Curriculum
1067 Dec 06 2018 09 Arts, career prep
1068 Dec 06 2018 09 Swimming pools for lesson
1069 Dec 06 2018 09 New schools to reduce overcrowding. Hire more teachers and
1070 Dec 06 2018 09 I believe STEM education, libraries and literacy should be fund
1071 Dec 06 2018 09 Raises, Staffing, and professional development
1072 Dec 06 2018 09 I don't understand why our governor will not hold the casinos ir
1073 Dec 06 2018 09 It is my belief that the WCSD superintendent's wage is too high
1074 Dec 06 2018 09 I would reduce the 29.5 ratio to 24 which will provide statistical
1075 Dec 06 2018 09 Teacher raises to keep quality staff
1076 Dec 06 2018 09 Strategis/Special needs programs
1077 Dec 06 2018 09 Safety
1078 Dec 06 2018 09 We need to spend the money on buildings and grounds and ma
1079 Dec 06 2018 09 Our TEACHERS!!
1080 Dec 06 2018 09 SEL and relationships and High Expectations
1081 Dec 06 2018 08 ART.
1082 Dec 06 2018 08 Athletics
1083 Dec 06 2018 08 Quality Teachers. Eliminate underperforming faculty, always a
1084 Dec 06 2018 08 Cut the salaries of the top people and increase the salaries of t
1085 Dec 06 2018 08 Pay teachers more
1086 Dec 06 2018 08 Teacher salaries
1087 Dec 06 2018 08 Move the money from the higher paid to the ones that do all the
1088 Dec 06 2018 08 I gave all of them 100 100. The state shouldn't be gaving you gi
1089 Dec 06 2018 08 The board members are overpaid.
1090 Dec 06 2018 08 Lower class size
1091 Dec 06 2018 08 Teacher salaries and benefits
1092 Dec 06 2018 08 Increase the number of teachers, and raise teacher pay.
1093 Dec 06 2018 08 Equitable arts programs for all WCSD students.
1094 Dec 06 2018 08 Why did we vote for marijuana to be legal in our state when prc
1095 Dec 06 2018 08 Less testing. Focus on teaching the basics Reading Writing ar
1096 Dec 06 2018 08 Class teacher ratio should be a focus. Teaching assistant for
1097 Dec 06 2018 08 Vocational and technical certificates which will allow the studen

1098 Dec 06 2018 08 They need to teach real life uses!!! Like doing taxes, writing a c
1099 Dec 06 2018 08 Teacher pay
1100 Dec 06 2018 08 Please continue to fund the Arts.
1101 Dec 06 2018 08 Build sufficient class rooms to reduce class size
1102 Dec 06 2018 08 Pay teacher aides more !
1103 Dec 06 2018 08 Smaller classes, higher teacher pay
1104 Dec 06 2018 08 Overcrowded schools, children with needs that cannot or unak
1105 Dec 06 2018 08 More pay/benefits for teachers and staff.
1106 Dec 06 2018 08 Higher teacher pay. Reduce area supervisors/superintendent
1107 Dec 06 2018 08 Reduce all board members salaries!
1108 Dec 06 2018 08 Give all children breakfast and Lunch
1109 Dec 06 2018 08 School upgrades, in buildings, furniture and supplies, and very
1110 Dec 06 2018 08 The current curriculum is terrible, and largely assumes all stud
1111 Dec 06 2018 08 Paying teachers more
1112 Dec 06 2018 07 S.T.E.M programs and after school programs
1113 Dec 06 2018 07 bring back the old bus stops
1114 Dec 06 2018 07 Teachers being able to carry concealed weapons. Oh and I jus
1115 Dec 06 2018 07 Teacher pay. Our teachers are amazing and deserve to be pa
1116 Dec 06 2018 07 SUB PAY, Well, i am a retired teacher from California, and a su
1117 Dec 06 2018 07 School should not just be about testing. Art, music, PE, family t
1118 Dec 06 2018 07 Employee pay. Administration makes way too much considerin
1119 Dec 06 2018 07 Trade programs
1120 Dec 06 2018 07 Teacher salary increase
1121 Dec 06 2018 07 Playground equipment for older schools
1122 Dec 06 2018 07 Special Education programs
1123 Dec 06 2018 07 Give more to schools. Let schools have more autonomy.
1124 Dec 06 2018 07 Creating appropriate placements for students who are extreme
1125 Dec 06 2018 07 The quality of our edgucation! We should not be almost last in t
1126 Dec 06 2018 07 Paying educators/teachers
1127 Dec 06 2018 07 I believe that great academic teaching for our children involves
1128 Dec 06 2018 07 Equal level of technology for all, SUBS!, raise teacher salaries,
1129 Dec 06 2018 07 You need to pay your teachers more, reduce the amount of "a
1130 Dec 06 2018 07 building repairs and improvements
1131 Dec 06 2018 07 Priorities should focus on teaching. State standardized testing
1132 Dec 06 2018 07 Do not remove our vice principals
1133 Dec 06 2018 07 Technology for students.
1134 Dec 06 2018 07 Teacher salary increases
1135 Dec 06 2018 07 I would like the district to reduce the headcount of administrato
1136 Dec 06 2018 07 There are no programs to replace equipment used in our facilit
1137 Dec 06 2018 07 How about cutting funding. Why so may "coaches" for teacher
1138 Dec 06 2018 07 Give teachers the much needed raises they deserve.
1139 Dec 06 2018 07 Take the obscene amount of money the district superintendent
1140 Dec 06 2018 06 Increased Teacher salaries, Reduced pay for upper level sch
1141 Dec 06 2018 06 Support 'average' students rather than spend so much money
1142 Dec 06 2018 06 Merit pay for high performing teachers. Higher pay for teacher
1143 Dec 06 2018 06 Foreign language

1144 Dec 06 2018 0€ Classroom materials for teachers and students.
1145 Dec 06 2018 0€ Question 8 does not ask about reducing High level manageme
1146 Dec 06 2018 0€ I'd like you to focus on teaching our kids the basics and that's i
1147 Dec 06 2018 0€ I feel the schools would benefit from a better tax situation from
1148 Dec 06 2018 0€ Work on getting a new School board. They suck !!! They are r
1149 Dec 06 2018 0€ A lower student to teacher ratio should be fostered since it help
1150 Dec 06 2018 0€ Our school buildings should be used more than 6 hours a day,
1151 Dec 06 2018 0€ Reduce funding to administration and focus on why the school
1152 Dec 06 2018 0€ Better parking and pick up
1153 Dec 06 2018 0€ Behavioral support personnel for high needs schools where st
1154 Dec 06 2018 0€ Class size reduction
1155 Dec 06 2018 0€ I would implore the District and the Board to take a very close l
1156 Dec 06 2018 0€ Cut back admin costs!!!
1157 Dec 06 2018 0€ O'Brien Middle school does not have spanish classes, but I lea
1158 Dec 06 2018 0€ How about defunding the superintendent's massive over paid k
1159 Dec 06 2018 0€ Decrease salaries of everyone who does not have contact wit
1160 Dec 06 2018 0€ teacher salaries, reducing classroom sizes, programs to assis
1161 Dec 06 2018 0€ Yes. Transportation!!! Small children cannot be walking 2 miles
1162 Dec 06 2018 0€ More resources for disabled children. More aids.
1163 Dec 06 2018 0€ Technical skills and trades as not all students will pursue highe
1164 Dec 06 2018 0€ I've heard that the district is going to pay a ridiculous amount o
1165 Dec 06 2018 0€ Teachers salary, Recruiting teacher, reducing class size
1166 Dec 06 2018 0€ All the schools should be teaching basic reading, writing, arithn
1167 Dec 06 2018 0€ The state is doing great work with MTSS and PBIS. Washoe C
1168 Dec 06 2018 0€ Classroom Size
1169 Dec 06 2018 0€ Special education
1170 Dec 06 2018 0€ Why not require foreign students studying in Washoe County tl
1171 Dec 06 2018 0€ Manners, respect, kindness
1172 Dec 06 2018 0€ More school police officers. Better pay and benefit packages fr
1173 Dec 06 2018 0€ Stop wasting money. Too many bosses/administration.
1174 Dec 06 2018 0€ Increased school level administration. Our current stand alone
1175 Dec 06 2018 0€ STEM, critical thinking, languages, ability of students to resear
1176 Dec 06 2018 0€ I would very much like the funding to go to buses picking up ch
1177 Dec 06 2018 0€ Yes, cut the superintendents pay by 3/4
1178 Dec 06 2018 0€ Safety over supportive.
1179 Dec 06 2018 0€ Decrease class sizes but include special education students ir
1180 Dec 06 2018 0€ Teacher's salaries need to be higher. More classroom funding
1181 Dec 06 2018 0€ More mental health services. Cultural competence and awarer
1182 Dec 06 2018 0€ Increase in technology access with computers that are not 10
1183 Dec 06 2018 0€ Teachers, reducing class sizes
1184 Dec 06 2018 0€ Opt out of common core and state mandated testing.
1185 Dec 06 2018 0€ Gate and special needs programs
1186 Dec 06 2018 0€ Maintenance of staff benefits and salaries or wages without rex
1187 Dec 06 2018 0€ There needs to be a universal curriculum between all schools.
1188 Dec 06 2018 0€ Bring back the school bus stops that were taken away
1189 Dec 06 2018 0€ N/A

1190 Dec 06 2018 05 Higher salaries for teachers. They take work home with them,
1191 Dec 06 2018 05 Cut administrative staff. You guys always punish students and
1192 Dec 06 2018 05 Teachers need to make more money! They are asked to do m
1193 Dec 06 2018 05 Raises for teachers.
1194 Dec 06 2018 05 Safety
1195 Dec 06 2018 05 STEM or STEAM education, specifically technology, engineerin
1196 Dec 06 2018 05 The GT program is completely inadequate in the elementary sc
1197 Dec 06 2018 05 One thing that immediately comes to my mind is the raffle prog
1198 Dec 06 2018 05 Teacher salaries and benefits.
1199 Dec 06 2018 05 Less administration and more teacher for smaller class size. A
1200 Dec 06 2018 05 Better transportation for students, which includes keeping kids
1201 Dec 06 2018 05 Better teacher pay
1202 Dec 06 2018 05 Each student needs constant access to technology. How are v
1203 Dec 06 2018 05 Technology improvements, more computers in the elementary
1204 Dec 06 2018 05 Bus transportation
1205 Dec 06 2018 05 Having enough teachers so that classrooms aren't sitting at 37
1206 Dec 06 2018 05 The District needs to allow teachers to have access to the doll
1207 Dec 06 2018 05 Retaining high-quality staff - pay our teachers and our substitu
1208 Dec 06 2018 05 An alternative school that will keep students that get in trouble ;
1209 Dec 06 2018 05 Reduce all board members pay to realistic levels. The superint
1210 Dec 06 2018 05 Better programs for struggling students. Longer school day.
1211 Dec 06 2018 05 Teachers should make money. The district leaders should mal
1212 Dec 06 2018 05 Taking bus routes back to the 1,2 and 3 mile ranges.
1213 Dec 06 2018 05 Music programs. Focus on partnerships with members and bu
1214 Dec 06 2018 05 New textbooks especially science
1215 Dec 06 2018 05 Art, music, theater are all essential in helping students be well-
1216 Dec 06 2018 05 Less admin.
1217 Dec 06 2018 05 n/a
1218 Dec 06 2018 05 Special Ed like it used to be. Kids who struggle get extra help in
1219 Dec 06 2018 05 STOP spending money on "smart boards" that you don't maint
1220 Dec 06 2018 05 Teacher recruitment and veteran teacher incentives. High ac
1221 Dec 06 2018 05 Teacher appreciation and retention
1222 Dec 06 2018 05 Special education
1223 Dec 06 2018 05 Pay teachers fairly, figure out an appropriate way to incentivize
1224 Dec 06 2018 05 More schools to reduce overcrowding
1225 Dec 06 2018 05 Reduce class size! DRHS has classes of 40+ students, which
1226 Dec 06 2018 05 Technology
1227 Dec 06 2018 05 T
1228 Dec 06 2018 05 Replacing outdated books and materials with more modern me
1229 Dec 06 2018 05 Teaching supplies funding. Teachers should not have to by the
1230 Dec 06 2018 05 How about paying teachers more so they feel valued as profes
1231 Dec 06 2018 05 Cut out the fat; priority funding to Career/College Readiness an
1232 Dec 06 2018 05 How can the building and updating schools be better handled?
1233 Dec 06 2018 05 Better pay and overall support for teachers. Lowering pay for c
1234 Dec 06 2018 05 Getting rid of the growth module, it dose a disservice to the stu
1235 Dec 06 2018 05 N/A

1236 Dec 06 2018 05 Money to students identified as struggling/failing. My son is str
 1237 Dec 06 2018 05 Strengthen our special education programs. There are current
 1238 Dec 06 2018 05 Please pay the teachers more so they stay up
 1239 Dec 06 2018 05 no
 1240 Dec 06 2018 05 materials/tools to perform duties effectively
 1241 Dec 06 2018 05 Teacher salaries
 1242 Dec 06 2018 04 raises for teachers that have been identified as consistently in
 1243 Dec 06 2018 04 Teacher salary raises
 1244 Dec 06 2018 04 Technology resources to ALL schools, not just Title schools.
 1245 Dec 06 2018 04 Securing ALL schools. Lenz is not yet secured.
 1246 Dec 06 2018 04 More teachers in the classrooms with students. Less "speciali
 1247 Dec 06 2018 04 K-12 should be safe and focused on career or college readines
 1248 Dec 06 2018 04 I'd like to see the district eliminate all of the coaching/learning s
 1249 Dec 06 2018 04 Reduce classroom size for all schools-not just title and low inc
 1250 Dec 06 2018 04 Please stop cutting the arts. They are so crucial. Also class si
 1251 Dec 06 2018 04 Cut spending at the administrative level. When administrators r
 1252 Dec 06 2018 04 Funding of more marriage and family therapists in the schools
 1253 Dec 06 2018 04 Teacher salaries in order to promote retention of experienced t
 1254 Dec 06 2018 04 Social-emotional learning needs.
 1255 Dec 06 2018 04 Spanish immersion for all students.
 1256 Dec 06 2018 04 No.
 1257 Dec 06 2018 04 Education Home economics Trades
 1258 Dec 06 2018 04 Cutting the superintendents and other administrators budgets t
 1259 Dec 06 2018 04 Teacher salaries
 1260 Dec 06 2018 04 School bus for kids.i dont believe my 6 year old should be exp
 1261 Dec 06 2018 04 Providing information about resources
 1262 Dec 06 2018 04 I think the district needs to focus on just academics. We have
 1263 Dec 06 2018 04 Too many administrative personnel.
 1264 Dec 06 2018 04 Incentive pay to KEEP highly effective classroom teachers in T
 1265 Dec 06 2018 04 Bus transportation for the kids. The school zone is to far awa
 1266 Dec 06 2018 04 Reduce class size, Decrease top heavy administration, recons
 1267 Dec 06 2018 04 Alternative learning options
 1268 Dec 06 2018 04 Special Education services
 1269 Dec 06 2018 04 Make cuts to special classes such as art & music to provide s
 1270 Dec 06 2018 04 Keeping up building and grounds.
 1271 Dec 06 2018 04 Class ratios are a serious issue and impead student learning. I
 1272 Dec 06 2018 04 More funds are needed for special education staff. We need cu
 1273 Dec 06 2018 04 Although the survey mechanism required the above priorities to
 1274 Dec 06 2018 04 They need to focus more on lower schools that are not meetin
 1275 Dec 06 2018 04 School Sports
 1276 Dec 06 2018 04 Pay teachers more way more, it's very wrong how we treat the
 1277 Dec 06 2018 04 Using forensic accounting to find the improper use or wasteful
 1278 Dec 06 2018 04 Security
 1279 Dec 06 2018 04 Administration reduction.
 1280 Dec 06 2018 04 Fund teaching: reduce class sizes. Invest in technology (perh
 1281 Dec 06 2018 04 More P.E for younger kids it's good for boys. Science fairs in l

1282 Dec 06 2018 04 Antibulling Programs including staff
1283 Dec 06 2018 04 We need to focus more resources on career and technical edu
1284 Dec 06 2018 04 Updating the school bus fleet, pay All support staff way more, I
1285 Dec 06 2018 04 Decreasing class size.
1286 Dec 06 2018 04 Reduce spending on SBAC testing, eliminate it all together
1287 Dec 06 2018 04 Professional development for teachers, especially as we imple
1288 Dec 06 2018 04 Less on text book and go to per purple tablets or laptops. This
1289 Dec 06 2018 04 If teachers were paid more (on par with other professionals) m
1290 Dec 06 2018 04 Too many non-district children are flooding our schools as a m
1291 Dec 06 2018 04 More support for the arts!
1292 Dec 06 2018 04 Counseling and advice, both career and related to mental healt
1293 Dec 06 2018 04 Thank you for asking and PLEASE STOP CALLING MY CHIL
1294 Dec 06 2018 04 Special education
1295 Dec 06 2018 04 Increase of supports and allocations for individual school sites
1296 Dec 06 2018 04 before and after school safety, the cuts in busing has affected
1297 Dec 06 2018 04 TEACHER SALARIES - in general EXTRA PAY OR INCENTIV
1298 Dec 06 2018 04 More teachers! Or at least better paid teachers!
1299 Dec 06 2018 04 More teachers and more schools to meet growth
1300 Dec 06 2018 04 Reduce the superintendents salary as well as other high rankin
1301 Dec 06 2018 04 Increase the number of days children are in school and reduce
1302 Dec 06 2018 04 I don't understand why none of the massive amounts of mariju
1303 Dec 06 2018 04 Help support at risk schools bubble school
1304 Dec 06 2018 04 Return on Investment for Reengagement Select a Location:
1305 Dec 06 2018 04 Programs such as welding and other trade skills that some stu
1306 Dec 06 2018 04 Fees. It is ridiculous what we are asked to supplement for fees
1307 Dec 06 2018 04 Teacher salaries are a number one priority.
1308 Dec 06 2018 04 Special education teachers should get a salary differential in ac
1309 Dec 06 2018 04 Keep wasting public money please
1310 Dec 06 2018 04 Drivers education and support.
1311 Dec 06 2018 04 Tutoring
1312 Dec 06 2018 04 Reduce class size
1313 Dec 06 2018 04 Music, the library, pe, and the computer lab. Stop funding the A
1314 Dec 06 2018 04 How about pay the teachers more so we get qualified educator
1315 Dec 06 2018 04 Academic support to build students conscious about learning (
1316 Dec 06 2018 04 Technology in schools
1317 Dec 06 2018 04 Technology for schools that are not Title 1 It is a shame that y
1318 Dec 06 2018 04 Teacher salaries
1319 Dec 06 2018 04 Physical education as a mandatory class. New schools in over
1320 Dec 06 2018 04 NO! Just get back to the basics at the elementary level- NO a
1321 Dec 06 2018 04 Caring for the special needs population that may not make high
1322 Dec 06 2018 04 At our school, Double Diamond, I think the school is in desper
1323 Dec 06 2018 04 More on rotc and skills training
1324 Dec 06 2018 04 More money to hire more teachers Increase sub pay
1325 Dec 06 2018 04 food program...teacher pay...fixing schools that need it..build la
1326 Dec 06 2018 04 WCSD Should first be fiscally responsible with the resources th
1327 Dec 06 2018 04 Teachers need professional development and coaching. Weak

1328 Dec 06 2018 04 Teacher salaries
1329 Dec 06 2018 04 No. Stop funding this with money taken at threat of violence from
1330 Dec 06 2018 04 More teachers. RESEARCH SHOWS that lower classroom per pupil
1331 Dec 06 2018 04 I would not fund school busing--let parents figure out how to get
1332 Dec 06 2018 04 Health care and teacher pay
1333 Dec 06 2018 04 The transportation needs to be redone again. The bus system
1334 Dec 06 2018 04 Teacher development; bringing in valued instructors from districts
1335 Dec 06 2018 04 STOP CHANGING THE MATH PROGRAM, MY SON HAS BEEN
1336 Dec 06 2018 04 Classroom materials, interactive whiteboards, computers, teacher
1337 Dec 06 2018 04 As indicated above, ACTUALLY prepare the kids for life rather
1338 Dec 06 2018 04 Transportation needs more funds for better pay to hire safe and
1339 Dec 06 2018 04 Teacher salaries!!!!
1340 Dec 06 2018 04 SMALLER CLASS SIZES --LESS SPECIALIST POSITIONS AND
1341 Dec 06 2018 04 Reduce the number of administrative positions!
1342 Dec 06 2018 04 More hours, less vacation days. Stricter homework.
1343 Dec 06 2018 04 Lower student teacher ratios in grades 4-12.
1344 Dec 06 2018 04 Hire more teachers.. to fund all of the schools not take some from
1345 Dec 06 2018 04 Cutting the fat in the greenhouse. There are ways to many high
1346 Dec 06 2018 04 none
1347 Dec 06 2018 04 Yes. Funding for compliance training in special education to keep
1348 Dec 06 2018 04 The most important thing the district can do is to LOWER CLASS
1349 Dec 06 2018 04 Technology in classrooms Playground equipment
1350 Dec 06 2018 04 N/A
1351 Dec 06 2018 04 Teachers and classroom materials. Allowing teachers to attend
1352 Dec 06 2018 04 Teacher salaries - we are lagging nationwide not to mention the
1353 Dec 06 2018 04 Improvement and repairs to existing facilities.
1354 Dec 06 2018 04 Washoe needs to offer tech/trade opportunities
1355 Dec 06 2018 04 I'd like to see schools built in clusters and in cooperation with cities
1356 Dec 06 2018 04 I believe you should pay the teachers better, and give the motivation
1357 Dec 06 2018 04 update technology; reduced class size
1358 Dec 06 2018 04 Teacher salary and incentives to retain highly qualified, effective
1359 Dec 06 2018 04 Reduce administrative functions outside of the school, to include
1360 Dec 06 2018 04 In order to maintain and gain new employees at the district we
1361 Dec 06 2018 04 Bring school bus routes back.
1362 Dec 06 2018 04 Priorities should start with education and educators and less with
1363 Dec 06 2018 04 Infrastructure of buildings...
1364 Dec 06 2018 04 Infrastructure improvement. Elimination of outside contractors
1365 Dec 06 2018 04 Improvements to biking and walking infrastructure on and around
1366 Dec 06 2018 04 School buses should go back to anyone living over a mile. Even
1367 Dec 06 2018 04 TEACHERS, TEACHERS, TEACHERS. We are top heavy, too
1368 Dec 06 2018 04 Special education positions and means to reduce workload on
1369 Dec 06 2018 04 Physical Education Nutrition Services - district needs to seek
1370 Dec 06 2018 04 My son struggles with actual learning what is supposed to be in class
1371 Dec 06 2018 04 Class size reduction, technology
1372 Dec 06 2018 04 Bus transportation for our children.
1373 Dec 06 2018 04 Yes teacher and staff pay raises. Other states and countries pay

1374 Dec 06 2018 04 Why are you doing a survey. You have proven with the balance
1375 Dec 06 2018 04 Please reduce the student to teacher ratio, there are too many
1376 Dec 06 2018 04 Increase teacher salaries
1377 Dec 06 2018 04 Defund the excessiveness that is otherwise known as overhead
1378 Dec 06 2018 04 More bus routes
1379 Dec 06 2018 03 More teachers working directly with students.
1380 Dec 06 2018 03 no
1381 Dec 06 2018 02 You should consider NOT funding embedded staff who are paid
1382 Dec 06 2018 02 FIND money to pay teachers and subs MORE even if it means
1383 Dec 06 2018 02 The number one issue I hear over and over that undercuts any
1384 Dec 06 2018 02 The mission is to EDUCATE, and all extra curricular activities
1385 Dec 06 2018 01 Increase in teacher salaries
1386 Dec 06 2018 01 Provide incentives for teachers meeting and exceeding goals
1387 Dec 06 2018 01 Fund the students and take/reduce upper level staff. This school
1388 Dec 06 2018 01 Reading (which should include civics at all levels of K12). Math
1389 Dec 06 2018 12 Teacher professional development
1390 Dec 06 2018 11 Cutting waste and excess in all areas, especially administrative
1391 Dec 06 2018 11 Would like to see the sale of some of the properties owned by the
1392 Dec 06 2018 11 Outreach to business, industry, civic, and community organizations
1393 Dec 06 2018 11 I would like the district to cut the pay of WSD administration, especially
1394 Dec 06 2018 11 Thoughtful instruction in: Anger Mgt, civil discourse, friendly opposition
1395 Dec 06 2018 11 Recruitment and Retention of teachers. My child's school has
1396 Dec 06 2018 11 I believe the district needs to reduce all upper district office administration
1397 Dec 06 2018 11 Academics are the most important.
1398 Dec 06 2018 11 Add deans and/or additional hall monitoring, especially at high schools
1399 Dec 06 2018 11 "Unfund" the costs of school district administration. The WCSD
1400 Dec 06 2018 10 Reduce spending on high level District employees
1401 Dec 06 2018 10 It's not that I have "other" priorities. But you guys have logrolled
1402 Dec 06 2018 10 Put more money in the classroom and less on administrators.
1403 Dec 06 2018 10 Cut the glut on 9th St. Horrible judgment to be paying so much
1404 Dec 06 2018 09 Increase teacher pay
1405 Dec 06 2018 09 School counseling
1406 Dec 06 2018 09 administrative salaries are not aligned to the size of the district.
1407 Dec 06 2018 09 Safety and security
1408 Dec 06 2018 08 ** Eliminate providing county cars to any WCSD employees/administrators
1409 Dec 06 2018 08 Eliminate in-house legal team. Hire out when legal is needed and
1410 Dec 06 2018 08 I believe paying teachers a reasonable living wage is essential
1411 Dec 06 2018 08 I would like us to focus on additional reading and math support
1412 Dec 06 2018 08 Year round schooling utilizes our physical resources to their greatest
1413 Dec 06 2018 08 Transportation; I read that students are being stalked by strangers
1414 Dec 06 2018 08 Smaller class sizes
1415 Dec 06 2018 07 Less administrators would give more funding, fund teachers and
1416 Dec 06 2018 07 Teacher competency testing should be a priority.
1417 Dec 06 2018 07 Restore the bus routes. The same bus travels the same route
1418 Dec 06 2018 07 Why does Tracy Davis make so much? Quit improperly firing
1419 Dec 06 2018 07 Continue to reduce both pension and post retirement medical costs

1420 Dec 06 2018 07 Smaller class sizes; Many, Many fewer top-tier central adminis
 1421 Dec 06 2018 07 Pay the teachers not the admin. You don't need 6 vice-principa
 1422 Dec 06 2018 07 Continue supporting Athletics
 1423 Dec 06 2018 07 More attention earlier to student not thriving in our school syste
 1424 Dec 06 2018 07 Music and Art should not be considered "extra-curricular." Th
 1425 Dec 06 2018 0€ N/A
 1426 Dec 06 2018 0€ Solely focusing on graduation rates harms our children's future
 1427 Dec 06 2018 0€ Special education resources are painfully underfunded. Aides r
 1428 Dec 06 2018 0€ Update facilities and build more schools
 1429 Dec 05 2018 11 Improving teacher pay
 1430 Dec 05 2018 1€ Higher more effective, caring educators and counselors. Pay t
 1431 Dec 05 2018 1€ Support charters.
 1432 Dec 05 2018 1€ Please do not leave out the children who are average to above
 1433 Dec 05 2018 1€ Elementary PE, everyday, taught by professional physical edu
 1434 Dec 05 2018 0€ Special needs student programs. Too many of our students ai
 1435 Dec 05 2018 0€ Language arts and foreign language for elementary students
 1436 Dec 05 2018 0€ I would like the district to consider the ReadingCorp program -
 1437 Dec 05 2018 0€ physical education and teaching trades
 1438 Dec 05 2018 0€ Better bus communication and offerings for swas.
 1439 Dec 05 2018 0€ Music Programs as their own group, and Special Education Pr
 1440 Dec 05 2018 0€ Pay the teachers like professionals.
 1441 Dec 05 2018 0€ STEM--much more emphasis on STEM programs.
 1442 Dec 05 2018 0€ Locate and secure funding for additional teachers. It is great tl
 1443 Dec 05 2018 0€ Stop paying the super so much money and bonus. And put bac
 1444 Dec 05 2018 0€ I would love to see more schools adopt the International bacca
 1445 Dec 05 2018 0€ Vocational education
 1446 Dec 05 2018 0€ Vocational learning/schools
 1447 Dec 05 2018 0€ This is garbage. Can we say cut the dead administrative wood
 1448 Dec 05 2018 0€ Teachers in order to reduce class sizes Technology
 1449 Dec 05 2018 07 We need to get back to basics. Kids need to learn how to write
 1450 Dec 05 2018 07 You have too many single source contracts for goods services
 1451 Dec 05 2018 07 Promote "A" students and focus on their talents rather than foc
 1452 Dec 05 2018 0€ This is a poorly written survey, which will allow WCSD to basic
 1453 Dec 05 2018 0€ Technology for all students (1:1) - class size reduction for mid
 1454 Dec 05 2018 0€ Teacher salaries and trainings. Incentives to maintain teachers
 1455 Dec 05 2018 0€ SPED SPED SPED SPED. Please fund our special education p
 1456 Dec 05 2018 0€ Teaching. Get rid of positions like social media specialist....that
 1457 Dec 05 2018 0€ Class sizes are too large. That is my number one concern. W
 1458 Dec 05 2018 0€ No. But there are places WCSD should cut funding to. Namely
 1459 Dec 05 2018 0€ Salaries for the top in the District Office. I noticed that was not
 1460 Dec 05 2018 0€ Direct classroom needs and teacher salaries. Why give WCSI
 1461 Dec 05 2018 0€ Although not tied to each, the district through recent taxes to s
 1462 Dec 05 2018 0€ Special Education
 1463 Dec 05 2018 0€ Teacher pay to attract and keep good teachers! We're the low
 1464 Dec 05 2018 0€ Get rid of higher ups in district. Less testing. Less teacher PD.
 1465 Dec 05 2018 0€ 'll

1466 Dec 05 2018 05 Take from the top and put back into the schools. Administratic
 1467 Dec 05 2018 05 Teacher pay is low, so we don't attract the best. Higher admin
 1468 Dec 05 2018 05 Pay your teachers more and cut the Administrative overhead..
 1469 Dec 05 2018 05 Text Books and/or supplies:
 1470 Dec 05 2018 04 The priority funding system seems like a green flag to spend w
 1471 Dec 05 2018 04 Utilize funds from the marijuana tax! We can build new schools
 1472 Dec 05 2018 04 After school programs
 1473 Dec 05 2018 04 Within these 5 categories there is still huge differences in how t
 1474 Dec 05 2018 04 Priority should be academic. Teaching English, History, Math,
 1475 Dec 05 2018 03 Move from textbooks to notebooks, increased funding for staff
 1476 Dec 05 2018 03 More funding for Gifted and Talented as a whole.
 1477 Dec 05 2018 03 Why don't I see athletics above? Eliminate all athletics. We sh
 1478 Dec 05 2018 03 solar panels on all schools to lower electric costs. this could c
 1479 Dec 05 2018 03 Eliminating funding for these faux "transparency" surveys that
 1480 Dec 05 2018 03 Technology, more resource officers, lower class sizes.
 1481 Dec 05 2018 03 The mission of the school district is to provide an equitable edu
 1482 Dec 05 2018 03 Better pay for teachers.
 1483 Dec 05 2018 02 Stick to the basics. They need reading, writing, math, the arts.
 1484 Dec 05 2018 02 PLEASE FUND MUSIC AND EXTRA CURRICULAR PROGRA
 1485 Dec 05 2018 02 IT'S EMBARRASSING HOW MUCH WE PAY OUR TEACHER
 1486 Dec 05 2018 02 There absolutely must be a salary raise for teachers. The distr
 1487 Dec 05 2018 02 It would be ideal that ALL WCSD schools provided some sort c
 1488 Dec 05 2018 02 Social Emotional Learning
 1489 Dec 05 2018 02 Fundamentals of finance and money managemen and social w
 1490 Dec 05 2018 01 Identifying high-performing teachers and increase pay based c
 1491 Dec 05 2018 01 You should maintain small programs. Don't combine programs
 1492 Dec 05 2018 01 STEM program for elementary schools. Fostering students' in
 1493 Dec 05 2018 01 coaching for teachers Keeping class size small
 1494 Dec 05 2018 01 I would like to see the school district be much more responsibl
 1495 Dec 05 2018 01 These are a little vague, unfortunately. How are you going to fc
 1496 Dec 05 2018 01 stop spending and start balancing you budget. Tired of paying
 1497 Dec 05 2018 01 Prioritize funding in accordance with the economic relevance o
 1498 Dec 05 2018 12 I am not sure.
 1499 Dec 05 2018 12 Invest in a flat 10% income tax to be funded directly to educati
 1500 Dec 05 2018 12 Cameras at all entry points in all schools. Better IT support for
 1501 Dec 05 2018 12 Less athletics.
 1502 Dec 05 2018 12 I would like the District to work in collaboration with the various
 1503 Dec 05 2018 12 Not other priorities, but which programs and supports are emp
 1504 Dec 05 2018 12 Rating schools on academic performance alone, and budgeting
 1505 Dec 05 2018 11 Stop creating high paid administrator positions when we alread
 1506 Dec 05 2018 11 Decrease class sizes. Pay teachers better so you can attract
 1507 Dec 05 2018 11 A decent, rigorous education -- reading, math, history, civics, s
 1508 Dec 05 2018 11 Technical & apprenticeship programs
 1509 Dec 05 2018 11 Unbiased approach to history and government classes
 1510 Dec 05 2018 11 Lower superintendent income!
 1511 Dec 05 2018 11 I would not fund any of those. I would fund Teacher pay and in

1512 Dec 05 2018 11 teachers need to be compensated adequately for all they do
 1513 Dec 05 2018 11 Reduce administrative funding and head count
 1514 Dec 05 2018 11 help successful charter schools with transportation.
 1515 Dec 05 2018 11 Updated textbooks, increased funding to support digital days w
 1516 Dec 05 2018 11 Class Sizes
 1517 Dec 05 2018 11 We've been mislead by state on uses of pot tax revenue. I wa
 1518 Dec 05 2018 11 The district should consider personnel retention and growing te
 1519 Dec 05 2018 11 The District should prioritize funding for socioeconomic challen
 1520 Dec 05 2018 10 Get back to basics—readin,' writin" and "rithmitic—the old-fast
 1521 Dec 05 2018 10 Reduce class sizes.
 1522 Dec 05 2018 10 equal funding for non-Title I schools for technology
 1523 Dec 05 2018 10 Physical Education or at least increased recess
 1524 Dec 05 2018 10 Academic growth will lend education to better SAT etc. All of th
 1525 Dec 05 2018 10 Well rounded student experience should also include funding fo
 1526 Dec 05 2018 10 The best schools should not be punished due to poor performa
 1527 Dec 05 2018 09 More teachers to lower the student to teacher ratio! Reduce T
 1528 Dec 05 2018 09 Repairs and maintenance of existing schools, fast track the ad
 1529 Dec 05 2018 09 I believe that school library funding should be mandatory and b
 1530 Dec 05 2018 09 Eliminate all "auto allowances" for administrators. Go to the leg
 1531 Dec 05 2018 09 Quit spending money on fancy learning programs such as "ne
 1532 Dec 05 2018 09 I would like to see more priority given to teacher salary, benefit
 1533 Dec 05 2018 09 Cut the Superintendent and administrators pay. The children ar
 1534 Dec 05 2018 08 Get the curriculum out of the cellar and promote achievement &
 1535 Dec 05 2018 08 Continue to grow vocational education rapidly
 1536 Dec 05 2018 08 #6: no response #5: difficult to decide; too much jargon; who c
 1537 Dec 05 2018 08 Special education. Children with learning disabilities. Funding fo
 1538 Dec 05 2018 08 Teach them to read and write. Yes, teach writing again. Stop th
 1539 Dec 05 2018 08 I'd really like to see an emphasis on true STEAM programs. I l
 1540 Dec 05 2018 08 The District would benefit children in the state by defunding ad
 1541 Dec 05 2018 08 Lower class sizes, less administrators and learning coaches, r
 1542 Dec 05 2018 08 If the district is pushing for 21st century learners, then they ne
 1543 Dec 05 2018 08 Pay substitutes more. In other states, as long as they have a h
 1544 Dec 05 2018 07 more quality Charter schools, school choice
 1545 Dec 05 2018 07 Teacher pay should be improved!
 1546 Dec 05 2018 07 Mandatory economics and computer skill classes for all high s
 1547 Dec 05 2018 07 Needs of the students. Begin with acceptable classroom size.
 1548 Dec 05 2018 07 Stop paying for tracy Davis to live in 2 places & paying for her
 1549 Dec 05 2018 07 Finding a way to get smaller class sizes or increase teacher p
 1550 Dec 05 2018 07 Dump SHARE!!!! STOP political programming of students to vc
 1551 Dec 05 2018 07 Cyst compensation of everything in the green building
 1552 Dec 05 2018 07 Class size is most important, so funding of teachers in class rc
 1553 Dec 05 2018 07 Making ALL students Spanish speaking.
 1554 Dec 05 2018 07 Computer science and technical education
 1555 Dec 05 2018 07 More magnet programs. High achievers and opportunities for t
 1556 Dec 05 2018 07 Build more schools
 1557 Dec 05 2018 06 No

1558 Dec 05 2018 06 Cut administrative services at the greenhouse by 50%.
 1559 Dec 05 2018 06 Reduce administrative staff
 1560 Dec 05 2018 06 cut the super's salary and benefits reinstate discipline in the s
 1561 Dec 05 2018 06 Yes cut the cost of administrators and put that money to buying
 1562 Dec 05 2018 06 Teacher Salaries
 1563 Dec 05 2018 06 Top must be reduction in administration. Reduced number of a
 1564 Dec 05 2018 05 Middle income schools get least funding to Jeep up. Falls on te
 1565 Dec 05 2018 05 Please, less testing. Definitely more civic responsibility.
 1566 Dec 05 2018 05 get rid of the upper administrative staff
 1567 Dec 05 2018 05 Teacher pay raise! Get rid of ALL implementation specialists jo
 1568 Dec 05 2018 05 Stop wasting money and time on social engineering and trendy
 1569 Dec 05 2018 05 Career based learning Tech schools
 1570 Dec 05 2018 05 Sports-all sports not just football and basketball.
 1571 Dec 05 2018 05 Smaller class sizes in Middle & High School as this is a crucial
 1572 Dec 05 2018 05 You need to consider funding for an increased number, benefit
 1573 Dec 05 2018 12 Civics education and a community service requirement
 1574 Dec 05 2018 12 GATE programs, reimplement the bus routes!!
 1575 Dec 05 2018 12 Building a swimming pool at the new Middle school at arrowcre
 1576 Dec 04 2018 11 Smaller class size! More than 25 in 4th and 5th grade is ridicul
 1577 Dec 04 2018 11 Teacher funds, increase pay
 1578 Dec 04 2018 11 Special education, classroom teacher and student aide salaries
 1579 Dec 04 2018 11 More focus on learning and not teaching to the test. So much t
 1580 Dec 04 2018 11 Title Schools should receive less funding since they are overfu
 1581 Dec 04 2018 11 Having an adequate amount of teachers per school that provid
 1582 Dec 04 2018 10 Bring PE back in schools every day
 1583 Dec 04 2018 10 We have a child with Autism in the school district who had beer
 1584 Dec 04 2018 10 Buildings, transportation, mental health initiatives/social worker
 1585 Dec 04 2018 10 Programs that focus on science and math literacy.
 1586 Dec 04 2018 10 Physical education, shop and vocational education
 1587 Dec 04 2018 10 Pay the teachers more!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
 1588 Dec 04 2018 09 Give teachers more time, money and resources, smaller class
 1589 Dec 04 2018 09 Teacher salary. Keeping and attracting good teachers is an im
 1590 Dec 04 2018 09 Certificated raises for teachers who directly impact students, n
 1591 Dec 04 2018 09 Please be smart with the money allocated to each school site. .
 1592 Dec 04 2018 09 Smaller class sizes, holding students responsible for their achi
 1593 Dec 04 2018 08 Stop funding \$200M Wildcreek. Really? What a waste of mor
 1594 Dec 04 2018 08 GT programs in high school similar to those offered in middle s
 1595 Dec 04 2018 08 SEL/Student Voice, Early Childhood
 1596 Dec 04 2018 08 Spend your money wisely you guys need to shop around and t
 1597 Dec 04 2018 08 I would like the BOT to listen to staff and not make uninformed
 1598 Dec 04 2018 08 Cut from the top. Superintendent, area sup's, chiefs of etc. cu
 1599 Dec 04 2018 08 GATE
 1600 Dec 04 2018 08 Teacher pay
 1601 Dec 04 2018 07 Libraries - they are critical to develop a need for life-long learni
 1602 Dec 04 2018 07 Reduce incompetent administrative personnel who know so litt
 1603 Dec 04 2018 07 I would like to stop spending money for students to repeat clas

1604 Dec 04 2018 07 Eliminate the top 50 percent of administration and support staff
 1605 Dec 04 2018 07 More funding should be allocated to support data. Data should
 1606 Dec 04 2018 07 Smaller class sizes
 1607 Dec 04 2018 07 There must be more teachers in classrooms!!!! I am so frustra
 1608 Dec 04 2018 07 Yes. I think the WCSD administration should be paid the same as
 1609 Dec 04 2018 07 Reduce the number of administrative personnel both at headqu
 1610 Dec 04 2018 07 Decrease the salaries of the superintendent and other head-di
 1611 Dec 04 2018 07 More teachers for smaller class sizes
 1612 Dec 04 2018 07 We need reading and math specialists in elementary school. S
 1613 Dec 04 2018 06 Lemmon Valley School needs a playground!
 1614 Dec 04 2018 06 Reducing the administrative costs and overhead of the the dist
 1615 Dec 04 2018 06 All arts, trade school for students who are not college bound
 1616 Dec 04 2018 06 Please lobby the legislature or find a way to suggest impact fee
 1617 Dec 04 2018 06 Cut the funding from the top heavy administration and buy textl
 1618 Dec 04 2018 06 Core O&M expenses so you can lower teacher to student ratio
 1619 Dec 04 2018 06 SEL
 1620 Dec 04 2018 06 Fine Arts Education in Elementary schools Should be put in pl
 1621 Dec 04 2018 06 Better teacher pay in order to attract more qualified teachers to
 1622 Dec 04 2018 06 Physical education, gun safety
 1623 Dec 04 2018 06 I notice this survey is self serving. There is no option to reduc
 1624 Dec 04 2018 06 Smaller class sizes
 1625 Dec 04 2018 06 Hands on learning like real life job experiences for each categ
 1626 Dec 04 2018 05 Auto shop Wood shop Classes that kids can learn skills
 1627 Dec 04 2018 05 Cut the top heavy district office and stop increasing class size
 1628 Dec 04 2018 05 Kindergarten needs to have class sizes at 17 to 1 like first and
 1629 Dec 04 2018 05 After school education leagues like in Texas.
 1630 Dec 04 2018 05 Yes! Gove teachers a decent raise! They deserve it! If the sup
 1631 Dec 04 2018 04 None
 1632 Dec 04 2018 04 Building funding should be coming from the initiative passed las
 1633 Dec 04 2018 04 paying teachers a livable wage and paying/providing via makin
 1634 Dec 04 2018 04 Increase wages for substitutes and other classroom support s
 1635 Dec 04 2018 03 Better school lunch and breakfast options. More effective imple
 1636 Dec 04 2018 03 Specific to the career and college readiness, there should be a
 1637 Dec 04 2018 03 The removal of Traci Davis.
 1638 Dec 04 2018 03 I would like to see the Superintendents salary reduced.
 1639 Dec 04 2018 02 I would really like the district to fund my Communist revolution.
 1640 Dec 04 2018 02 There is ONLY 3 priorities in K - 8 grade.....reading - writing - a
 1641 Dec 04 2018 02 Cutting Administrators
 1642 Dec 04 2018 02 I would like to see the administration reduce their spending on
 1643 Dec 04 2018 01 n/a
 1644 Dec 04 2018 01 Yes, stop hiring so many well paid administrators. When a put
 1645 Dec 04 2018 01 Teacher training to understand dyslexia!!! Teacher understand
 1646 Dec 04 2018 01 Defunding administrative overhead starting with the Superinten
 1647 Dec 04 2018 01 YES! I am a 4th grade teacher at Pleasant Elementary School.
 1648 Dec 04 2018 01 growth impact fees
 1649 Dec 04 2018 01 Defund MORE administrators.

1650 Dec 04 2018 12 Classroom sizes are way too big. This detracts from the ability
1651 Dec 04 2018 12 special education-Absolutely not more administration. WCSD is
1652 Dec 04 2018 12 Increased funding toward teacher salaries.
1653 Dec 04 2018 11 Return walk zones back to 1 mile for elementary school and 2
1654 Dec 03 2018 08 Salary increase for employees more funding for health insuran
1655 Nov 30 2018 10 Communications

, please indicate below.

ing over \$200,000 when students don't have a safe building or enough books and your teachers who are not properly allocated to teacher salaries. Senior executive positions like Superintendent and Assistant Superintendent are a waste of money.

the money of going back and forth to Vegas. Over \$300k/year for at least 3 administrators is terrible. It's a waste of money.

is a grade for it each quarter. How can they receive a grade for something that is extra curricular? It's not a grade for this.

It didn't have a coherent curriculum aligned to the common core. Is it any wonder that our literacy rates are so low?

use of dumbing down achievement so lower rated students can pass.

is the 'extracurricular' category. This is considered a core subject and should be treated as such.

every school, I would like to see teacher assistants in each grade level. I know that paying personnel is a lot of money.

money to Vegas execs who do nothing for our region.

to lower the ratio between students and teacher, like 25 to 1 or less.

EA needs to look at cutting administrative district positions, creating equitable and sustainable system.

ts (PBIS)

sport activities. I believe that if students want to participate in athletic activities it is their responsibility. It's not the teachers that can afford to focus on teaching. We have wonderful teachers leaving the field at alarmingly low rates. I did love when the district came to recognize me and one other year I was involved in the volunteer groups.

over the salary of the Superintendent. I think that the teachers should be our priority, with good teaching. It's a huge administrative waste--fewer green house people, area superintendents (and all their perks), instructional coaches. Let them continue to teach them at home and test them on what their "actually" learning. The MAP testing holds them back.

the content rather than graduation rates. A+ Learning is not a good alternative to students actually participating in sports. We need to get the state to west Wendover and White Pine for basketball and other games.

as well. For best development and growth, all children should have adequate exercise every day. It's a waste of money to have a school and creating new admin positions to save people from having to return to the classroom. And it's a waste of money.

directly to the children. It costs money that the district needs to educate children.

extra classes specifically to hold/teach students who are mean and extremely disruptive in other classes.

ication to our students.

ensive to have a child in extra-curricular activities when the family is always footing the bill (i.e. pun

, works on skills and competencies and is taught by highly qualified certified educators. It should not
s extremely a lot. This makes it impossible to teach with excellence!!

ne of your goals can be accomplished without great staff. Stop spending thousands of dollars on co

strative duties, classes, certifications coaches are required to do increase every year. It's very diffi
nd for higher quality teachers.

rs are shown they are valued and paid to reflect their worth, the retention and morale will improve d

get title funding and the parents do not have extra money to help the schools either. These school

nded while they keep company cars Get rid of all the tosa do nothings and dept people who are too

op this effort immediately. WCSD does not need to fund a child care center or an Olympic size sw
ise. Our children should not have to choose.

class sizes.

l car allowance.

o-One technology access for all students LOWER STUDENT/TEACHER RATIOS--anything above
eason middle school starts so early is lack of funding for busing. Junior high kids struggle concentr

research shows the educational value both in the affective, cognitive, and psychomotor domains o
graduation rates, and get the students out of the schools who don't want to be there. Start concentr
acher on special assignment" positions, we don't have enough teachers, put the ones we do have b

tracurricular category invalidates the credibility of the survey itself. Music is ACADEMIC. It is a grac
efully underfunded. One good music program/teacher can change so many lives. Better funding = k
t practices are costing the district and their employees more than budgeted because the current co
nd nurses, we also need metal workers and plumbers.

. These are graded subjects and all assessment measures show how significantly they contribute t

ghter that we are struggling to hold teachers accountable for their performance. I would like to see i

s for ALL schools. There is no excuse why one elementary school is closed and secure, while another work like music and other arts as extracurricular. This is appalling and part of why this states education when you expand current buildings.

passage of legislation to increase funding to schools, at state and local levels.
c and art are extracurricular. Please maintain fine and performing arts in the K-12 curriculum.
I prefer to hire people who participated in music and sports in school because they have the interpe

and arts, at schools in at-risk neighborhoods. There is a sharp discrepancy between opportunities
mped into the extracurricular category. IT IS NOT. Students earn grades for music, are evaluated c
work with kids. They need to spend less money on district admin.

teacher's ability to effectively instruct students. Teachers do not have a lot of support as "program
ricular. They should be included under Academic Growth.

ieve that teacher in WCSD are paid for their level of education and the amount of work that is requir
of safety at school including a communication system to alert parents when problems arise and w

I more non-test related activities that encourage abstract thinking

s is where the problem lies with our schools, not with finances, not with number teachers, not with n

ie safety and well being for our students.
a farce. Get back to the basics...offering an opportunity to achieve academic excellence. Period.
are curriculum, have State Standards and are NOT extra curricular. Music students tend to be yc
arners. Funds allocated for ELs should be used to increase the number of EL teachers in schools b

ol to disrupt the educational environment. Let them learn at home, so their parents can deal with the
ie school. For example, destruction of property, excessive tardiness/absenteeism, disruptive behav

!!

ess community
ools rather than some schools receiving more than others due to the area the school is located.
experience in education as a teacher and administrator. The arts are what "save" many students a
for the review process of her performance should have been followed. The money spent defending

atio.

und MORE TEACHERS/STAFF and refine/limit the funding that is going to program costs such as A
naking that money while Washoe County schools are struggling.

ict and very important

supplies for the classrooms along with better pay for qualified teachers.

artments. Audit every job at the district level. Cut those jobs by doing more with less employees with

in one class!!! This is ridiculous! If you hire more teachers, instead of getting rid of current positions
ecially those who work directly with students (and often our neediest students) daily but are starting

led, information when asking these questions to educate parents prior to a survey. A after reviewin
k in the classrooms (administrators, coaches, implementation specialists, instructional coordinators
usic and art which are proven to be beneficial and necessary part of the overall learning experience
Pre-K.

gh more supports and alleviate strains so teachers can focus on helping students succeed.

e teachers to be compensated better.

il education

offs, Car loan scams, predatory Mortgages, Budgets and savings Our country's Great

in this community on a teacher salary.

order to pay rent are not the best teachers they can be, they are tired and not being able to stay la
ave to walk home or walk to school

n elementary school (gym teachers and phys ed classes), COMPREHENSIVE SEX EDUCATION,
o, the superintendent should receive a high salary, but also paying for cell and her car is outrageous
id tools that at needed in the classroom. Also, itinerate staff such as PT, OT, ST, and school nurse
er cutters, copy machines, computers

ig and or do not have enough time and support to foster extra help for those who struggle. Interveni

during school day for low/no-charge. Early intervention into behavioral/mental health (elementary s

ool.

ster's Degrees to start teaching right away (without having to go to ridiculous extra years of classes
s extra-curricular programs. Have you read the studies that link music performance to brain devel
r our kindergarten students. There needs to be a reading intervention teacher who works directly v

itions, placement system that looks more closely at each individual student.

etaries, nutrition services full time status or a living wage.

and staff.

R in the classroom and at home. Elimination of homework; replaced with 30 minutes reading time a

school has different needs that require different supports. We can't fund each school with the same

a priority ft. Or district. Dave Ramsey's Foundations in personal finance curriculum for HS students don't just have dirt!

They are essential and what help make our kids the unique individuals they are.

If living raise,

athletics. That will certainly get people's attention and perhaps an appetite for increasing funding.

th and reducing the administrative overhead of non-teaching personnel. (such as paying personnel much as feasible.

t money to the schools. It's absolutely disgusting that she makes so much money when you're con-

e economics, teach how to rely on yourself and not be co-dependent; encourage independence/lea-

gral to every student's academic growth. In 2019, STEAM should be part of the educational vocabulary accounts

re of a well-balanced, academic education! After school soccer, crafts, and karate classes are e-

e learners.

to the teachers and staff members who work directly with children. Also, money should be funded c-

nts' school experience in many ways and are as important to future problem solving and creativity

horribly and it is disgusting that they can make more at Starbucks than working in the district. Wow
ance a budget, bank book, how to cook, proper hygiene, job interviewing, independent thinking/problem
ed education / professional development.

t/administrative. Nevada spends 38% of each dollar on non-instructional expenses. The national a-

t as an elective and your child is lucky if they are assigned the elective they have chosen) and ren-
chers, so class sizes are not so large and Teachers are better equipped to handle various cases e-

priority at this time very few people want to go into teaching because they can't afford to raise a far
duce spending. We should reduce testing, remove TOSAs and put them back in classrooms, and e-

arning.

e. Embrace charter schools. Improve your communication and marketing efforts

tudents on safety especially with all these school incidents nationwide.

nts to every class. This is not a smart way to balance the budget.

s elsewhere.

chers that have a high desire to impact students. These teachers who are here for the check are a
oly!

hers.

ne teacher student ratio

rams that teach coding and binary mathematics.

af/blind, ADHD, ADD, among others.

ent. Any education provided beyond that should focus on EITHER career skill development OR coll
ie administrative assistants with benefits. Administrations run more efficiently when they are lean.

orting skilled trades as well. College is not the goal and they may have worthwhile goals in other ar
d is grossly over paid just like the many many other upper management

1 and are not in the wealthy area of town.

n the funds available for non English speakers. Students should speak English as a condition of enr
ie classes are very big therefore not very efficient for advancing faster with the curriculum and of co
web based homework turn in and more options for online elective vkasses
tes and vacancies in schools that need to be filled are not. Also the class sizes are pretty ridiculous
ts, languages and music, completely stop promoting the military
springs, silver springs, etc). Issues getting and keeping subs could be improved by increasing pay
lieve giving the Teachers the funding, support and resources to help set our children on the right pa
going into her pocket.

iem in the education profession.

trained compared to other states. Cut spending on administrative and put into training and give all sc
have created a "survey" designed to collect the exact data they want to justify current toxic practice
us on the trades and smaller campuses
of teachers that do not perform or like what they are doing.

More support for teachers -- and fewer meetings for principals, who need to be able to spend the m

uch pedagogy and content training as they could.

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ect based learning opps.

onsibility and either return the teacher back to the classroom or fire the teacher (IF proper cause).
se because it is associated to marijuana. It's not like that's telling kids to do drugs, it's helping to furt

increasing fruits and veggies. The studies are out there (China Study) that meat, dairy, and eggs c

/es to go to further school.

s when school starts at 9 and they come home at 3pm. I am one of the lucky parents in that my old

for students or teachers. I don't know if we need to mobilize our community to demand more funding for their impact on student learning and how effective are they cost-wise? Are these programs actually, home economics, agriculture studies

important to have these classes in our school. I think we can cut out standardized testing completely once they have in order to teach students. Giving them the freedom to teach the individual students they

studies. 5 to reduce class sizes in social studies. Decrease salaries for all administrative staff starting as for how long they have been in the district. It also should not be their responsibility to fund the cla

...including support such as teachers' aids. Extra Psychological/counseling support for at risk students. Keep highly qualified staff on longer. Develop more programs to to promote and growth current staff spent on making them safe and comfortable for learning. updating them to current standards and t

How about we cut the upper's pays for their supplies!
for language learning so our students are prepared for global interactions!

Counselors are needed. Currently, counselors don't have time to be available to at risk students; e.g., NV priorities of academic growth, readiness for college/career, ensuring a well-rounded student experience, paying for private school and would gladly donate money. NV is one of few states that allow this. People in "coaching" positions do not have a direct effect on raising student achievement. If doctor, it is important to learn a trade

, etc).

alternative placements and place master teachers back in the class room. This would not change out of

school everyday yet get harassed by office personnel if she misses a day; Ridiculous! Also teacher paid even when student did not ask for help. Once a student falls behind his peers in class - many ju

ess, banking, accounting,

exercise during the day could possibly create good habits by creating outlets for motion and exercise

comes to Elementary Schools where it has a much higher efficacy.

Textbooks-high school biology

feel strongly that by creating safe and supportive learning environments for our children and by helping the world (ie budget money, do taxes, make appts, make large purchases)

that can be used in other areas listed above.

ey required to help young students is unbelievable! When you're hurting for money, why not reduce

.....

ication, as well as some sort of modified home economics course. I'd like to see a course like this in

5. This would improve test scores, improve attendance, and most importantly improve student health and well-being, and get them back into the pupils and education.

English. Good students are exposed to the arts and learn team work and problem solving in other v

t and the top people are paid way too much. I'd like to see a significant reduction in administration p

business-based techniques.

olunteers or the school police.

the majority of money going to title schools. Our average schools are desperately in need of attention. I spent \$60.00 and left you \$40.00 to go towards debt. UPDATE: (But of course I was forced to

id or kids gifted or that has special needs. But the kid that has potential as well as other students. We have efficiency and redundancy. Example: every year i have to submit BC for my children even though

d help then before because the skill of studying is not taught to these schools.

to improve that first and foremost

Swipe and Reno High

Support for children with IEP's Extracurricular activities for all students

rams, agriculture, IT, arts

lents! It is disgusting that they approved increasing the walking zone. It would take a healthy adult to walk that far but kids and we could attract more well rounded individuals to teach.

eakers. Seems like that is a huge drain That money should distributed more evenly.

asses that teach the kids good sportsmanship, healthy eating and exercise habits and homework th

ing. It is NOT a lower priority item. It is part of every students academic growth and needs to be tre

an hire and keep competent people.

tive wages and costs

s and speed bumps

id support staff.

ly looking for REAL input!

ince the aides have been taken away and academic rigor has increased! 25 to 1 in kindergarten is r

having worked in the private sector it would be great to see some BASIC cost cutting measured ap

s, etc. Equitable spending in schools. An incredible amount of funding goes towards resources for til

"stuff" rather than going deep into what we have, sticking with it, training staff, etc.

-rounded student experience best practices that are low cost, high impact. For instance researchin

ke online high school, non-traditional classrooms where learning is organic and less text-book focu

s; no tenure status

use personal funds to buy the necessities.

rs of kids walking long distances.

io for school psychologists, school counselors and school social workers.

use salaries are not competitive. We need to reward and retain good teachers.

und and pay them better.

ethod and begin the privatization of all education in Washoe County.

lents. There needs to be more teacher-aides available to support the students who have that requi

ministrative positions you would have enough money to fund our schools. Traci and all her wasted pc

ow to run the district. More money isn't always the answer. The school district funds have been mi

l give them three meals a day FOR FREE, we should be able to provide lunch for children 0-12 FOI

l be part of our educationally system.

ries? How is this priority based? The only thing that doesn't fall under this is facilities and operations

us. teachers need to be paid more not overfunding for administrators

Base salaries on PERFORMANCE of the district, not on the SIZE of the district. President Hollar
ntinuity.

students (some teachers have computers that are over 5 years old, some more close to 10 years)

ted in the "well rounded student experience" category) isn't considered part of the "academic growth

from SHS; I want taught anything relevant about how to be a functioning member of society even th

s is ridiculous. Sending 5th graders to a middle school is the dumbest idea out there to combat over
g the legislation that stole tax payer money from the students in WCSD and gave it to the rural scho
ner option. I find it appalling that you would ask about a reduction in school maintenance given that tl
ld find a business efficiency expert and have them find alternate places to cut costs. Administrative

ve our teachers the tools they need and the freedom to do their jobs. We underpay teachers and st

cluding the arts. Mental health as well as academic counselors on site.

I don't feel any money should go toward extra staffing at the district level. Too much of the district r

ay, reduce superintendent pay/ terminate traci davis

allocate the money to the schools.

The distance of transportation was changed this year, make it like it was last year. Sports and field
r students and only one teacher.

; and culture around it has to be reduced. If my child is not is a safe learning environment then we a
sing disparities in support for our most at-risk students.

e a one mile radius , not a 3 mile

ep where they are at. What needs to be cut is the top staff that do not work with students, there are

know SEL can only help in all of these categories. Also curious why full-time SEL teachers have to g

ay that certified staff has, that is not solely based on a cost of living wage. ESPs who strive to bette

; a tragedy in this country involving weapons and high school age children, the student has known r

ited employees equate to improved performance, which will equal a better product overall for the stu

; things that we can't do because we don't put any money into our school district.

supportive environment, they have a better chance at academic growth and career/college readine

l perks to management like cars. Mandate officials (especially superintendent Davis) that work for t
dmin salaries . That would increase funding for students. Pay teachers appropriately for the skill

assing, with substantial overlap. They are certainly not mutually exclusive! That said, it may be us

they do not have to fund their classrooms from the little pay that they receive.

p qualified staff if they were able to afford to live in Northern Nevada and work for the school distric
d

admin.

These students need exposure to opportunities to learn and train for life after high school. Gone are the

lowest paying district in NV!

new superintendent who doesn't abuse our system while not doing her job.

at school work. It would also strengthen the parents relationship with the community. I believe this is
figuring out how to use them to the safety of the internet to learning new programs for growth. In the elementary

students the skills to increase their marketability in the Washoe County area. They should be prepared
above statement.

existing for all sort of reasons.

are our most untapped resource. We will never take their place and if we equip the parents the school
too many of them. Use their pay to attract more, and better TEACHERS. A good leader goes a long
way and not forced on families, for example remove the snow day policy where parents are responsible
for them. Better pay for substitutes to hopefully reduce the current substitute teaching shortage. More money
allocated to 2 hours a week. The gifted children are being allowed to fall through the cracks.

from another state and your curriculum does not match up. Our child was too advanced for the regular
curriculum. They are included in the National Educational Standard Curriculum and have their own State and National

so long

to meet goals & success in Nevada Read by Grade 3/Nevada Kids Read. All grades Kindergarten through
elementary students are motivated to come to school. Please at the very least maintain the same level of funding so
that students get grades. We have made it so learning is no longer fun by taking out what the district sees

more choices on learning content material in classes in which they also learn how this information applies
if possible, where academics are directly related to authentic, practical, marketable skills.

For students, Preschool through Grade 12. Grades are given, teacher evaluations are conducted. It

is maintained to provide a good learning environment.

by sending teachers to other Nevada districts leaving our students with unqualified subs for the whole year.

to other Nevada school districts so that we stop losing teachers and leaving students with unqualified substitutes
and their duties

programs support the neediness students in WCSD and without an increase in funding for these essential services
meeting the read by 3 law.

Special Education teachers are under great stress with limited resources to perform required functions
educators

not in the elementary school setting.

career and college planning at all levels. Community and civic engagement.

ult, and we often give time above our contract hours so the students in our district what they need!

s an innovative approach that we have not tried in our attempts to raise achievement of our neediest students, upkeep of old schools (not being remodeled)

s such as RN's, Firefighters, etc.

istrict: Woodshop, Metals, Automotive, and Culinary Arts

een cut 3% twice over that time. Need to pay teacher's more! Help keep and retain good ones too.

ould not be considered "extra-curricular"

rofits, community organizations, etc. to reinforce, support teachers, programs, enrichment.

chools is ridiculous. It's a safety issue as well as an enormous drain on the community to have so many students to get rid of those who are not doing their job. Also, improve the IT department. Stretched too thin and many are being under paid.

der to graduate. The students should be required to retake classes or repeat grades if they are required to. Example: college prep seems more important for high school students.

ep kids off the street and engaged!

number of students will have to walk to and from school because of reduced funding for bus transportation. They were essential to mine and now my children's academic experience.

nity and student population - Provide Cultural Sensitivity training to school students, admin, counselors, students and teachers. I don't believe this can be paid out of WC-1 funds therefore it should be allocated. Factors due to factors beyond the students' control. Teachers need to be able to differentiate for all students. Diversity.

ay previous routes and making the distance that children have to walk has increased students not going to school.

10 years. Step advancement is not a raise. Insurance and PERS have both gone up.

sistent subs in our schools. It is difficult to rely on subs showing up and difficult to give up prep time. Lower-rated schools with funding coming from somewhere else besides reducing resources at higher-rated schools are able to have that need met.

er paid based on the size of our district. Our Superintendent is paid quite a bit more than districts that are increasing demands. Special education teachers come into the profession in our district with the intent to stay. VCSD cannot find and retain good teachers if they cannot pay them a livable wage. With the cost of living and to maintain highly qualified teachers.

students. Reduce student to teacher ratio in REGULAR ED classes.

mediate grades because teacher student ratio is too high. Funding for IS types not working in classroom.

community, safe schools, and college readiness. It is the backbone to a great education and creating a positive learning environment.

ould not come out of teacher's pockets nor should it be an excuse why small group reading instruction is a disaster. Listen to the teachers react to their needs in the classroom. Funding by headcount.

and retain good teachers.

its take care of.

ducing administrative salaries.

or the work that they do. Also, English as a Second Language teaching resources should be increased training, support, and engagement to drive exceptional performance of teachers.

led Student Experience already but I wanted to stress the importance of this area.

particular are too large. Hire more teachers.

r in your categories above. Excluding activities such as the band or choir -- "music and arts" should that makes our kids excel not decline. - Make Nevada children the priority not illegals. Increase life operating conditions for the safety of the students and the public

any academic benefits to students that learn to play an instrument. Physical activity is important, but modeled after top European and Asia school systems that focus on pathways that students choose science and teaching them posture beneficial exercises and stretches; education about overuse of cellphones and has a strong family and community partnership will experience more success in their education bring back the 3 recesses a day. They need to stop focusing on testing as it doesn't do anybody a right attract more teachers. We need smaller class sizes so the kids can get more attention. Parents.

rdingly to see where things could be decreased in funding or increased for improvement.

and safe and supportive environments then the academic growth and college and career readiness for a later start time for middle and high school students. Compelling evidence now shows that starting many costs that should be paid for by the district but the funding isn't available: supplies for teachers

ount of field trips my children have went on vs what I went to as a student in Washoe County (1980s) working with charities such as First should be fruitful. There is a staggering lack of engineering degrees

o can provide classes for enrichment and overall student development, including music, art and science

th national and state standards, provide students with complete, well-rounded education, sustain an are, title 1 schools should be moving toward using technology to create products and for learning. Teachers ntry have no timing systems to hold regional meets. Regional meet make money for the hosting schools

id of limited to a select few schools with few classrooms. All of our children need to learn a second district cannot staff classrooms because we can't get subs because the district pays so little. Housing (yes, BOTH)...if they are not already included in "Academic Growth," indicated as my highest priority Flunk them if they can't do the work passing them along benefits no one upper administration. A lower student to teacher ratio will better support learning and children.

rrricular activity. In elementary school is part of every student's education. Only in middle and high school nging to community

grams. The priority for Sped seems to go more towards Strategy classes and CLS is no longer get

nd other district upper level do nothings

classes may not now be in vogue, they could come back in vogue. This may happen as people co

is been combined with classes multiple times this year due to lack of substitute teachers.

ost of what the district provides is fluff that requires hours of outside work for teachers to implement
curricular activities. I believe this grouping implies lesser importance to those classes. Music and ar
sequences for both positive and negative actions

sides their step and education raises. Nevada need to adequately fund these professionals so they
rams. Students are seen during the school day, are given grades, and teachers are certified and ar

EVER had active boards while others are already getting their active boards replaced with the newe
uestion as "extra-curricular". Music and the arts are taught during the school day by certified teach
e students sake!

this should not be the norm..... If each school had their own nurse, some great education and follow

echnology, increased pay for teachers

xtra curricular when in fact they are NOT. They are classes during the school day and taught by c
iat does not have direct student contact for at least 2 hours every day. Maintenance of schools sho

iddle school through high school until his AP classes. The WCSD further eroded the textbook fund
uggling to keep good teachers because they have to work two or three jobs to make ends meet. I a
the district.

ams have advanced over the years, we still see a lack of appealing nutritionally balanced options a
he summer so they are not interrupted during the school year and they receive a little more pay. I v
does nothing to enhance student learning.

years the current teacher and substitute teacher pay needs to be addressed! An average teacher
not work directly with students. And, furthermore, see if there are positions within the district office
chase any technology and are forced to raise money through our PFA or apply for grants to purcha
4-6 grade class reduction

m teachers for each school. Smaller class sizes would ease the need for push-in aides.

start collecting school impact fees? The state gives our money away to corporate welfare and durin
g employees contribution to health insurance.

I in our states education system, decreasing admin cost and allowing it to be spent where needed. T
rators get paid and what the teachers who are in the trenches with students every day get paid. Th
nselors and social workers that can provide on campus therapy for students. Our school has a high

rians, nurses, cafeteria workers, janitors, maintenance staff. These needed positions seem to be le
home economics, auto shop, woodworking, welding. Hands on classes in areas we as a nation are
ost saving measures in their buildings. We all came up with relevant and worthwhile changes, but tl

I notice you are not reducing administrative costs. And of course, administration is important, too.
by 20%.

give us people who can work WITH the kids during guided reading!

ne of these tax abatement gifts to mega-corporations so they can relocate here. They can pay mor
olfax high school did now the kids are taught at different level of learning, they are ready for the wor

sed. Lobby to change law to move to contact hours instead of day calendar.
erested in promotion of education, not social engineering.

nunity resources in schools; Arts Integrated; civic and personal responsibility.

smaller class sizes. Good teachers don't need to have so much support provided through the distr
ts and other concerns for gifted and talented students.

rans), and for preschool children, CIT students.

sting methodology.

as which is an arbitrary measurement and therefore not a true indicator of student success. We sh
ocial needs in 9th grade and it seems it seems that he is getting a lot of participation points and not le
ut of schools. Counselors, psychiatrist, social workers should be referred to the private sector.

ing to become more effective. Traditional methods are failing our children. STOP with all the standar
better lesson.

eachers

the district more, and why wasn't all of this anticipated about the budget. Why wasn't the budget adj
gh EL population. Instead of raising the student to teacher ratio to 70:1, it should be put back to 65

better learning environment and overall success of the schools. I think if you spent less on the cos

is management. There has been an overall increase nationally of young people struggling with Anxi
ed.

ears. Or how about technology updates so students actually have some technology to use and tea
assurance that teachers are honoring families and not influencing students politically or otherwise.

P Funding Tracy Davis! She needs a reduction in pay!!!!

bt there needs to be major changes. I recommend a complete focus on education/academics which

sports model of PE

ne schools.

many people at the top that we never see in the schools. When schools ask for help (especially Stud
... Lobbying politicians so that funding is INCREASED to schools. We have an opportunity now wit

seeing more and more educators, and good ones, leave the profession because they can make mc
reased salary

dget to spend on their classrooms and reduce the number of administrators at the district office.

eractive positions. That includes at the district offices.

ages are not keeping up with inflation.

riting, math, science and history. Hold teachers accountable for teaching our children if they do a poor job. The Central Office and upper-level with high paying jobs that maybe should not even exist? CLASS S...
...ier to keep teachers teaching, keep them motivated, and help the schools and children even more.
...n. Look for efficiencies in reducing administrative overhead. Paying for a vehicle for the superintendent.

edness, internships and training certificates.

severely disruptive in class & non compliant with school routines & expectations.

ago. It's the wrong approach. Support needs to be in all areas. Mental health and ways to deal with
ready large class sizes and with the increase in behavior issues, it is not ideal to consider increasing
e and valuable gifts to help them through their adult life. Any body or teacher not facilitating this need
el -- the staffing is too top heavy. It should also consider review of salary levels to be more consistent
s continue to confuse the arts as extra curricular and continue to categorize arts with athletics. Ath
hools to accept 6th graders vs. paying for teachers. It seems a waste of money to pay for this type
ed interventions so students are able to meet the rigors of higher education. Academic growth is the

arly football, which is now known to cause chronic and worsening brain damage in those who play it

attend signature academies, Newcomer centers etc. Music, art, and drama Technology at all schools

loney and how to budget, its a huge part of everyday adult life.

new departments nor top heavy positions.

s are not being met.

it is all the elementary students have left of the arts. Students also need teachers who are not burned

e differences.

ould be put towards student funding, coming from a high school student herself.

ffects of immigration on budget

ling those that are affluent ie good math instruction in many of the middle schools is lacking. Kids are
to send TOSAs to conferences to be indulged while school budgets get cut. This is pure silliness and

and required English courses for non English speaking. Higher education classes for children to read

but believe it should be funded federally as it's a national problem. We need to work for federal funding and cannot speak English, you don't belong here. Report them to ICE for deportation.

be out of touch with what happens in the classroom.

is, rent/life not just special ed students. These kids have no clue unless parents teach.

achievable. The obvious problem is funding and it is a disgrace that our county and state have allowed

20% and the superintendent should be a local with no travel expenses paid from district funds with

to answer). Underperforming schools are, usually, also your Title I schools and receive a TON of extra

underperforming superintendent.

on growth.

inner.

erhead and more put right into the classroom and into teachers.

and teaching credential, but the salary level doesn't compensate the educational level.

ithmetic. Start there. If you are successful at that then try new things. Get the basics down first.

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rt staff. You need salary and benefits packages that attract top notch teachers. If your front line employees

teachers make the difference between success and failure in the classroom.

wants to work in a classroom with students who are very challenging and no benefits are offered because we have the money and then ask if there are other things that should be funded? That is nuts. You should

otive, sales. Things that will actually pay off in the real World.....and not stick them with a college degree

lost my job in 3rd grade in September and was moved kindergarten only for us to receive another 3rd grade. Academics come secondarily to emotional needs. When we support students as people their academics improve. I am a paid administration staff.

are too many non-classroom instructional professionals in the district.

Wednesdays. The money spent on the trainings could be spent on students. I was raised in this district. I am a top wage earner. Lobby the state to change all the money from the marijuana taxes are giving to

raisers and activities are going underutilized because parents aren't turning out to get engaged. My salaries

overcrowding at Swope Middle School.

intervention program (I suggest Lexia Core 5) - a writing curriculum (I suggest Being A Writer) - and

focus on things that don't actually work or help kids succeed.

3) one area of public education comes at the expense of another. An example: if I value the arts, account

already under what other states have.

quality of our teachers. 2) Special education. These kids deserve an education that is geared toward them with students. Teacher mentors, implementation specialists, the MTSS positions. While these people don't profit from marijuana sales to flow to public schools in addition to the financial support that it already provides therapy or counseling for troubled children or children affected by trauma. Only because I am a minority

absolutely ridiculous that there is only one person and a secretary running an office for so many student-athletes

with the shortage in both areas.

letes.

5. Currently bus trips for athletes are financially covered by the district but no music travel is ever funded

need for an educated workforce from business moving to the area.

them and when they go to conferences they should not be put in expensive hotels, as well providing safe and supportive environments"

port staff, supply funding, attendance regulations that are realistic, attendance/truancy officers.

ce or minimize waste and pay for themselves in the process. Fund some people to represent Waco as an unimpressive career for the infrastructure of the US.

and reallocating that money towards technology instead. Every classroom could almost have a climate controlled by staff. Include substitute teachers in this pay increase because currently we are at the very bottom

class size low so that there is more time to individualize and teach, rather than just manage.

people at the district (Davis) making so much more when she does not have student contact is sickening. No access to all areas of education. Really disappointed in how the district and state fund our education

education. Basic EDUCATION. Get rid of everything that is not education based. You are a school district. Stop cutting the classes that keep some students interested with our PE teachers (which is school funded) because the position pays so little. If we require

resources have been non-stop increased over the past 20 years. Before we again find another way to spend money on testing and use that money to actually teach our kids, instead of teaching them to test.

many Chiefs being paid too much!!!

most WCSD schools? There are more students that want to take that than dance/music/art. Give them the opportunity of pouring more and more money into fly-by-night flashes in the pan to make them feel better about

use your ability to fire inadequate teachers much faster.
Administrator pay and number of positions radically.

tion, the distribution of technology among schools is absolutely unfair. New schools, or Title schools for the future
ment to learning. On site school safety and security.
rankings.
classrooms.
funded education. The current curriculum is fine but they need to improve teachers wages, reduce mid-level managers!) in order to hire more teachers!!
first grade. Reading Recovery training and teachers.

Less tests
of OPIUM/MARIJUANA use, according to the Dunedin study, if children under 15 have frequent use of
priorities.
annual look at administrator pay and position. There also needs to be a larger concerted effort in ch

ge kids they could use Life readiness skills. How to budget, how to run their household, how to survive
ator/teacher ratio. As of 2018 you spend way too much money on non-classroom administrative salaries
need to be reduced. Teacher cannot help/support or expected to increase grad rates/student success

job.
standing standards and developing quality assessments that provide relevant and authentic data to
continue to provide annual cost of living increase to employees.
use. Perhaps then we can reallocate funds elsewhere.
to support academics. Mentor and coaching positions are vital to increase professional development

are not academic. Kids will be less likely to drop out if they are having fun in school.
failure students who are not at grade level.

individual schools are not meeting the curriculum requirements, and are unable to teach those content

A yet are already paid too much! central office needs to be cut significantly
is a big waste. Consider gardening programs that establish growing fresh foods that can support them
es on having adequate staffing and highly motivated teachers. There needs to be an emphasis on standards
ides.

is.
e with benefits so all schools can be staffed before a death occurs which will cost more money and

that Title schools receive. It is becoming the haves and have nots but in the opposite direction in terms of (especially 6th graders) to be walking. Any child should be able to go to a school bus stop and be given a ride home and then weighing the costs/benefits and readjusting/reallocating funds where appropriate I think would be a good idea.

As a Substitute Teacher I strongly recommend against doing this again. Now, in crowded classrooms, we are asked to take pay cuts to help balance the budget. Maybe that money can be used to give teachers more resources for other holistic learning opportunities.

Teachers are taking money out of THEIR OWN pockets!

Teachers and counselors are the ones working directly with our students on a daily basis and they are being asked to do more (homework, cooking, etc.)

Teachers are expected to have all of this academic growth in students and class sizes are increasing.

Initiatives. Computer programming and coding are next up to improve. Stop using IT hungry Windows software. We need a modernized school, however the needs of poorer children in low performing schools are not being met adequately. We need more teachers, teachers, teachers.

Charter schools - Increase the per pupil spending by addressing the funding and tax problem and follow the lead of other states for revenue for our public schools so that we don't have to beg the state or issue bonds/debt to pay for it.

Many pro-tech people running around the green house that are just doing busy work and paper shuffling.

We need to appropriately use credit, how to open a bank account and balance a check book, how to do taxes, etc. These teachers haven't seen a pay increase in years. The district consistently adds to teachers' responsibilities without attached to standards, expensive programs that will not help teachers or students grow academically. We need more college prep courses.

Teachers depend on parents to supply extra class room needs that should be provided by the school district, such as materials, etc.

We need more people who are not in the classroom. Our deserving and hard working staff members deserve a living wage. We need more psychologists, social workers) in schools to support the mental health needs of students, thus supporting the transition away from current academic style toward actual methods that help the families that want and need it.

When you ask them for information, they are biased and insult the intelligence of the Nevada residents.

and civic & personal responsibility.

\$100,000. + to one individual is crazy. Maybe \$75,000 a year & you could fund a lot more areas. Like positions such as coaches and IS positions in which teachers do not have classrooms and are not in direct contact with students. We need more incentives for teachers who transfer into and voluntarily stay at Title and lower-rated schools.

We need more CTE programs, however, at Spanish Springs High School in the animation program they have coordinated more intermural sports especially at the middle school level. This would allow more students to participate in sports and be nice.

We need more programs (Children In Transition, intervention, etc) have kids go to their zone school instead of wasting money on programs that the board ignored the results of the calendar survey.

that helps includes children with difficulties/conditions/handicap into the education system.
stress put on them and changing clientele without receiving adequate support. It is all lip service and te

are increasing because students are being held less accountable. In high school students can 7 cl

at a living wage Paying subs a living wage so we don't have a shortage and already over worked te

gram where students who don't want to be in school, and continually disrupt, can learn at home with
heavy. They make decisions when they have no idea how it will effect the people who do the jobs, wh
D.

cial readiness.

ounselors, social workers, school psychologists being available at schools. If not, I would like funding |
n the teaching field

multiple positions in district office.

Remove all travel and housing 'perks' from the superintendent - if she does not want to relocate to c
ay, which would decrease cost. Do high school student's really need 7 classes a day(just reduce to
operate on bare bones, teachers are buying their own things and their own books to supply classro

: students, expenses are often passed on to the school and affect the budget. For example, our sch
hout the District, more IT Support positions so technology issues can be resolved quicker--especia

ount of work they do and the time they dedicate to their profession.

ve the additional funding from the district or state. Why is that? Why is it that some schools are not a
re opportunity to learn a language. This community has a large population of Spanish speakers. G
grouped together. I believe that the district is trying to blend two completely different topics. Safety

ations Smaller class sizes

onsidered Core subjects. WCSD merely treats them as electives.

ot focusing on graduation rates. I feel we focus too much on that and not enough on a student's lear
rise in years????? They cannot live on the salaries made and some money needs to go to this are

o don't actually work with students; it should be investing in faculty, facilities, and supplies. If we pai
istration costs!

fficers.

ything except math and language arts. Life is more than these two subjects. We should be looking
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administration, teachers, and aides/assistants.

RECTLY impact student achievement. Educating students is what we do, get rid of anything that do

ers will begin to leave the district and possibly the field if changes are not made soon.

the halls in our building is literally sinking, there is asbestos in the walls, tiles falling from the ceilings

professionals to help families who have chronic absenteeism. Too much is falling on the shoulders of teachers, historically? What if the budget started in and with schools and students, the number one stakeholders of a 4 year degree. There are too many kids being passed by because they do not want to attend college. Qualified staff at such low rates of pay.

This department is seriously lacking and they special ed students are suffering because of it.

There is where good ideas go to die, because the classist "old boys' club" of established locals, who spend

money on what our children eat at school. Food that actually benefits their growth. Another option is to cut administrative expenses. I believe that the district is extremely administrative-heavy and that, by cutting in the middle of the current contract is such that third year teachers are compensated the same as first year teachers. Need to figure out a system to hold parents more accountable so that their children show up. Need to create a quality work force without increasing population; hence the overall development of the economy, and then

we used to go on Dairy Queen trips!

Teachers are being screwed and get benefits cut and hours. How are we supposed to care for the students if jobs are cut? Why are then not funded at some point, some schools have been Title 1 for so many years that teachers are working with computers that are at least 10 years old. The staff machines need to improve right now (and even eliminate) the number of highly paid administrators. The District is so top heavy it isn't even able to offer useful electives like auto, welding, wood shop, sewing, drafting.

that you failed to address.

Teachers are overburdened. One teacher cannot fully attend to the needs and differentiate a lesson for forty students. And with many programs for high achieving students and continues to throw money at low achieving and at-risk, title 1 schools. More money towards implementing a safe environment for students and staff and

cutting District Administrative Staff

over local districts.

Teachers and anyone who does not deal with students directly

Teachers' pay out rate is extremely high. We need to compensate them for the endless hours they spend educating students. How are we unable to afford? How can we justify building 5 more schools and we do not have funding or resources (like Apple devices), I would like to see Chromebooks back on the purchasing list and better BYOD policies. Teachers' experiences

on

Teachers' pay; overcrowded buses (especially high school as some of the students are the size of adults yet still on middle school levels

system.

e changes at this time.

thinking that college is the only path. The then become more indoctrinated in college thinking they a
ers

; that we all know these types of students cannot pass. They need more social, emotion, transition,

aggression and stress, they need some way to reduce it.

rs. The District needs to increase support staff levels to maintain sites. If you want to retain good p

ositions

ays all of the supplies for projects.

jectives that are less academic but more practical. For example, more exposure of trades to stude

two administrators per building and enough area superintendents to support schools.

have basic math skills down that are thrown into upper math classes, which they struggle with and

ers.

hat this is not that important. New language should be developed to really gather the importance of l

are habitually disruptive in the general school setting. Habitual absences and tardies also need to b
st in sped

d.

school due to incompetent distraction driving from cell phone uses and kidnapping

academics. We don't need less people to go to college but we need more options for those that arer

decreased. Make Mrs. Cari Williams' book required reading for WCSD staff. The title is Freedom

school year based on the states earned marijuana tax.

needs, not look at each child as a number. We have several children in our classes with extreme e
by early identification and placement in the best environment for all concerned. This goes beyond s;

ed by utilizing volunteers. The Well Rounded Student Experience can also be funded by the particip
nat thrust them in to the next stage of learning, with equality, art, and physical activity, without a cult
w programs into middle school

moderate the amount of students teachers are being asked to teach, interventionists for all schools to

see the district cut administrative costs (from the top down) before they cut funding that impacts the safe or violent in the classroom. This is not a suitable learning environment for the rest of the students

and the superintendent does not view this as a priority even with all of the personal and social issues. Is home from after school activities. 4. In school drivers needed 5. Offer Washoe County teachers the help and students by taking them away! Safety should be the ultimate priority for our kids! and supportive environment. It is difficult for children to feel safe or supported when they are just a

ed sports

back to the fundamentals. All this inclusiveness is creating children who can't think for themselves

pay them a more livable wage.
ed.

make this state accountable and get them to pass a measure that they must help support our schools. Then, therefore I would recommend a reduction in wages for leadership and/or staff. gains in all the above areas.

making sure that classes are not overcrowded. Parents should be involved intrinsically; we don't need

crap shoot in public education whether your student will get the good teacher or the one who's married. The people who work with the kids.

work with the students in the classroom. Let area superintendents be the ones that with the the students pay a fix income. There's a reason why people are allowed to smoke marijuana, the taxes should be

promised a decent portion of their monies made would go to school funding now the banks won't account for Arithmetic. Focus on real life preparation for college, careers and technology. Help students discover each teacher.

its to find work immediately after graduation. Partnering with Switch, Tesla/Panasonic, mining companies

check, filling out application, keeping and balancing a budget, addressing mail and cursive so they c

able to assist normal curriculum.

Let the principals have more authority to lead the schools and the districts. Elect lead principals to

much in technology

Students should go to college. Safety is grand but the schools only pay it lip service, or my son would n

Just read below regarding where you'd like to cut. I noticed you conveniently left out executive and ad
did more for all the hard work they do.

As a teacher here in this district. I cannot believe how low the sub pay is. I have a sped cred, and I do
time, etc. are all really help teach important life skills. The current school system and policies actual
ing the deficit our children and teachers deal with

They are disruptive in the classroom, or who are violent. They affect the learning of all students.

Save the nation with our booming local economy! And build more schools to reduce class size and hire be

Use common sense and wisdom, and teaching a classical curriculum that has served us well in the pa
Science books for elementary;

Eliminate all IS positions .

It brings the entire school down to the lowest student level. Focus on the children that are putting forth

things. There are far too many chiefs and not enough Indians. It has also been shown that spending mor
ies such as lunch tables, lawn mowers or tractors, heavy cleaning machines like carpet extractors,
s. Just let the teachers teach and get classes on improvement. Just because a school is not achie

It makes and put more of that toward our children's education. Get the money from recreational pot
chool administration (such as the superintendent). These reduction in salaries can be distributed throu
on special students Make parents accept some responsibility for their children's behavior and per
s in general.

nt? Why not, some cuts could be made there before ever being done at the school level.
it. I'm sick of you trying to indoctrinating our children. Stay out of everyone's private lives.
marijuana tax. Perhaps they could receive quarterly installments year long.
not with todays times. We need younger more focused individuals on the board.
s improve all of the above priorities.
a 180 days a year. We need extended school hours and staggered schedules to utilize our current
district exists to begin with. HIRE AND PAY TEACHERS.

udents behaviors hinder the learning of other students.

look at the seemingly exorbitant administrative overhead for areas to cut! I would also encourage a

urned that a N. West Middle school has 3 different languages offered. How is this right? Our kids ha
udget!! If you are serious about allocating more money to the students, then take a pay cut!! Ther
h children...like Tracy Davis—a major waste of money—infinite campus another waste of money
it students with behavior problems
to school. That's ridiculous. Cut funding to administration. It's horrible that they consistently get rais

r education due to it not fitting their interest or funding struggles and not wanting to go in debt.
f money on each new school to provide a special bathroom for unisex use. If true, this is a political f

netic, art, history, (including our constitution) science, music, home ecc and physical education. I d
ounty's ability to grow in this area is not being tapped into. I'd like to advocate for additional prioritiza

hrough programs like Rotary to pay the annual rate funded to attend school here? Local students c
or teachers.

principals are suffering under the weight of so much to do for one school with one person handling
ch and problem solve
ildren and dropping them back off so that things can be a little more smooth for the kids and the par

1 your class sizes counts since these students are fully included and raise student ratios per teach
j. More building funding. Less funding for Traci Davis. Less funding for title 1 schools. If the schoo
less for ALL staff members
years old Geography for 9th grade for better world/cultural knowledge

ducing any among these.

The first school I sent my kids to the teachers gave some bs excuse to not give homework. I had r

they go in early, stay late, and parent not only their own biological children but their students who are teachers first and never cut salaries at the top. Get rid of the superintendent and freeze admin salaries more and more each year without compensation. The way students can do make up work and erase

ing, and coding. I don't see much being done there compared to previous districts we were in, and I've seen schools that pull kids out for 1 hour per week! When they get pulled out they then have to do double time programs or other such kind of programs which each school conducts in order to get some financial support

A better approach to discipline in the class room. Programs that require all children to volunteer with community projects is safer.

How do we produce competitive people if we do not give them the tools? We need more school classrooms and more funding for technology support personnel.

20-38 students per class. Paying subs enough that they want to come back to deal with the behavior problems. As it stands, relationships and academics are destroyed by the time the teacher receives the illness. The teacher deserves a fair and equitable wage and not disrupt the education of the others at the zoned school. If 10% of the students take up 90% of the time, the superintendent DOES NOT need \$377,260.77 a year to live on cannot justify her pay at all.

How much less why is superintendent making almost 400000 a year?

Businesses in the community.

Standardized. Reducing homework levels overall is also important.

Instead of just being pushed through, we should have a budget to replace light bulbs for them. Chalk boards worked hundreds of years ago. We are cheating students. Nevada kids read funded facilitators that take care of the paperwork and intervene

Use great teachers, and CUT the EXCESSIVE overhead.

It is absurd and not at all conducive to learning! And nothing is done about the extreme over-crowding

Media such as ebooks and laptops for kids ... carrying a back pack that weighs so much it affects the spine. We are not even buying our own consumables for the classroom. What about substitutes? Also substitute teachers are paid hardly anything in comparison to other states and it's not about Academic Growth ONLY.

Our top-heavy administration. We need to hold students not to be held accountable at a pass fail system. There are too many students that are given credit

juggling and there is no additional support or funding to help him. My family has taken on the financial burden of not enough case managers for our schools. These students with IEP's need more support

improving academic success of their students.

positions" that float between schools and have no direct contact with students.

positions. The rest is non-essential.

strategist type positions and get those certified teachers back into classrooms with children. Some schools.

resources need to be reduced. Our children are valuable, not just numbers.

It takes 3 to 4 times as much as teachers of 150% for the superintendent there is an issue for funding

teachers.

to a reasonable level. No more than \$175,000. No take home vehicle, vehicle stipend, per diem, excepted to walk over a mile home.

generations of kids growing into laziness, and I feel that our school system is not hard enough on all

Title 1 schools.

It takes kids from my area at least an hour to walk to school. This is not safe for them and in bad weather. Consider spending >\$600,000 on the special education IEP program- fiscally irresponsible

smaller classes for teachers which will promote a better, safer enhancing learning environment

I guarantee student success will sky rocket with lower class sizes. It's not rocket science.

Current tests and materials and more staff to handle our workload.

Of a total \$100, I would allocate a huge chunk of the money (i.e. at least 50%) to fund salary increases and raise standards..

to the people who are bringing up our kids. Pay teachers way more and the schools will become more successful. It's there.

Maybe these are part of Academic Growth. In response to the question below, allocating resources pro-rata on a per child basis. Well-rounded education in high school.

education courses. We focus so much on college that we have ignored our students who would flourish. PE, more nutritious meals

ment new standards and try to shift our pedagogy to 21st century skills.

has been very effective throughout other states. It has reduced yearly cost dramatically over a period of many of the above priorities would be mitigated means to gain access to benefits. I am REQUIRED to produce multiple layers of proof of residency before

h and related safety issues when not addressed.

3 "YOUR STUDENT."

in order to better serve the students.

families in major ways. I young kids walking on these cold mornings unattended due to budget cuts
WE PAY for SPECIAL EDUCATION TEACHERS

ng positions.

3 the winter and spring breaks. As a parent it is frustrating that our children are only in school for 180 days a year and money that is coming into this state doesn't go back to the schools - why is that?! Also, funding

Washoe, Nevada Per-Pupil Funds as a result of Re-Enrollment Re-enrolling out of school students who are not going to go to college would thrive in. We should not have a goal of making every child successful and supplies on top of the taxes we already pay. On top of that where is the pot money going? Where

dition to the retention incentive.

WR program, it has the opposite effect on students and makes them view reading as a punishment. What are we doing in our buildings?

which does not end after the bell rings)

ou go in to a Title 1 school and there are 1-1 pieces of technology not being used yet a non title 1 school

rcrowded areas.

advance technology , slowly work on Technology in Middle & High school level

academic growth but need highly effective teachers.

ite need of having the black top and parking lot redone. They are in awful condition. My child trips all over

iter...split the weed money equally with all schools and let parents vote on financial needs

that it currently receives. Public education in Nevada receives in excess of 51% of all tax revenue generated. The current state of education is impeding district goals and hurting children.

from individuals and groups of peaceful individuals.

populations are more effective for learning. What effect does any of the administration (all of them - S) have on their kids to school-or have students take public transportation.

in this district isn't where what it needs to be to ensure students are safe.

ts that know what they're doing.

THROUGH THREE DIFFERENT MATH CURRICULUMS SINCE STARTING ELEMENTARY SCHOOL. We need to reduce class size.

than spend money on frivolous expenditures, (current tardy system is a joke), and over salaried administrators and skilled drivers

IN SCHOOLS LIKE, INTERVENTIONISTS AND READING SPECIALISTS, USE THESE POSITIONS

from one good performing school and put them in a bad one... that's the idea of stupid. You will then have a paid position in that greenhouse that are not necessary.

keep the district from continuously being sued. District administrators in special education are subpar. CLASS SIZE!!!! My child is in a 5th grade class with 36 students. Only 8 of those students are reading

and conferences that benefit the teacher and bring great ideas back to the classroom.

are very poor health coverage - really disappointing and discouraging

city/county. Why not have more than one school built in a given location?

vation to care. Extend personnel and keep everyone safe. I do believe teachers are the backbone

re teachers Classroom technology to support how students interact with learning in the 21st century. We need to be reducing superintendent pay.

need to increase the pay of employee's to meet current pay. Why should I stay at the district when

with district administrators

for IT, ESPECIALLY records requests.

and campuses. Improvements to SRTS - no additional funding but more accountability on the 6 E's.

or since the raise to 1.25 it's has been rough for a lot of parents.

many bureaucrats, too many people that sit in offices and never interact with students who make a difference. We need more special education teachers.

and better food service options that steer away from prepackaged "food"

ass. Making it too restrictive with adding stupid extra steps that confuse him when in my day (only 15 minutes)

pay more. Also look at student lead learning. Less sitting and more movement. Sitting in chairs for 15 minutes

ed calendar survey that you will disregard the survey results and do whatever you want.
students in some classes.

ad in the Green House. More classroom teachers and less administrators. Questions below don't t

d to bully and criticize staff and are not worth their salt. You should totally remove early release We
s reducing administration salaries. District is spending too much money on SpEd, get a bigger perce
ything positive from WCSD is the out of touch spending on car allowances and district paid cars for
should be eliminated until such time as the mission is achieved. Eliminate costly and counterproduc

related to the advancement of their pupils.

ool district keeps on taking with lousy results. Administratin is costing the district in both salary and
n and technology. These subjects should be taught not as extra curricular but, as essential studies

æ, that do not directly benefit students and their families. I would better utilize community involvemen
the district and county to pay for improvements of existing schools and new construction. No more
itions to secure support such as cash, goods, services, and expertise, for schools, students, princ
specially at the top management position(s) and hire more teachers.

position, the meaning of human rights, thoughtful and careful instruction in areas of "white supremac
lost four very good teachers to the private sector due to increased administrative loads on top of te
ministration (office heads/area superintendents) salaries and benefits by at least 30%, and reduce

s schools, to maintain safety and orderliness in their hallways between classes, etc. Fully fund retire
) is top heavy with administrative costs that call out for reduction. Use the savings from those reduc

æd things I care about into categories with things I don't care about. For example, I suspect that you
The budget needs to focus on helping promote smaller class sizes and less on the perks of being a
for so little. The teachers need the funds not over-paid, political hacks, and Grant recipeints! This l

. central admin should be pared down so that funding can reach schools

ministrators. The school system is supposed to be a non-profit organization. It should NOT be pro
id make the superintendent ask for funds to fight a battle. A legal team that is in house is biased on j
for learning to take place. This should be part of the academic growth priority, but it usually is not i
for students in struggling school. A student at Lois Allen DOES NOT get the same education as a
reatest return. That can apply to all levels, elementary, middle school and high school. When we bet
gers as they walk home. This is frightening, and the budget for buses should NOT be cut.

nd classrooms instead.

but does not stop at Wilbur May and Trailhead as it used to stop. There is no savings by not stoppi
officials and losing law suits. Quit violating HR laws and being sued. Your administration skills are
osts. Review the need for so much administration.

administrative roles.

cents per school. Place an emphasis on extracurriculars (sports, career development, arts, etc.). It would

be a shame. Don't pour money into getting high school seniors to graduate. Instead, focus more support on elementary. Elementary should be part of the core curriculum. Sports are extra-curricular, although physical education is

important, as does the "A" culture - not all kids should go to college, focus on vocations.

Teachers need better pay. Staff deserve more training and better resources. I understand the budget constraints

and support them well and support them with better school supplies, smaller class sizes, and more lesson planning

time. On average. I cannot say enough, cut administration. There is a more efficient way of doing business. School administrators.

Students are not provided adequate access to programs that they need. Of the very few programs we do have

that have been successful in many states - is well documented - this is probably under academics above

programs to the schools with higher IEP rates

that they are adding classrooms (ie: Damonte Ranch HS) but without the teachers in those rooms, it's a waste of money. Cut the bus route. It's too far for the kids to walk. And stop this online school days. Ridiculous. Not all kids are college-bound. Not all kids are on the college-bound curriculum.

1. I was in a meeting with three, count them THREE highly paid school administrators. It's clear at least

2. It's a life skill that has been lost. Students also need to learn how to communicate better. Spend less money on that last for too many years. You need to go to competitive bidding more often to ensure you always have the best prices on graduation rates. There is absolutely too much emphasis on focusing on the failing grades that teachers don't really do what they want. Curiously, there isn't any category which includes the salaries of the Green Valley High School

3. Teachers that work in high risk schools or areas such as special education. Teachers in those roles have a lot of responsibilities. We need aides in classrooms so badly that teaching without them can be physically hazardous. Aides could be combined with communication position. Feel like too many positions non-teaching related are being added. Well behaved, average students get ignored when class sizes are in the high twenties-thirties

4. Increase TOSA positions, unnecessary administrators, and increase the class size of GT magnet (how can we make it an option put here).

5. Do we need more funding or control of it when they aren't managing well? Hiring a lawyer for thousands of dollars to support several schools getting new expansions or campus, even South Reno schools which should be

6. Nevada is not the best ranked in the US. Where's all of our sales tax increase going? Marijuana tax? Part of the problem

on is top heavy and not knowledgeable. The district is worse now than ever before, wake up!
salary is embarrassing and disheartening to those directly responsible for educating our students.

wherever. What is NOT a priority? I think we need to focus on research based initiatives- such as cu
, but we can't support the ones we have?

funding can be directed. I firmly believe that providing adequate funding for staff and lowering student
etc. Cut all the other fluff, free meals, free counseling, free, free, free.
salaries except admin.

ouldn't be paying to teach students how to hit or kick balls around a field.
come out of the tax for school expansion and new schools. remove the modular 20 year old building
pretend to ask the public how to prioritize state monies. The district couldn't give less of a shit about

ication to students that prepares them to become successful adults. Students and staff also need a

Perhaps cut how extravagant these are. Parents are primarily responsible for teaching. Teachers
AMS/COURSES!

S. NONE OF THE ABOVE CAN HAPPEN IF YOU HAVE TEACHERS THAT CAN'T AFFORD TO
istrict is completely ignoring the present and looming problem of attracting teachers and keeping teach
of care for children of working parents. All of the schools currently DO NOT provide this service.

ellnessFor example, giving the opportunity for students to volunteer their time back into the commu
on achievements/going above and beyond for their students and in the classroom, aka, merit pay.
; that may contain children with similar manifestations but totally different causes.
terest start at a young age. In 2015, the US is ranked 30th out of 35th (#1 being the highest) for ma

e about the assets on hand. There are numerous instances where perfectly good equipment was d
ocus on academic growth? Will you reduce class sizes, or provide more instructional coaches? The
for your mistakes
f that which is funded.

on.
classroom teachers.

business in the area and have internships (paid) for high school students and to have more explor
hasized for the existing strategic plan elements. Some of the textbook inspired curriculum offered is
g based on that score, ignores what I believe to be a core goal of educating children: make them kin
y have budget woes. More highly paid people is not the answer.
the best and brightest.
science. Forget the frills until you can get the basic job -- education -- done. This means, especially

centives for Teachers. We are not doing enough to get high quality teachers to come to Reno let al

with devices for students, and keeping class sizes low should be priorities.

s lead to believe that those revenues would be over and above the regular budget and thus handle talent within WCSD through mentoring and leadership programs which provide monetary incentives to gifted schools. These schools have limited, if not non-existent, ability to supplement their budget by any other way—teach cursive and math like we learned it.

What is above is important, but there is only so much money!! Engaging parents, community and business for athletics for both girls and boys. Reduce administrative costs at other locations. The school board should reduce upper administrative (District Level) costs. Reduce CSEA and coach positions; the students need direct services not just people wandering around the campus. Redesign schools to address overcrowding (overcrowding is now, not just years down the road). You cannot increase on a fixed amount per pupil. The current system which classifies library spending as discretionary is a waste. Call legislature to change the law regarding the marijuana tax going to the schools. Do NOT ask for more money for "w math" and exploring feelings and crap like that. Simply teach the subjects the time tested way, and raise standards.

Education should be a priority not your individual greed. Set the example. Education across the board should be equal to the best and try a novel approach to support where there is family and school support. Fund programs to support

Programs about ACT/SAT prep--let students do it on their own time once they are convinced of the importance of testing, programs, and learning assistance for child and families.

Improve social, environment and diversity education. Stop feeding every kid all day. Stop all the after school programs. Believe that art and music is woefully underfunded and under appreciated.

Reduce administrator positions and reallocating to teachers and educational programs. The District is far too large. Hire more staff that directly works with children.

Need to provide those tools. There needs to be more emphasis on grant writing for those tools. I teach students to write a diploma, they can be a substitute teacher and they are paid 100 dollars a day. If you are going to

school students.

Determine funding for that, including facilities, teachers, and supplies. Work from there.

People do not commute. No one pays us to commute to work. Living in Vegas is her choice. Send her back to her home

People like teachers vote...DEMOCRAT/SOCIALISTS. Stop spending money to help FEELINGS and teaching

From above all

Them, are being left out of much of the discussion.

schools hold principals accountable for their time at their schools eliminate the "no child can fail" policy
g school room supplies. Teachers have to buy things out of their pocket but let's not have the 2 top

sst. principles and deputy superintendents Reduce admin pay and benefits.
teachers to supplement from own resources. They need to be given more, not less. They are the dis

bs. Get rid of SLO evaluation and jobs associated with it. The teachers, in the classroom, are doing
fads. I would have said safety and security was number one concern but that would be interpreted

time for students. They get lost in the midst of physical & psychological changes that occur in their
s and pay of support staff and substitutes. You are in a crisis situation and teacher coverage can't

ek that can be used by community outside school hrs and for swimming competitions. I would like to
ous! All teacher do is manage behavior also some classrooms are just too small to have 35 student

s, less money allocated to nonclassroom positions, such as administration and positions such as In
esting is done wasting valuable learning time.

ended with Title I funds. GT program has the highest per pupil funding and has the least impact on
le quality education, more funding on creative things, CTE schools and schools that provide art and

er bounced around and literally forgotten about and put aside. (Yes, the school lost him for 3 hours th
s.

er sizes and cut the high paid administration.

portant part of student growth.

neaning classroom teachers and req'd SPED teachers. You are legally required and thus, legally re
As a teacher, I see admin waste money on frivolous things that don't matter (EG Vaughn and Woos
evement (like real life does).

ney! Fix incrementally what you have. You idiots cant spend money you dont have, duh!

chool magnet programs. I'm sorry...but it has to be said since at no point in this survey or choices

find better deals. The waste that I see on exorbitant priced items is ridiculous. Also people on the sc
decisions because teachers or counselors complain without facts

it their pay. Cut the money that goes towards over testing and compliancy related nonsense. Slidir

ng.

le that they have to create positions for additional personnel to do their jobs. The "cage busters" are
ses. If a student fails a class, their parents can pay for them to earn credit in some other manner.

for administration. After the elimination of the fore mentioned, that will allow for more benefits for the
and often is behind most decisions made in schools. It needs more funding.

ted with positions that take highly qualified teachers out of classrooms. If we have to take teachers
s teachers/educators. In looking at the payroll of the WCSD administration - why is the PR person p
arters and school level. Increase the distance children have to walk to school - reduce bus staff a
strict administrators. Their recent raises are excessive and unwarranted. It is ludicrous to speak of

simply doing what we are doing is watching children fail. We need supplemental academic supports

strict

as for builders and developers. Many other counties have impact fees and it is imperative that build
books! The superintendent makes more money than the governor! That's criminal.

ns (esp in K-6)

ace

our district.

e central administrative staff, those who don't teach students, but who make 2 to 5 times the salaries

ry

s. The below is a bad plan...high achieving schools already receive less funding than at risk school
second grade. Our aids need to be paid more and need to be on a pay scale. Our substitute teach

uperintendent is being paid on the "national average" why aren't the TEACHERS????

it voting cycle. Do not reduce anything else for our students. If we claim we are preparing "college
g parents provide, if income level allows, for school supplies instead of letting teachers pay from the
staff.

ementation of the school wellness policy.

greater emphasis on vocational and technical skills. The push for college above all other options h

We will rise up and remove from power you wealthy school district employees!

arithmetic, in other words the BASICS! It is like laying a foundation for later learning. You do NOT b

out of town trips for conferences, hotels, air travel, fancy meetings, etc. Also, reduce spending on u

olic servant is getting over 400K in compensation and simultaneously we have to eliminate school bu
ding of interventions and successful strategies that empower dyslexic students rather than have sc
dent's salary.

This year our 2 4th grade classes have 35 students in each. We are one student away from receiv

for teachers to provide a comprehensive and structured learning environment. There are limits to how top heavy with people who don't serve students. WCSD needs more teachers, aides, and service

miles for middle school (instead of the 1.25 and 2.25 miles imposed recently).

ce.

io are IN THE ACTUAL CLASSROOMS are working two jobs to survive and being asked to do eve
perintendent need to require Reno as primary residence. The housing and travel allocations (month

le. A school district that is rated 50th in the nation is terrible. We are very disappointed in our school

so low when every teacher/school has to find their own materials? Literacy is the foundation of edu

is expensive, but having that extra person to help, when class sizes are large, pays off in the long

ms of the support at the school level and a performance/evaluation system to pivot resources aime

lity to get to the venue. In a more robust economic environment I believe it's totally appropriate for t
ing rates because they can't afford to teach anymore. A great education starts with the educator. I
ited to a banquet. Another time I was invited to a school breakfast. Those are my three experienc

iers come better students, with better students you will have less schools come with poor testing ou
I coaches and teachers who are not in the classroom.

ds too much weight and is stressful for the kids, their parents and the teachers. Have a curriculum

assing the course.

no more travel. ughhhh. What's up with sending so many to conferences. Use the money on peopl

ses. This is only going to get worse if the District does not address it. Currently, we are required to

itive mandated fundraisers). Extra curricular activities and a wide variety of electives will keep the r
ot be listed with extra curriculums.

nsultants and teacher trainers (which can be officially called "teachers" for state reporting purposes;
cult to find coaches willing to work for less than minimum wage, and that's what my paycheck equal
ramatically. Please invest in both your teachers and students.

s have very little funding.

o good to teach

imming pool. Lobby for tax money from developers and pot heads. Your funding ideas are beyor

e 25 students in a classroom is way, way, way too crowded.
ate and learn when their school day starts so early. They need more sleep. If lack of funding for bus

f learning. Furthermore, the federal Every Student Succeeds Act clearly codifies music as a core a
ating on a full-blown technical schools for those students who do not belong in a traditional High Sch
ack in the classroom instead of assigned them to "coaching" positions in schools where they are al

led, credible, applied subject that prepares students not only for its own professional career path, b
etter teachers? One would hope. Think out of the box!!
ntract allows for it. Healthcare CHOICE will remedy this. The resources should not just be for lov

o excellence in student performance in all subjects!

more oversight of teachers results and a 360 type of review of their teaching. Many of the district's i

her allows anyone to walk straight through the entire school without challenge.
ation outcomes are so dreadful. We don't seem to recognize that a child must be developed in ALL a

ersonal skills that make good employees.

at schools like Hunsberger vs. the title I elementary schools.

on music competencies, and are taught by highly qualified teachers. This make the survey invalid. It

s" such as EL and Special Ed have been greatly unsupported (teachers/instructors no longer come

ed to teach students at the highest level.

hat the school is doing about them. I have felt in the past that I got information from fellow parents in

umber students. But parental involvement. Focus the majority of your attention here

Be vocal in opposing illegal immigrants that strain our resources. Get rid of the teachers' union that
our high achieving students. HOW TO SHOOT YOURSELF IN THE FOOT? BY CUTTING THE AF
y reducing the minimum number of students per EL teacher allocation. We don't need more tech, w

m. School is for learning, NOT babysitting!

rior in class impairing other students from learning..... Why should my straight A student have to p

and keep them in school. You shouldn't have supervisors (like coaches) for new teachers. If they n
the board of "Open Meeting Law" violations another complete waste, they should know. The mone

VID, PLTW, and others. If we focused on holding teachers accountable to good classroom teaching

not much of a substantial work increase for those positions kept.

due to retirement, the class sizes would reduce, current teachers would be less stressed and there would be at around ten dollars an hour with no benefits.

ing this survey further - I NEED MORE INFORMATION. To gain strong Parent support the district needs to have leadership pools, etc.). The money can be used for academic growth goals. Money should go to help the students.

good Capitalist System And the only way to success is the United States STOCK MARKET. No one

ite in the classroom in order to be fully prepared for the next day.

more attendance officers
s. A salary like that can pay for her own car (she should get reimbursed for mileage like everyone else). We need to have the staffing and equipment that is needed to services all students.

tion classes are not proactive in making up for this need. I would like to see study centers for math

school).

;)! If you could attract and retain more qualified teachers that would help with the academic standards development, to higher academic scores, to better social adjustment? You can't call this survey valid without having students at every school. Schools with more than 700 students should have 2 reading intervention

it home each day.

funds. Low income schools face different challenges than our high SES school, who face different

nts is #1 in nation and totally finance by Heyak group for WCSD

l to write and interpret lengthy and complicated surveys that the majority of parents probably don't c

sidering cutting back on things like music and art when those are so vital for healthy development.

dership skills/independent thought not just regurgitating insignificant information. Don't rely so much

ulary and mainstream budget at WCSD.

extra curricular. Change your category definitions to reflect current brain, social, and emotional res

lirectly to each individual school, so that they can use the money for programs, supplies, extra staff

as other academic subjects.

/ you must not value staff at all. You are also say to top heavy and too many chiefs so you need cul
m solving real worl experiences.

verage is 36% and the average of the top 10 states by educational outcome is 35%.

oving theatre and culinary arts as middle school electives
and circumstances.

nily.

eliminate the many people who are "teaching" or "coaching" teachers or making decisions that impac

i waste of time. Similar to that of Traci Davis. Her salary should embarrass you because of what y

lege prep.

eas.

ollment.

course creates a lot less individual attention to each student. All this results in very low ratings compa

, how do you expect children to learn when there are 30-40 kids in a classroom with one teacher?

for subs. Teachers deserve more pay, more recognition for their efforts, and opportunities for growth. That's where i believe it all begins.

schools stem programs. It's ridiculous that only the poor bad neighborhood gets stem, it should be in
s. Here's a budget-neutral funding priority suggestion: 4 additional WELL QUALIFIED principal sup

majority of their time on their own school campuses. Fewer "special" assignments so that more qual

. How many tens of millions of \$\$\$ have been spent on suspended teacher in the past 10-years? 1
her their education and helping to provide them with brighter futures.

ause cancer and other health problems and is completely unnecessary for the human body. The g

lest daughter (who is a senior) can pick up her sister after school, but what if i didn't have her and h

for our schools, especially from marijuana income but I really believe we need to prioritize reducing costs by helping the students who need the help or are they placing TOSAs in schools without much opportunity

t of our schools.

have in their classes and supporting them with smaller classes rather than wasting money on new technology

working with the superintendent all the way down to principals. Use that money to pay the people who deal with supplies and things to decorate classes. They should be given a budget each year for these schools

schools with needy populations.

into Teacher's/specialists etc.

technology is imperative in making the learning environment compatible for students to learn and not

HS has approximately 2,000 students and each counselor has a large alphabet group. They are overworked, providing safe and supportive environments, and effectively partnering with families and community

pocket expenditures but would lower the number of students in each class because more teachers are

needed. If their job sucks, why bother dealing with difficult students all day...then they can focus on their own. ****My wife and I had 7 children that we put through school, then 1 grandson and now raising

e. The positives of exercise would help all learning, could create teamwork, and establishes good relationships

lping families to become more involved will lead to higher graduation rates which could help increase

3 this fee. To hire teacher aides, interns, etc is far greater than charging 1/2 the current fee. Totally

!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

ncorporated into the junior high and high school curriculum to develop more well-rounded students.

h and wellness.

vays.

ositions and the top administrators have a reduction of salary and retirement benefits.

ion!!!!

to come back and spend every last dime before I could submit the survey)! Take a look at any clas

But still need the extra to be able to be successful and not drop out. More funding and resources t
ugh they have been a WCSD student for many years.

45 minutes to walk 2 miles. Middle school students should not be asked to walk 2.25 miles. Child k

at is family fun and requires family participation. I know my hubby and I are much more likely to pra

ated as such

ridiculous!!!!

plied. Schools are not exempt from SMART practices in budgeting!!!! This survey is also VERY biased. It only includes 1 school.

g what works at other schools across the country. Are these programs lead by students, facility, or parents? I'd like to see the district pay higher wages for teachers who are going above and beyond and

irement in their IEP.

positions she has created for her friends have sucked all of the money from the students and their teachers.

managed resulting in the mess they now have. Nowhere in this questionnaire is there a choice for lunch. No child should be left hungry or worried about paying for lunch.

. I agree the focus should be on schools and students, but these 5 priorities reflected above cover

and's comment that they [board] "wanted to have equity with national superintendents that serve districts

) have a fund to replace old computers after 5 years at the most. Have support contracts with vendors. "It's not a curriculum category"-- it is part of the curriculum, correct? Last year's survey had a similar problem.

en. Wcsd fails to help students plan for and prepare for their future. This needs to change if we war

crowding.

ols and Clark County. WCSD is not on a level playing field with other districts in the State, and nothir
he voters recently approved WC-1 with the promise that that money would be used solely for the m
costs especially with the school board would be the first place we should look at cost cutting.

ubstitutes and while those that administer the district are paid out of proportion to those who teach c

money is spent on people to “help” the teachers. Many of these people do not work with children an

d trips should never be a priority.

re failing our children. There is so much pressure on this Read by Three law that our children are fe

to many people sitting in the front office pushing paper or walking around the halls yelling at parent

give up their standard contract just to teach SEL when SEL is a priority for the district. For every SE

or their skills should be rewarded for that effort.

mental health issues. There must be a focus on this in the school and funds dedicated to properly a

idents.

ss. A well-rounded student experience will (hopefully) provide safe and supportive environments an

the district live and are part of our community.

Is they maintain, relevance, and keep them competitive, as with the private sector. Not because the

eful to identify a priority for promoting professional excellence in the WCSD staff, especially teacher

t.

he days of Home Econ, Shop, Auto Club, etc. yet students graduate high school and they can't bal

would to improvement of students emotional well-being as well and give many students a sense of p
ary grades the librarian only want me to work with books the ETS runs everything with digital learnin

ared to work in the areas that are needed in Washoe County for the businesses that are coming he

district job will get easier.
g way. Too many "leaders" is NOT the answer to our budgeting issues.
e for their child's "academic" day. Provide more school buses, i.e. improve transportation. Additiona
ney for technology and extra curricular programs such as music and the arts.

ir curriculum. Thank goodness for the GT program. Our child is now challenged and engaged and l
ational Standards. To think of these programs as expendable or "extra" has been the approach of

ugh Second Grade need assistance to get students reading, in all schools, not just aides to Title Sch
nding for these programs.
as "extras." This is a travesty. Art should be provided and incorporated, as well as P.E.

plies to specific careers they are interested in.

: is not extra-curricular. Music offers all students the opportunity for a whole-child, integrated brain

stitutes.

I employees, students suffer. You can not attract quality employees if you aren't willing to pay them

rs.

How do we hope to encourage young people into our profession, if we do not pay them what they are

at learners. Large class sizes make it harder for teachers to address skill gaps that often appear a

many families driving their kids to school. Not to mention the negative impact that it has on the environment and we need on site help, not to have to wait for weeks to get assistance for programs and technical

giving D's and F's rather than passed on to the next level.

portation. Already in 2018 one high school student at Reed and one elementary school student at D

olors and teachers - Freeze school/district administrative raises for 2-3 years
funded from the budget. Non-Title-1 schools have broken or archaic systems.
students and their needs.

going to school. They do not want to walk over 2 miles to catch a bus one way, this also poses safety

to cover classes that do not have subs in the building.
ed schools

that are double the size of ours. I understand that the job is not an easy one but if we have a deficit the
least amount of experience (ARLs/Options) and work with the most needy of students. These teachers
housing rising, wages must increase as well. The number of positions also need to increase with the

classrooms on a daily basis should be reduced if not eliminated. Further and ELA adoption has taken
responsible, productive adults.

There is not taking place, more computers for teachers and students (there are teachers who do not have
technology and attendance mind boggling. It is a broken system. Much like the property tax system in our state

ased, which would likely improve ratings at certain schools.

l be considered a part of academic growth or career readiness. I work for one of the new tech corr
se safety- not inclusion

it expensive sports such as football should not be funded by the school district.
uch as trade skills and career path learning or high academia, versus only higher academia.
ones; education on dangers of vaping
on. Currently I believe we are not allocating money towards the things that truly get our students re
ny good. The best system in the world is in the Netherlands where they focus on life skills and mak
its need to be more involved in their students' education. Keep the arts in the schools.

; will be bi-products of students feeling safe and involved with engaged families supporting them.
g middle and high school before the sun rises is out of sync with the biological clocks of young peop
rs, reems of paper, art and PE teacher, paying for teachers of specials to start the year early so the

) - 2003) was reduced by 80%. Children gain a lot from physical experience. They also retain the in
æes in the Washoe region. Truckee Meadows Community College should work with engineering colle
ce extra curricular activities.

d educate our students as members of our culture and promote brain growth and opportunity to der
hese schools need 1 to 1 devices to accomplish using technology appropriately in the classroom.
ool. So a \$12,000 timing system last for many years, and look at how many participants at each sc

language before leaving elementary school if we want them to be competitive in an increasingly glok
ing costs and general inflation have created a situation where most teachers are forced to work tw
y, above

school are there substantial options for music as an extra-curricular activity. This is COMMON n

ting the support it once did. CLS is important because it helps many children learn how to incorpora

me to realize that even the newly-fashionable stem classes which focus on skills that could be eas

ts classes are during the school day, taught by certified teachers, for a grade. They are NOT extra

r have a decent salary to live on.

re highly qualified to teach those subjects. Art and Physical Education classes should also be subje

st technology.

ers, have national standards, are rigorous and should be in the category of "academic growth".

/ up on health-related issues could be done.

ertified teachers and students receive grades for them. In this survey, you have lumped the arts w
uld not be reduced as the tax money is in place for those costs.

down to zero during his years in school in order to make their budget over the years. I was horrifi
am one of them!

nd the extended educational opportunities to put the current state of our countries populations healt
would make this part of the job position.

cannot afford rent in Washoe County let alone buy a home. Why would anyone want to go into a pro
s that can be cut. Raising class sizes and fewer classroom teachers is not the answer to get our s
se such items. We have the oldest laptops and Activboards in the District. Most of our teachers ar

ng another building boom, you're leaving money on the table. It's absurd that Washoe & Clark coun

There's no reason a state with Marijuana funding should be last in the nation. We can do better for th
ere has not been a cost of living increase for employees in SEVERAL years.

trauma impacted student population. Also, good math teachers are so hard to find. The district n

ft our of consideration for funding. A student needs, clean facilities and healthy food in order to succ
sorely lacking in. Teach them dedication to a project. Teach them HOW TO TEACH THEMSELVES
his was done without actually making this change. Maybe go back to schools again and let us decid
Find another way to fund everything that is necessary.

le!

ould out there be it a carer or college. They all are given chrome books and given no eotc program cu

ict for continued learning. They need to be supported and have smaller class sizes.

ould focus educating the whole student whether or not that meets a graduation requirement. A high s
arning much. A adjusted diploma is not an option for him. He will stay in high school up to 24 if he h

rdized testing and look at other countries for strategies for their success and implement!

usted after the marijuana tax was approved and going forward why isn't the tax helping our schools
or 60 to one. Creating less EL allocations based on this ratio is decreasing EL support in schools, v

t of the new buildings and created more less extravagant buildings that would also improve learning

ety, much of which is amplified in overcrowded schools and classrooms. "Anxiety, not depression, i

chers aren't using 10 year old computers.

A concerted effort to stop discrimination against teachers and administrators that are not of a certa

h will increase the success rate of our schools and graduation rates of the students. Eliminate all s

ent Support Services) the UPPER administrators NEVER are available. Way toooo many chiefs and
h a left-leaning NV congress. Increased taxes should be considered as well as funding from the cor
re in other areas. We also are seeing fewer and fewer university students going into education bec

or job than eliminate them.

SIZE in 4-6 TOO LARGE!

Healthy, happy teachers= teachers who don't have to have second jobs to support themselves: her talent is ridiculous. So is her salary.

h anxiety...for teachers and students.

g class sizes as a means to reduce our budget.

ds to be let go. Also, there need to be more high schools built with the BURDEN on the DEVELOPER
ent with the task performed, despite the seniority of the person performing it -- i.e. paying a teacher
letics (such as baseball) occur after the school day while the arts are CURRICULAR and occur du
e of infrastructure (including safety).

re foundation to build the other priorities.

t even at just the high school level. This is a poor way to spend district funds.

hools Fix the older schools playgrounds, boilers etc.

t out or strung so thin on time and resources that they cannot provide the quality education the child

re drifting through. Also, Social Emotional Learning is paramount to heading off the damage cell phone
rd a reminder that children are not the first priority in Washoe. Prioritize school budgets first. Then

rove ahead rather than left to stay with pupils of lesser learning skills.

ing for this issue.

and this situation to become this dire. However, in an organization as large as the WCSD, there has to be a much lower salary. Move those funds to hire more teachers and support staff for low performing

extra funding already from the Federal DOE. As a matter of fact, the Board has already chosen to re

employees are not strong, everything else falls apart. This is what I am seeing now.

because they are 27 hour positions? Arts, music, life skills, more technology and less text books. Let me ask where to cut funding.

but that will haunt them for decades.

and grade allocation 1 month later. The worst part is that I cannot have my job back because it is a line item that is directly impacted positively and we see it in their scores and data.

district, and things were different then, and I think better. No teacher trainings occurred during school years at the schools.

1st grader is in a room with nearly 30 students, some of which would benefit more from one on one

n ELD program for our Els (I suggest the author Kate Kinsella) - a reading curriculum (I suggest E

ording to the question, I must therefore not value academics or college readiness. In addition, obvi

l their needs.

3) are doing good work, their credentials would be better put to use by going back into the classroom
ady receives from the state. 2) I strongly oppose charter/private schools being allowed to gain mon
and I see a lot of behavioral health problems and the principals and teachers don't have any training

thletes from K-12. The demands of the job as well as the budget needs to be updated. Transportatio

nancially covered, including to WCSD mandated competitions. This is not fair or equitable. Music inc

g them cars or others expenses as well incentives especially if we can't afford them. So much of the

CSD well in legislature and elsewhere to prevent WCSD from being in a similar ditch in the future.

ss set of iPads for the same amount of money as a class set of textbooks. Additionally, we wouldn
ottom. Subs are not paid when they work through their lunch time and are very often not given any k

ing and WRONG.
on system.

:rict not a social engineering facility
ents in school!

quired more qualified/experienced people and paid them more with more hours our students would be

o raise money for schools let's make sure it will actually get to the schools and do with what \$ you h

the students classes that will help them in life and help give direction. Dance/music and art do very little for themselves? How about we actually TEACH the basics--you know, how to read, how to write, how to

computers, get so much technology that some are one to one. I'm at Hunter Lake Elementary school and we

large class size and focus on social emotional development. the environment needs to improve before we

use of marijuana they can activate schizophrenia if it exists in them. Please fund for programs about substance use. Changing how schools are funded in Nevada.

live on their own. Prepare kids for the real world and alternative readiness for those not going to college. You have enough money, you just don't spend it wisely. That's why every time you come to a school success when they have over 32+ per class in High School.

drive Tier 1 instruction, which would be a piece of the Academic Growth. Currently our district only focuses on retention.

programs. Budget cuts are constantly being made to the "ESP" departments with increasing the medical center.

the lunch, snacks, and cooking classes in our schools. Spending on staffing rather than on buying more rote curriculum that is not relevant to many students in our district.

a whole lot of bad press

rms of technology.

a ride to school regardless of 2 miles or 4 miles... not ok, not safe. Kids are having to cross large, boulders. This could be a great way of managing these funds in finding and establishing a proper balance and distribution.

ns, many times I stumble walking to the back of the room to check on a student because there are no aisles? I would also like them to consider reducing funding for free and discounted lunches and reducing

the lowest on the pay scale. Our teachers and counselors make the biggest difference in each and every child's life.

creasing, which in turn results in less time for 1 on 1 or small group learning experiences for students.

s based systems. Infinite Campus is a resource hog that has little real world benefits. Scale this back to a reasonable level. These schools need more staffing, from counselors to administrators to teachers to help serve the needs of the students.

following models of other states -Divide the WCSD up into smaller, more manageable districts -Improve the quality of education.

ing, it's time to let some of them go. Focus on the grass roots that smaller cities/town do and perhaps we can learn from them.

es. Also, I would like to see more efforts towards trade school for those who don't want to go to college. These extra responsibilities however there is never any compensation. These extra responsibilities cause a teacher to be overworked and stressed.

but have a standard class fee of 25\$per student per semester to help specific class projects plan and execute.

ble salary instead of green house members having their cars paid for. Money needs to be allocated to the programs that are directly impacting the academic success of our students.

I think the assistance I'd have less emphasis on future academic success at this level as most won't finish high school.

tax payer who may or may not have children in the school system. I am not interested in playing yoyo with the money.

more buses during the school year. Way too top heavy. Typical of a government that doesn't know the difference between direct and indirect contact with students. We need increased per pupil spending, smaller classes, and ALL high quality curriculum.

computers that cannot efficiently run the state of the art software that the district brags about. If you are going to have a computer lab, let it be a computer lab. It would eliminate the cost of travel between schools.

money on bussing for kids who are out of the zone- shift that money to truancy, behavior, etc and devoting more resources to the students who are at risk.

Teachers and administrators are leaving the field. Something needs to be done to keep our teachers
passes for 4 years. Students can fail 11 semesters and still graduate on time. This does not count if
teachers have to sacrifice preps to cover

the aide of their parents, and THEY can babysit and deal with the child they raised. That way, they
which increases spending to correct their mistakes.

put to that. Funding for teachers to have protocols for special education teachers, school psychol

our community, she needs to LEAVE or travel and house on her own dime.
> 6 classes and graduation credits to 21). Too much money spent on SPED and GT.
oms. Cut administrative overages such as the caterer that travels with Tracy Davis.

chool's carpet extractor died and housekeeping could not afford to replace it. Our school had to pay f
lly with how much more teachers and students are relying on technology now.

acknowledged as Title I within the district but are acknowledged nationwide? That is a huge issue. Al
etting young kids language development active will benefit them greatly in the future.
/...metal detectors, school police etc., "climate of belonging"...those two should be differentiated and

ning.
a.

d teachers and staff more we would attract better, more qualified applicants. Also, out IT departmen

at successful countries like Finland and emulate what they are doing.

es not have a measurable DIRECT impact. Priorities should be retaining the good teachers already

;, and termites in the walls. This is in an acceptable learning or teaching environment.

teachers who are supposed to just teach. Using data appropriately and make better data driven decisions? Staff schools for lower class sizes, which are integral to supporting our many second language college.

leak from privilege instead of knowledge, will subvert any intended priority initiatives. Get "old money

if schools can't get more money for lunch maybe a better way to manage what they already get, so in this area, the deficit could easily be covered.

teachers since the bottom pay steps are being eliminated every year. This is a strong indicator to our teachers to get up ready to learn. In our current system, those who are more academically advanced seem to struggle with the state and personal revenues, which would increase the budget and make it sustainable. So more

are being cut?

they don't know what to do with some of the grant money and use it frivolously just to spend it. Move it next to the student machines.

funny. Put that money back into schools and programs where it should be. Students first.

At that point it becomes more the teacher trying to manage the masses and less rigorous instruction for special ed students. We need to change our priorities and support those in our community that will be at high-risk, title 1 schools.

ing our students, way beyond their contract time.

people to even fill the positions needed now? The population has not increased by 1000 students since the 1980s.

required to sit 3 in a seat with overstuffed book bags, bulky winter coats, and all ... resulting in the teachers

are special and entitled. Look at the menial generation. Loaded with debt and minds full of hatred. and living skills so they can become productive members of society. Forget the testing, it doesn't s
people in support roles you need to pay them a livable wage

nts would be beneficial. Expose students to woodworking, auto shop, etc. I believe just the exposu

fail many times. How does that make any sense?? That's like asking someone to make a 4 cours
learning through different modalities and gaining experience through hands on real world experience
e addressed and resolved.

it's going to college.

To Learn.

emotional dysregulation and yet it's solely up to the teacher to provide not only high quality education
afety training and extends to placement of severe behavioral and mental ill students in the appropri
ants, through grants, and sponsorship. There needs to be much emphasis on academics. Not c
ure of cutting costs.

to implement NVKR effectively, kindergarten aides or max of 18 students. No more Co-teaching with schools and classrooms.

3.

is going on for our kids. High anxiety rates, suicidal ideation and self-injury, school shooting concern highest salary in the state or surrounding western states and the talent will stay or follow.

number.

4. Graduation rates don't mean a thing if the students can't think critically.

The casinos bring in big money and the support is so little and our children are suffering because of

and to spend district money on that. We won't need as many janitorial services if the kids cleaned up a

ginal, at best. So frustrating.

Every day in and day out need the districts help. Not more ways to get few more money but more to the going to the school district not the state.

Accept their monies why not give up their portion to the schools like promised it's not cool to go back or cover what they are good at and what they enjoy and allow them to grow in those areas without bei

panies, and other state industries need good worker. Not all students should go to college.

an have a signature!!!!

drive cooperative elementary, middle and high school committees to govern each section. Those

ot have had a knife pulled on him at school with the knife wielder facing no consequences and my s

lministrative costs. That's where you should cut. Too much money being funneled to those at the t

think that my rate should be higher.. I am almost ready to get a part time job at a casino and make r
y keep kids away from these activities.

etter staff

ist. I am greatly opposed to enormous budgets serving the education hierarchy, and not the kids, a

n the effort.

re money on education has a positive effect on student results. States with some of the lowest per s
, floor machines for stripping & scrubbing. This equipment wears out! and the schools are asked to
ving high stars does not mean the teachers don't know what they are doing. Lobby to remove the s

sales that were promised with the passing of the bill. We are in 46th place out of the country. Somet
igh school programs and teacher salaries.

formance in school Accept that some students need special placement so other students can do t

t resources more efficiently. Teachers should work full time 2,080 hours a year vs. the 1464 they w

closer look at the contracts the District enters into for services such as nutrition. If recent media ac
ve to live in a specific area to have the better options?
e is no right or reason for spending that much of the tax payers dollars for her salary!!!

ses and teachers are buying crap from their paycheck, and necessities like transportation get cut w

feelgood stunt, don't do it! Plus, this district has too many administrators and they are paid too much

o not like common core curriculum.
tion, funding, and growth for this. There's nothing more important than safe and supportive schools

;annot get variances to attend another school while exchange students can go to the zoned school

it by themselves.

rents because this bus reduction thing not picking up the kids for school and after school is pretty ri

er.
ol my kids went to got half of the funding of a title one school we'd be set! And these are middle clas

no idea what my child was learning in school. I was also being told my kids were "doing Great!" at th

re "their kids" too

laries. That will save a ton of money.

absences sends a horrible message to our students and community. It devalues the educational e

n concerned that kids in this district will not be competitive for future jobs relative to kids from other
he work and take home hours of homework to make up for the missed time in class (I am told this is
pport from parents, are both time consuming and not yield much support for school's financial condi

in the school.

s that are inevitable with class sizes that large. The pay of people like the superintendent should be
tem (if they ever do), and 6 months to 2 years goes by before the school item is received. Why? be

the staffs time they need to go.

and still work today just fine.

entions.

g, which grows exponentially every year.

health of our children is irresponsible.

no wonder we have a shortage. Class size should also be a priority. Stop cutting allocations so you

diploma and can't read at a 4th grade level. just because the teacher feels that the student made an

I burden of tutoring in addition to his daily school.

and providing funding to underprivileged schools is not okay just because the school is in an affluent

cept on actual official business.

cademic needs of students. With that said more money for schools, teachers, and get rid of tablets.

weather it is even worse.

for teachers. I strongly believe that if we adequately compensated teachers, we could draw from a
pected.

a per-student basis seems fair and equitable... I fear that allocating based on school ranking could

sh in these programs.

riod of time and stays current on new resources

ut if i was not caucasian. I could walk into my local school, lie that i was homeless and no one would

. 1.24 miles for young kids not safe. 11 year olds having to walk over 2 miles at 7 in the morning for

0 days a year. It's no surprise that Nevada ranks 2nd worst in the nation.

should be stronger at the teacher level and mid-management level - not at the bloated top level. Als

l youth can result in additional per-pupil funds flowing to a district or school. For example, this fundin
/ student college ready. Many will not make it through college but would be very successful with tra
y are the teachers not paid well and have to buy supplies for students but higher-level positions in t

chool doesn't receive the same. How will these students have the opportunity to use and develop tl

l the time on the uneven pavement. The parking lot is so bad you can't see any lines, crosswalks or

enerated in the State. The PERS system should be eliminated for all new employees. (Teachers AN

superintendents, Data specialist, Principals and VP's) have on a student's education. Answer: ZERO

SCHOOL. HE IS ONLY IN THE FOURTH GRADE, AND I WONDER WHY HE IS STRUGGLING WITH
administration. How about paying, for teachers to get better at teaching?

S FOR TEACHERS AND SMALLER CLASS SIZES --STOP THE EARLY RELEASE WEDNESDAY

use performance in that school. Think smart and put the money where its most useful to the teacher

and inept. There is no district support, training, or knowledge for certified staff. It's one of the reasons
at grade level or above. The task the district is asking my child's teacher is impossible! When

of education.

try

I can go and get paid more and not take the abuse from students and others everyday??

more than TEACHERS. Teachers should be the highest paid people in the District.

15 years ago) was easier and made memorization of math and words simple. You all are complicating

long periods of time is extremely unhealthy.

talk about reducing area superintendents or superintendent staff. There seems to be a WCSD Direc

nesday as any staff member who can't find the ability or time to improve themselves is not worthy
centage from the State and Feds who require the program and don't adequately fund it. WCSD likes to
way too many administrators. I personally know a few of those people, who I like, but I know it's no
ctive inter-scholastic athletics. Stop lowering the bar to achieve graduation rates. Set standards and

blunders.

t, volunteers, and I would decrease emphasis on sports outside of class physical education, i.e. H.S.
taxes. Would like to see reduction of salaries of administrative personnel.
ipals, teachers and staff.

cy", KKK, and bigotry, customer service to associates, leaders, self, and authorities, recognition of
aching students.
every other district office administrative (managers and supervisors) salaries and benefits by 10%.

æe health benefits (OPEB) each and every year.
ctions to fund the programs presented above.

I're including "football" in extra-curricular activities with art and music. I'd give \$25 just to art and mu
in administrator, i.e. taking cars home at night, the outrageous salaries of upper management, etc
ras and continues to be a runaway train wreck.

viding "perks" to over-paid administrators at the cost of reduced school bus transportation for child
protecting the budget at all costs, rather than doing what is right. Making the sup request funds notif
ncluding. I just want to make a point to say that teachers in Washoe are underpaid, over worked, a
student at Lenz. It seems like we are more interested in accommodating our adult school leaders (I
ter utilize these resources we maximize our return on investment. Also the current school schedule

ng-it just puts kids at risk by either walking to another stop (1/3 mile) or being driven to school which
garbage.

ould also be nice to have a superintendent that is engaged and doesn't live in Las Vegas.

ementary and middle school who are at risk if not graduating. That's not happening now - we worry
s not.

ints, but lawsuits will continue to cost the district unnecessary money if the quality of services for th

ing times. Allow them to teach class subjects that are applicable to living in this century.

s, people just have to make it a priority and seek solutions.

/e the student to teacher ratios are far too high; therefore lacking quality and effectiveness.

they offer little help to an already overworked staff. As a parent volunteer x6 yrs and a former local
people have computers for their children.

ast two of those people do not have REAL jobs, cuz there was no real reason for them to participate

ss on graduation rates and focus on a quality education. All students need better resources and sm
ys have the deal with the best value.

ran nurturing and promoting students who are talented and intellectual. Bring back "Gifted and Tale
House. The number one priority of the WCSD should be to REDUCE class sizes. That's not listed (

twice as much work to do but barely make ends meet.

:ardous to teachers and students alike.

that could be combined or eliminated.

ne it is OK for their classes to be so small?).

lars to negotiate superintendent contract and pay? Upper salaries are hitrotious. Why aren't any of
| have been tied to developers, should get much less on budget. The older schools like wooster, sp

n is state funding, but part is management of funding. None of these questions address admin pay

We increased sales tax and marijuana tax for schools, yet there's still a deficit. We're ranked low on culturally inclusive and extra curricular activities, SEL, and other areas where research backs up the fact that small class sizes and low student to teacher ratios is the best way to improve all of the above.

They are at McQueen and finally build some real buildings. They were used by your campaign to sell the plan. But the responses and the surveys themselves only serve as a cover to allow the district to tout their safe environment to learn and work in. A lot of resources are spent on low and high achieving students. Teachers should just teach and not worry so much about pleasing everyone.

FOCUS ON THEIR JOB IF THEY HAVE TO WORK 2ND JOBS TO PAY THE BILLS. MY PRIORITIES. There are almost 150 unfilled positions. None of this matters if the district can't put teachers in

positions as part of their curriculum. Budgeting and planning current and future needs, along with credit e

math and 19th is science amongst the 15 year old students in 35 OECD countries. We need to engag

discarded instead of auctioned off or re-used in another area, only to be replaced by more equipment. These are two options that ostensibly achieve "academic growth," but I am opposed to one of them.

ation opportunities for the student body as a whole. It is not worth the money it takes to provide and support its use. Instead of "climate of belonging" how do we create a safe, well-rounded, informed and educated (not just be good test takers!).

in math and science, teachers who are experts in their subjects.

one keep the ones we do have. It is sad that we have teachers working two or three jobs in order to

and, in fact, enhance enormously necessary education funding. The fact that it apparently goes to those who contribute to leadership at a teacher level. It is not acceptable or safe to have long-term parental fundraisers (i.e. Gomm's Denim and Diamond). Educational disparity should not exist within

ss is a no brainer and really not that expensive. Quality educators, discipline in the schools(teach

for such funding. Stop funding District Level policy changes that reduce teacher authority while enlisting district trying to validate their job!!!!

cannot fix today's issues by just delaying infrastructure investments.

onary is inadequate and implies that libraries are discretionary, which does a great disservice to our taxes for funding from the taxpayers. More money does not mean better education. Go back to a /s without using these expensive "educational" programs. Keep bias and indoctrination out of the cl

o all students. Now post a survey that will expose and tell the truth on WCSD shortfalls.

ucceed. On the flip side, identify students and families that are on track to fail—the schools know w

rtance of it. More emphasis on careers/trades. More emphasis on appropriate/civil social interaction

ool programs. Child care is tge parents responsibility, not the tax payers. I covered my kids, they sh

op-heavy and the education provided to children in WCSD could be greatly improved. Isn't it the Dist

1 fifth grade, I have 30 students and I get 1 hour in computer lab a week, and access to a computer. o have all this training that you do during school hours, it would be nice to ensure the classes are c

✓egas

ach the golden rule. Discipline students and teach respect for all other people.

icy
administrators spend one dime out of their pocket.

advantaged in the district

g the hard work and need to acknowledged.
as spending millions on bathrooms and “inclusive” curriculum. Teach our children the educational f

lives.
resolve this alone. Classes double up due to lack of subs hurts learning. Classified are leaving the

to see a swimming pool being built at wooster high school when they re-do that high school. I would
s in them.

nplementation specialists.

the fewest students.
creativity education instead of the regular core standard/curriculum.

his school year) This is completely unacceptable and NOT an equal educational experience to his p

esponsible to acquire the marijuana money and tax money that voters have voted for. Do it! No ex
;ter spending thousands to have an MYP “expert” retell faculty things they already knew about the p

s have you listed this as an option, rather you have listed reducing options which only impact studer

:hool board get paid way too much

ing scale for title one dispersement monies. Also, why are we spending so much money and energy

is not helping!
Additionally, stop paying for all juniors to take the ACT. This should be a privilege awarded on meri

students!

out of the classroom simply to push paperwork, we are doing something terribly wrong. If we have paid more than any teacher. Too top heavy - too many people staying way too long making way too much money and equipment. Increase focus on non-college bound students - more trade education. Focus on the classroom making classroom level cuts when the top individuals are grossly overpaid: salaries, car/ transportation.

for struggling schools - different schools have different needs - one size does not fit all.

ers share some of the cost of growth and help pay for schools in our area.

as of teachers, who do interact with students daily. This district has too many administrators, all of whom are not teachers.

is that are at risk. At risk schools already get state and federal grant monies while high achieving schools need to be paid more.

and career ready" individuals, then they require materials and opportunities. Teachers should not be paid their already insufficient income just to provide basic supplies.

has brought us to a point where college education has been devalued and critical trades are left undervalued.

ould a house without a foundation or at least a slab to build it on. Forget the social engineering....the

updating textbooks (such as math - the subject hasn't changed. $1+1=2$!) and focus on teaching! Real

is routes, you know something is terribly wrong. These are our children we are talking about here - many of them grow up thinking they're dumb. They are some of the most brilliant, creative minds we

ring an additional allocation and did not receive it. I could list about 30 ways that my students and I a

what K-12 teachers can do when too many unique needs are introduced in the classrooms. As a result, this book provides a resource for children with disabilities.

n more.

nly auto stipend, etc) need to be cut. Exactly how many Assistant Superintendents need there be? I

I board.

ucation success. Why is this not funded appropriately including materials/resources and PD for all p

run. Currently our resource and ELL teachers are unable to be in the classroom consistently. They

d at activities that are not yearning gains. Question number 7 is very misleading. It makes it soun

he district to fund transportation but not in challenging economic times. I say this as a parent of three
You can have the best curriculum, but if you don't have quality teachers, they will not be able to bes
es since I have been pta president 2 times and have volunteered for 4 kids for 14 years. I would lo

.tcomes/graduation rates!

that is well rounded with activities that help make learning fun. Also, cutting the buses has put a lot

e in the classrooms and in buildings.

keep grown body students in our class after they hit teacher and hit other students and we fear the

non academic more interested in school success.

s), and spend that money on keeping quality staff. As per question number 7 below, what you fail to
tes to. When was the last time salaries increased for coaches? More sports need to be sanctioned

and antiquated.

sing is the reason for this, money should be allocated to busing so the day can start later. Also th

cademic subject. The state of Nevada and Washoe County School district need to reinvestigate the
ool. This creates a sense of belonging in and of itself, letting the academic students be academic a
llowed to act "holier than thou" and make money for doing next to nothing. There are too many extra

ut also any field in the sciences and humanities. Please reconsider this dangerously inaccurate cate

wer income schools for smaller class sizes. It should be for all schools.

ideas are great but unless you teachers to a standard that is well monitored you won't have succes

areas not just the academic subjects we deem in vogue today

: DOES NOT accurately measure what it intends to measure.

in to support teachers and students in their learning) for resource teachers and general education

law enforcement and did not receive from my school partners. I would also like to see continual as

t is nothing more than an extension of the political left machine. Offer school choice vouchers. Pay
TS.

e need more teachers!

ut up with other children destroying her environment.

eed supervising teachers who could be in the classroom they shouldn't be teaching. Let's quit fun
y to review the Special Needs Admin should be released we paid for it and have a right to know. Th

ing and staff accountable to good practices with students, I think we could do without some of these

efore less likely to find different careers, and the students would receive a better education. SO PLI

needs to be transparent. Also Study what is working well in very successful districts in our country
ire individuals to assist positions that have extreme workloads - for example - resource teachers.

ot the labor mkt. they are taught today

else) and cell phone. Total waste of money, it's an insult to all the teachers that make nothing and h

1 English science with on site tutors available like at UNR and or have a program linked with UNR/T

ls and education students are receiving.

ien you throw music and arts in a separate category like this. It is a profoundly important academic
tion teachers. Put all teachers who are currently out of the classroom on other assignments into th

challenges than our middle SES schools. We need to start allocating our funding and time to our sci

complete or can't understand).

on electronics/internet...encourage health and fitness.

search that clearly proves the importance of developing the WHOLE child in the academic setting! T

; etc. that is needed at each specific site.

t from the top not from the bottom. You also should use the Dave Ramsey approach to your financial

ct teachers, without having actually been a teacher recently, ESPECIALLY those who have been ou

ou are denying students. SHAME ON YOU!

aring to the rest of the country. To me as a parent, it is very concerning and disturbing issue in Nev

with within the district. (Professional development that could be linked to those interested in admin, ei

all schools.
ervisors; reduce OSS by 4 administrators. This would actually lead to improved student outcomes

lified teachers can be in the classroom.

This money could and should be used properly. (2) Question 8 talks about school maintenance. I

overnment needs to get out of bed with these special interest groups. The meat and dairy industrie

ow am i going to make that work next year when no program exists for my school? I work 8-5. Bef

class sizes!!

portunity to affect change? I would like the District to consider a reasonable time frame to judge the e

curriculum that doesn't necessarily match student needs or NVACS is a waste. Giving students a v

to the work of the school district - that is to educate students. Any left over money should be spent
e things.

t be distracting. I also believe that keeping extracurricular activities for our students is very importa

erloaded! Last year the school told me there might be a grant for providing a program with a psych
munity. Teacher preparation programs fall short in readying teachers to meet the needs of all stude

would actually be teaching.

s more on the academic growth section. Also I will find resources for my daughter to be academical
sing 3 great grandsons

ife habits.

our funding as well as lower the current poverty level in our district (of course over a matter of time

upside down.

s room from the 1900's and a picture of a current WCSD classroom. Today's classrooms have ma

o to be for these kids. They are the ones that drop out being left behind.

kidnapping highest risk is from the age of 9-14. A lot of roads and neighborhoods do not meet up wil

ctice exercise/healthy lifestyles if my 2nd grade grandson was going to get credit for activities to thi

as, pointing to the state as the reason WCSD is not able to budget and then to make a point that ch

arent, or a mix? What is the impact? Where is it needed? etc.

d that doesn't mean producing high scores. Wages should be performance-based determined by ac

achers. Why don't you do an financial audit on the positions the district doesn't need and really see

reducing salaries and/or reducing upper level administration positions. Im not talking about campus

everything that IS student focused. I believe there should be more specific priorities for student po

icts about our size." She then stated the previous contract for Superintendent Davis had "gotten

ors so the computers can be repaired promptly, create a channel so spare parts can be purchase

it to have a competent workforce.

ing will change until that problem is exposed. I would also like the District to consider reducing the maintenance and construction of schools. This community has no faith in this school board nor its top

our children.

d many teachers are more knowledgeable than many of the people hired to “help”.

experiencing the pressure and are stressing out at a very young age. Academic growth is needed but not at

volunteers and students!

For every dollar spent there is an \$11 dollar benefit. It's worth funding more.

assist these students. -Special Education: My son is in this program, and just skirts by under the radar

and can help with career and college readiness. I've seen faith-based organizations and parents rally

every day wake up each day.

teachers and principals.

ince a checkbook. Things like the PAES Labs being available at every middle school would give stu

urpose. Not everyone can get straight A's or be a star athlete, but anyone can help their communit
g yet they are part time and always at school working past what they are required! They should ha

re and creating jobs. We do not have enough skilled workers to fill those positions, and it is causing

illy, I believe all schools should be treated equally. If one school gets computers then all of them shc

earning at an appropriate level.

this district as long as I've been employed here. Once again we evaluate the question of whole child

ools.

growth development.

a livable wage and benefits.

ire worth?

nd accelerate starting in third/fourth grade. This causes spikes in undesirable behaviors as student

onment. 40 cars to transport 40 kids vs 1 bus. Instead of pushing out the boundaries where kids are
ology that we're expected to use.

ouble Diamond have been killed from being hit by vehicles while walking or biking from school. With

ity risk for younger children. Also CIT funding towards bussing children to their school of origin ever

en the money should be coming out of the salaries at the top not our students' educations. Especially
ners need specialized training. The incentives that SPED teachers received from the state years ago
ie increase in student population. Some increase to the number of admin and support positions would

way too long and needs to be funded.

ave working laptops), Smart boards for classrooms that don't have them.
ate the bandaid reactionary design is hurting our children. Teachers are awesome is WCSD.

panies -- and we want to hire team members who think outside the box. That is developed through

ready for career and life beyond school. Many children will elect not to attend college and become an
ing a well rounded person - they DO NOT focus on testing and sitting at desks. Kids need to move

ole (people ages 12-25, which includes young teachers). Teens experience a hormonal shift that ma
ey have adequate time to prepare for the year, school technology like iPads, new playground equipm

formation longer.

ages like Tulsa Community College to provide grade A degree paths for students. More info on Fi

monstrate knowledge through arts and arts integration. Incidentally, referring to the statement in qu

:hool gets involve, way more that basketball and or football and or baseball. Crazy stupid not to sup

onal market. 2) Special education including additional GATE programs should be more robust.

sometimes three jobs just to get by. This is not acceptable.

mistake in our district and state. As a music teacher, I take offense to this repeated mistake. Every t

te into society in a healthy, substantial way. It seems that most funding is going to Strategies progra
ily replaced with future tech (robots, algorithms, etc.). Perhaps classes that encourage polymaths v
i-curricular.

cts provided to all of our elementary school students.

with extra curricular such as sports. PLEASE don't. It shows that you really do not understand the c

d that the District would choose to pay exorbitant salaries to management over funding that provide

h. Also, the importance of "moving" seems to have been lost on our current generation.

profession that you cannot even afford the basic necessities in life with the salary?

tudents towards career and college readiness.

re 21st Century Certified however we don't have the classroom technology to use it to full potential.

ities can't collect these fees.

re children in Nevada.

needs to make these positions more attractive for prospective teachers and rewarding for the ones

eed and be happy.

3. Not just google it. But to collect the knowledge and use it practically. To look up a video and them
de how we could better serve our students and save the district money. Why do we pay elementar

is it's not message these kids all go to college for the most part and the ones set for labor jobs are (

school diploma is only as good as what it truly means and right now it means very little as there is a
has too. Too much spending is being spent on Athletic programs.

more? It looks like I was lied to about the marijuana tax and it looks like that tax could help us not b
which is not helpful to that population.

because there would be less students per teacher. Kids don't need all the glamour that you're putti
is the leading mental health issue among American youths, and clinicians and research both sugges

in political party, gender, etc. Lining up personnel to match the demographic of the population. Incr

sports, extra-curricular activities, music and arts. My son attends Alyce Taylor, they attend music

d directors that serve around 3500 students. Increase the amount of support to AREA Superintende
panies that moved here (Tesla, etc) but are not contributing as much as they could. Maybe diplom
ause we do not make equivalent to other states. All of this is reflective on our graduation rates and (

ence, more time to spend planning for our day job, thus increasing academic growth, more time to st

RS building suburbs.

\$70K to "educate" two home-bound special needs children is not a good use of funds.

ring the school day. The terminology you want is "NON-CORE" subject. In addition, the numbers 1

children need: STOP INCREASING CLASS SIZE! You are burning out your teachers!!! We also need

nes are doing to our students' behavior and social skills. It is also a solid preventative step toward :
n, when those are funded, consider TOSA positions.

to be room to eliminate expenses that are not critical to delivering a quality education for our student schools. Don't take funds from high performing schools. If schools are doing well don't punish them

re-allocate Title I funding to these "more deserving schools" in the past and has allocated MORE funding

lets stop wasting so much paper.

limited term position! Also, funding for appropriate placement of students with special needs. I watch

hours. We had library, music, PE and computers once weekly. We attended a full day of school, had

instruction or a special education atmosphere. I have so many concerns, this is just a start.

engage New York or Louisiana Believes) - when we do out of contract hours for trainings, meeting, &

ously not all the priorities above come with the same price tag so what are you even trying to accom

1. We need to eliminate positions that are teacher positions (and salaries) but they are not inside a c
etarily from students attending them instead of a public school. Conversely, public schools should r
g on how to deal with difficult children or even autism. Teachers at our school come and go and judg

on needs are growing, department parent complaints, and NIAA demands are changing, but yet the

creases grade performance as much or if not more than sports. Parents have had to work hard to r

e money should be use to hire qualified teachers and staff with high qualifications that have a heart f

Fund studies to find out how many services, software, and programs are unused but still being pa

't lose so much money every year due to lost textbooks because students would access all the info
kind of break during the day. They are still responsible for the safety and education of many student

e able to experience more than just playing games. They could improve teamwork, sports drills, or c

have otherwise. Stop the primary focus from being how to get more \$ to how can we better educate

little to none of that.

to actually do some math. Maybe take all the money we pour into SEL and put it into something pro

we have to share 30 outdated iPads among 4 grade levels. This seems quite unfair.

students learning can happen. Right now the school environment (safety, self esteem, activities for

EX EDUCATION and HOW TO BALANCE TECHNOLOGY (SCREEN TIME). Also, please fund for

lege. More electives to expose kids to possible trade schools or skilled labor. Not everyone will go t
he public with a request for a ballot question we fight you. If you were making good decisions with c

offers this type of learning through a "sit and get" model that covers theoretical practices around st

overages. Getting people to apply for these ESP positions is already a difficult task because peopl

rict.

busy intersections and even though there are stop lights and crosswalks, it is not safe.
caution.

so many chairs pushed together, and backpacks lying in the aisles. With large classroom sizes the
using funding for holiday and summer programs that cost massive amounts of money to feed children

and everyone of our children's lives and they are not valued enough.

is.

work for students and teachers.
service these poorer students appropriately.

use SHARE education by listening to teachers and parents instead of a special interest group

so you might be able to bring the respect in from the public people. Greeting kids with familiar faces and
age. Finally, I would really like to see more focus on how to use technology appropriately. The arts center
never to spend too much time taking care of the extras and gives them no extra time to prepare quality

trained by the teachers to allow students to do extra courses in the class room and out on field trips. Can
to help schools, support extra curricular activities and encourage more people to come in to the teachers
high school or will change careers soon after college.

our word problem above but I can't even complete the survey without doing it! I will say that it is about

to operate a business!!!
quality teachers working directly with students. The IS and coaching positions are a bit of a joke to
are going to brag about a program you should talk to the teachers and give them what they need to

develop programs that show real results. Make PARENTS accountable for educational neglect and children

funded so they aren't stressed with trying to survive financially with their own families, let alone, try
ntersessions, summer school, A+ or any other extra class. Teaching allocations need to go back

/re getting educated and can't sue the district. It's a way to keep parents and teachers happy beca

logists, audiologists, speech/language pathologists so they can do their job in helping to identify if st

or half of the extractor out of our operating budget. We have also had to pay to replace our own dri

iso, the cuts in transportation have been exponential changing the radii of multiple elementary schoo
d not grouped together.

it has been unbearably godawful, their funding structure needs to be radically changed because rigl

in place instead of marginalizing and disrespecting them with the current pay scale, reduced extra c

isions.

uage learners and students, who receive special education services. Eliminate pulling teachers ou

y Reno" out of the schools and all funding will be better used.

chools waste a lot of food and this are bad habits that children want to take to our homes. One bite t

eachers that their experience within the district is not valued. While I understand that technically the
ffer the most as they are not challenged in a standard classroom environment. Instead we teach to
funding should be devoted to gifted student education.

e some of the schools that are on the "border" up every few years so they can get some extra func

ial strategies.

ll become our leaders.

o what are we doing? I know that we have different funding for different things but why are we not s

nird barely seated and hanging into the aisle), combined with limited stops requiring students to cros

Tech schools will allow students who do not want to go to college but learn a trade. It is proven that how anything. Quit wasting money on things that special education do not need. Start spending it or

re to this could lead to more students pursuing these careers out of high school rather than college.

ie meal when they don't know how to read a cookbook. They need and will use good solid math ski

as that extra curriculums offer.

for ALL students in a super high stress situation, but also regulate children who struggle with emot
ate small classroom environment. Academic achievement is suppressed when students and staff ai

only the per-pupil formula is flowed, but many companies and housing developments are coming to \

40-50 kids in a class. These are really just combined classes to satisfy allocation numbers. Large

is, abuse and neglect, sex trafficking, substance use/abuse, dating violence, homelessness. These

it.

after themselves (or it was a punishment, like detention, to clean the trash around campus or tidy up

he ones that work with the students.

a promise and just let people walk around stoned like there are no worries for the future OUR CHILDREN
ng penalized for not excelling in areas that do not come natural to them. Less testing.

lead principals would prepare a report to the superintendent.

on being asked how he provoked this miscreant, even though the entire episode was on video. The

.op.

nore. This district needs to be aware how many sub jobs are open. I also tried to get a part time tea

and, I am also opposed to using funding to teach social justice courses, for they waste funds and bi

student spending in the nation have the highest results. It's how the money is spent that makes the c
replace it. Most schools can not or will not pay for these items. I have never worked anywhere in n
tate mandate to purchase "text" books when we have multiple programs and strategies that work w

hings got to give

the school work they need to do

ork. This would decrease the need for more staff and paid benefits. It is not sustainable to provide f

counts are accurate, these contracts are fraught with waste. Lastly, I would also strongly encou

hile the head haunchos (yep looking at you superintendent!) are making high 6 figures. That's NOT

1. Get rid of the top heavy, overpaid management and higher highly qualified teachers. Note: I notice

that meet the needs of all students.

of their host family for free. This seems like an abuse of the system.

idiculous and I completely cannot fathom the idea of anybody taking the school bus away from child

is kids going places! Everyone should be treated equally, title one should not be favored. And class

ie teacher conferences. At the next school they are both put in tier 2 and one is being evaluated for

experience in school and parents are abusing this system. I predict lower test scores because the t

districts who are better prepared for STEM careers.
s not supposed to happen but it does). They should be in classes with other gifted students and be
tion. Instead of that as a parent I'd prefer to send some money directly to school account in order to

scrutinized. It doesn't matter what they're paid in other districts, if we can't have decent sized class
cause the teacher needs some discretionary funds.

can shave off from your budget deficit.....and keep class sizes rising in every grade!!!

effort but didn't achieve the task set in front of them.

nt area you cannot expect parents to fund the school

. Teachers need to be more one on one with students. The money we blow on tablets, and other no

| higher caliber of individuals who would be motivated and better capable of making a positive differe

foster controversial, corrupt/patronage-based decisions.

d question me. My children would not be charged the \$200+ per child I current pay each year, my c

6 grade middle schoolers.

so - why even bother to ask our opinions in your surveys, since the majority of parents surveyed pr
ing averages \$6-8,000. These per-pupil funds may follow re-enrollment immediately, or flow during t
de skills.
he school district are paid huge salaries and bonuses? And are you kidding me on question 7 below

heir skill with nothing to work on. (my class room as two 8 year old computers for 23 students to u

r arrows painted. There are always close calls with accidents because people don't know where the

ID Administrators) there are very few private industries with anywhere near the benefit programs w

O. My kids and myself have never learned a thing from an administrator. Teachers have always b

VITH MATH.

S AND LET THE TEACHERS TEACH

rs.

ns people vote against tax increases. Hire qualified, experienced, knowledgeable people who truly c
n visiting the classroom, it is almost impossible to even walk from one side of the room to the other!

ng everything PLEASE STOP...not like as a single mother what I say matters.....STOP DUMBING D

ctor for everything.

of teaching our children!
o think it is transparent but it is anything but transparent, and your budget is meant to deceive and b
t justifiable that they have district vehicles for their jobs. It's been said to the district multiple times, i
d expectations. Stop feeding children - that is a parent's responsibility. Expand school hours - comm

S. league competitions. I think that the district NEEDS to look at more equitable and diverse school

right and wrong and decision making as it relates to self, affects on others and what "doing the right

usic, and \$0 to football. But your survey makes me support football. Likewise, your Safe and Supp

ren and/or inadequate funding for actual classroom teaching. It is ridiculous that any classroom tea
ies the board what is happening and puts them in a situation to ask how we got to that point. It woul
nd under appreciated. This should be a top priority.

principals) and pretending everything is fine. Lets focus on our number one job: teaching students i
e that has extra weeks of planned vacation, one week in the Fall, three weeks of Christmas break a

n increased traffic, pollution and outs more cars interacting with students at the school.

about high school seniors when we could be preventing the problem by providing more services ear

is vulnerable population don't improve.

government employee, there needs to be a better effort to attract and retain teachers. Until this is

except to gossip about it later. CUT Vice area superintendents across the board, and get rid of the
smaller classes, not just low income schools. We need teachers where care and we have a lot that are
"rented" programs. These programs should be celebrated and not cut. In addition to the above com
either!

these options mentioned? Where is our sales tax increase and the Afrikaans tax going? Can't imag
arks, reno, and similar middle and elementary schools not affected by growth get punished by budg
and perks, which are prohibitive. Waste of non student related resources like admin expenses are

ist. I think perks and high salaries need to be addressed. Why don't any of the solutions below add

investment. However, you can't deny that programs like EL learners do require extra money (rega

blic on the tax so do something about them. cost increase is zero since the funds would come out
disingenuous efforts to pretend to care what the public wants.

ents. A greater focus must be on the VAST majority of students who on in the middle and historical

TY FOR THE \$100 IS PAY THE TEACHERS AND THE REST WILL NATURALLY HAPPEN.
the classroom. West Virginia, Colorado and other states saw the dangers of not taking care of teach

ducation.

e the students at the elementary level so that they don't continue to be a disadvantage

it. This is irresponsible spending and managing of assets. This alone could make a significant dent i

w about providing support for teachers and for administration in dealing with behavior issues. The "

make ends meet. That they have all this stupid training that the district pays for that takes them ou

the general fund from which schools have to fight for needed dollars is one of the great bait and switch in subs in positions for months and/or years at a time because we recruit new talent, but can't support the WCSD.

Teachers' hands are tied and waste time and energy) needs to be improved. Be sure that the budget is not encouraging lower student engagement - such as the new attendance policy or requirements to reduce

for students.

6 class a day school and not the 3 class one day & 2 class day the next.

classroom - that undermines the parents and does nothing to teach the kids life lessons. Next, quit

what they are. The at risk kids and get them out of the mainstream where they sucking up teacher resources and kindness especially in the lower grades so that as it is inculcated (thank you, Mrs. Bush) children could cover theirs. Stop teaching in Spanish, part of being a legal citizen is already knowing how to read. District's job to ensure excellence in education? Why not prioritize THAT?

part for 90 mins a week (2 45 min sessions) yet the laptops are in horrible shape... if I'm lucky 20 are covered.

fundamentals, please.

district for better pay and benefits.

I like to see more education about dangers of vaping. Its practically a epidemic at my childs high sc

eeers. WCSD touts their minimal successes in the area of special education while in reality the entire

cuses tolerated!

rogram.) Also, spending money on laptops would be beneficial, much more so than copies, which

nts and teachers and schools. How about reducing the currently over-inflated compensation for so

' baby sitting behavior problem kids that don't want to be at school? I saw a principal, counselor and

it. Why are taxpayers funding this test for credit deficient students?

to take teachers out of classrooms to mentor 20 year veteran teachers,...not good. The morale of c
much and they are not educating our kids.
ie basics: reading, writing, math, science.
portation allotments, and special stipends.

whom try relentlessly to justify their positions.

chools are making due with what they have. You will see lower performance from the high achievin

be forced to pay. Reduce spending on buildings. You have specific money coming in for that.

ble to find qualified workers. Specific to academic growth, there should be more multilingual educati

"what sex are you".....the diversity. Do the first three I mentioned plus American history....civics....

ading, writing, arithmetic! History, science, too. Its a shame to see Nevada schools at the bottom of

- not a metric, not something abstracted in numbers. Seek out the abuse and corruption and put an
e have!! EVERY teacher, administrator, parent and aide needs to understand dyslexia for the differe

re impacted daily but this extremely large class. Student behavior, time management, organization,

sult, everyone suffers.

Is the Superintendent salary commensurate with the size of the District? We also need to eliminate

primary teachers/schools. This needs to be the number one focus.

often miss their scheduled block in the classroom due to testing and subbing in unfilled positions.

id as if the district is suggesting funds need to be pulled away from higher achieving schools. When

æe WCSD athletes who has a full time job. I would be scrambling to get my sons to their venues but
it implement the curriculum to benefit the students.

ive to see a banquet or even potluck where all volunteers are invited. It would be good to meet oth

more burdens on working parents. That was a horrible thing to cut to save money. Offering an addi

em and fear having to go to work and endure them each and every day. We are told this is becaus

mention is that if you cut all these instructional coach and professional development specialist positions to provide more opportunity for students. We haven't sanctioned a new sport in 30 years, and yet tl

e question below (#7) is a problem. We should not be taking resources away from higher performin

their classification of music and the arts as extracurricular activities based on federal legislation. and feel proud about it and letting the technical students get the mechanical education they need to s neous "administrator" positions in the district. Quit jumping on unproven educational initiatives and p egorization.

is. When we teach in college we are formally evaluated by students, peers and managers.

teachers. All schools deserve support for students' learning and education, not just low performing

assessment of school curriculum. My son tells me he has a high school class where they "literally de

teachers on merit...not tenure. The dysfunction of the WCSD is embarrassing.

ding for ILLEGAL Aliens.

re funding by "Head Count" WTF? Reduce the bloated Admin budget.

pay-to-play programs.

EASE STOP CUTTING TEACHER POSITIONS!!! And this is not just for "lower-rated" schools, but

' so our county can become an example for others to follow.

ave no classroom supplies. The bad perception of it also hurts any of your efforts to get more fund

MCC for students to go and get help. The centers need to have the availability of extended hours to

subject and should be listed under academic growth.
e intervention positions.

ools. We pay our middle management and upper management a large portion of our funds and they

Today's child needs the arts more than ever before. The same can be said for "vocational" classes,

al problems. Your school lunches are disgusting and full of chemicals and are not healthy at all. Ple

it for more than four years.

ada.

tc)

as well as a less hostile work environment for our principals. Publish that!

s that in the same budget as these other items? I thought building and maintenance as different tha

s are ruining the health of our nation.

ore and after school care programs are of the utmost importance to families trying to make it in this

effectiveness of programs. I would like to not hear about spending grants down, categories down w

well-rounded education is what our kids need.

on art and music.

nt. a lot of students work harder to keep their grades up in hopes of playing sports/music etc to be

ciologist for at risk students. Apparently that didn't go through. I think the school district should pursu
ents. Educators also need to keep up with curriculum and technology changes, and changing demo

lly ready for exams and college/life. Sure never did it for me when I was in school! We have commu

э). When children, and people in general, feel safe with their surroundings it's been shown to impro

terials stacked 2 feet high on the floor. Every inch of wall space has something taped to it, They are

th the school zoned for with side-walks or without having to cross a major road. Reno and Sparks :

s end. Otherwise, the example that's set by my hubby & myself as well is couch potato non-reality t

arter school rob you of funds...shame on you for that!!!!

chieving goals set with their administration on an annual basis. I'd like to see more well-rounded sp

how much money is being wasted? Honestly the district is a joke and how it spends it's money. Un
administration.

pulations with greater needs, such as ELL students.

out of whack if compared to CEOs of this region" and she is certainly correct about that. When has

d via an authorized reseller like CDW for example to warrantee the quality of the equipment purchas

nount of administrators and/or administrator pay. Why are those never options, yet reducing staff and leadership and this is precisely why. The fact that you do the surveys is a mystery to me since you

at the expense of make our children physically sick because they are stressed. Homework is out of

due to classroom size, etc. Thank goodness for the couple teachers that we've found (Charlie and

around schools to help with maintenance, creating safe and supportive environments, and well-rounded

students ideas other than college. Also, the CTEs need to practice Inclusion and recruit and accept m

ty. I believe that this would circle back into improved test scores and grades.
ve more hours with benefits.

g shortages and issues within the local economy.

ould have at least the same caliber of technology.

l education as peripheral and not at the core of educating our students as human beings with creati

as wait for support that comes too infrequently and then as they give up, their risk for failure/drop out

re eligible for bus transportation, they should be reduced.

1 the new Nick Poulakidas elementary school and Depoali Middle School near the busy South East

1 if a no bus school. Children in transition often do not have reliable transportation to get to and from

y since we are supposed to be working on our ranking as a district.

to on average of \$3000 at the end of the year motivated a lot of teachers to stay in the field.

ld also need to be considered. By increasing the number of teachers, the student/teacher ratios go

art and music. Personally, I'm a proponent of STEAM, not STEM. And moving ahead to my answer

adult who contributes to our community/city in other ways (Police Academy, Fire, Paramedic School) and have fun, NOT sit at a desk and be a sheep!!!!

makes falling asleep earlier difficult, if not impossible. Even more disturbingly, starting school at these times. All students have the right to participate in a well funded school. I would like to see that district

first: https://www.rockwellautomation.com/en_US/about-us/overview.page?pagetitle=STEM-Resources

Question 8, music is not "EXTRACURRICULAR". It is a core subject (graded as well) and should not be less important than Track and Field, and Cross Country. Healthy kids make for strong minds.

When I read this I consider finding another place to work, somewhere I can be appreciated for my experience.

ms. They are important, but not necessarily at the expense of CLS et al programs.

would be good to keep. Polymaths could potentially best able to bounce from one industry/position fo

district that you are in charge of running. Clearly from statistics and studies, Music and Art and rece

ed needed textbooks to students. I am from out of state, and can see clearly why WCSD has major

Our current budget basically covers Warehouse supplies, Custodial supplies, computer hardware,

that stay in the field with high evaluations.

try the task themselves. How to be professional in the work place. So many student enter the job n
y librarians for 30+ hours, but ETS is only funded at 21. Seems like the ETS (who is responsible to

given top notch schooling not to Mencken they have 3 d printers and laser cutters in shop which they

huge focus on credit attainment rather than actual learning. Also, there is no place to put this which

is in deficit. Why isn't the state and school district working together more, especially after the public is

moving into these buildings. It's ridiculous!

But it is rising. The latest study was published in April in the Journal of Developmental and Behavioral

Research, tangible, usable information that can be applied to real life. Workplace strategies, de-emphasizing

twice a week, this is more than library, computers or PE. Just the music program alone requires a

parents office

isn't it, not adversarial, avenues showing to the companies, politicians that this would benefit them even
quality of education for our students if we do not have qualified people teaching. What is left is the le

lay after school to connect with families, more time to spend leading extra-curricular programs, and

you are hoping to change don't add up. Those students will have to be in a class during that period

to take a more efficient approach to our English Learner services, expanding the Dual Language o

stemming bullying, suicide and school shootings.

s. I urge you to look for saving in area that do not further handicap teachers and administrators ability by taking funding. Find out what they are doing right and have them teach or show underperforming

schools than said schools had actually earned based on this "per-pupil funding model" set forth by the Federal

my classroom get ripped to shreds everyday by a child who should not be in there.

and one long break (summer) and otherwise were in class learning. The only interruptions were fire drills

etc, we want to be paid. We are educated, highly qualified, professionals; we deserve to be compensated.

Amplish here? The question, and this survey in general, are flawed to the point that I doubt the motivation.

classroom.

not suffer from charter school enrollment. 3) The Arts and Humanities are what make education work. I like the kids who have had a hard time or dealt with trauma I like the school work and curriculum but I do not like the way the program is run.

budget as well as the Department stays the same and does not grow with the needs of the District, the program is not sustainable.

raise funds for 1/2 salary of our IHS music teacher. Too little support is offered to the music program and the program is not sustainable.

for children.

id for. Fund programs that pay for themselves while allowing our students to cooperate in the real world.

Information from home on a home computer, phone, or library and we wouldn't need to be constantly running around the city yet don't make even \$100 a day.

even yoga, meditation, and mindset/SEL.

the children. I didn't see any options to reduce the upper administration costs on the "partial solution" that was presented.

ductive.

positive growth and development, leadership and teacher moral) are horrible and limit the ability for

knowledge of WORLD GEOGRAPHY, it is very much needed for the future generations to see the

to college but everyone will have to grow up and contribute to society. Prepare them to be good adults. Our tax money and still had a shortfall, we would be very supportive of ballot questions or legislation

standards and assessment. Teachers and Administrators need hands-on practice with in the moment

we CAN NOT live on these lower wages and reduced hours. Why do we not look at other areas such

noise level increases exponentially with a much greater chance of disciplinary issues. This makes sense when their parents should be taking care of that responsibility, or have a stricter guideline for eligibility.

Daily is a great help, need less suits walking around that never step into a classroom.

don't have enough focus, I would like to see more dance instruction classes as well. lessons. This especially holds true for the elementary teachers who have little to no opportunities

But salary of higher over paid administrative board members like superintendent, teachers do all the teaching profession. I know of at least 8 teachers considering leaving the profession including myself

But time you stop being top heavy, we don't need the number of administrators or their over inflated salaries

Those of us working directly with students.

bring the program into bragging status. Read about your CTE programs on your website. Then go

Irony abounds Make schools accountable for money spent on training for programs (SEL, MTSS, PBIS)

ing to educate students that no longer fit the old model.

k in the classroom and not the admin building. There are full time athletic directors out there that tea

ause the learning environment would improve drastically, and maybe the teacher shortage would im

udents need their services.

o system. This still affects funding for students.

ol transportation. This is an issue regarding safety and should be addressed.

ht now they're a complete waste of money.

duty pay, AP stipends, increased mandates that have nothing to do with what should be the prime d

at of the classrooms for professional development. Allow for consequences of the 1-3% of students

their done and it goes in the trash, one drink of milk and in the trash .

y advance to the next step within their grade each year, the step they were on is eliminated the folk
the lowest basic level. There is a group of students, those who are extremely smart but did not qua

ding. When all feeder schools are Title 1 but the high school is not then there is a problem with the r

utting down schools to remodel without impacting the students instead of just building new schools

is busy intersections (five lanes including the turn lane in our case), is a recipe for disaster.

: these students will have greater success on a whole than college grads deep in debt.

1 things they do need. Mentors, corporate community vocational training, and living independently. A

Secondly, I think students need to be taught the basics of managing their own personal finances. S

lls, not algebra. They need ton learn how to balance their bank statement, figure out interest rates o

ions. Most teachers are not trained to know how to deregulate a child and we need support in the cl
re not in a safe learning environment. Due to funding formulas, this is difficult but must be a priority.

/Washoe County and not contributing in the form of impact fees. These developments promote ecor

class sizes are detrimental to student and staff emotional health. As well as student academic grow

› kids need to be supported before we ask them why their homework is late and why they failed the

› the classroom at the end of the day). The district needs to cut class sizes and a lot of the other p

LDREN ARE OUR FUTURE not a bunch of stoners!!!!

schools should focus on learning what you need to be successful in life. Elementary kids do not ne

ching job in sped and this district only hires full time. That should be changed. Please get the sub pa

ring division in our society. Schools are responsible for keeping our children safe, and this is also a

difference.

ny life but WCSD where there is not a budget for this issue.

rell without the text books at least in the elementary level.

full time benefits to a part time employee. Decrease the pay for principals and vice principals.

urge the District and the Board to heed the public's feedback, and not engage in the same dismissi

ok.

ed on the districts proposed reduction list below that it DID NOT include reducing the number of adr

ren because this is b***** wherever the funding comes from for those buses should have been pr

s sizes should be smaller.

learning disabilities because she is so far behind. There is no consistency between any of the teac

the absentee rate has gone up without any concern from the leaders at WCSD.

able to exceed grade standards with differentiated learning! Right now my GT daughter spends hours supporting them. I know not all families would be able to do this but I strongly feel that whatever collection

es, schools that aren't falling apart, and the support our schools need, then that position doesn't de-

n necessary things for classrooms are wages for another teacher and school growth gone.

nce to the learning experience our kids currently have. The current wage for a teacher (even an ex

children would get free lunches, school supplies, waived athletic and band fees...and all i have to do i

referred a different school calendar than the one the districts ultimately selected.

he next school year depending upon state funding procedures and deadlines. This is an example u
/. Why would you do that? If my students are in a higher rated school in a decent area of town beca

se, one of those came from a fellow teacher.) Number 7 is already happening and not working in

ey are going. Also I wish we had physical education for the entire school.

e give our public sector employees. When a High School Chemistry teacher is compensated over \$

een the ones to teach and effect the education of the entire community.

care about special education staff and students. Give staff the training and tools they need to make

OWN MY SON!!!!!!

ie a warren of hiding places for projects the administrators want.
and while it won't cover shortfalls by any means, it absolutely ruins public perception. You're talking
nence at 9:00 and adjourn at 3:00.

zones in order reduce 'lower performing' schools as much as feasible.

: thing" means to self, others and community.... so many others subject and activity based issues.

ortive Environment might include free lunch, which I strongly care about. But it might include lots of

cher should need to use their own money to buy classroom supplies for students. Cut the budget b
d save the district money AND improve culture.

and acknowledge that we are not a world class school district, we are a loose coalition of disparate s
nd two weeks of Spring break are not needed. Go back to a more traditional schedule.

arlier that would actually work.

done, the WCSD will continue to graduate substandard students who are not college / career ready

it third ED for special ed. You are choking to death on useless no-job administrators.

e just going through the motions. We have tomorrow at highly paid administrators

ments, the description of allocation is misleading and not “descriptive” of what each category entails

ine it being managed responsibly by WCSD...probably bonuses for admin and no student support w
gets where recent development caused crowding to schools within those areas, did not plan extra fi

prohibitive. Cut from the top.

dress salaries, travel waste, car mileage, things that don't directly affect the classroom or student success

regardless of whether this is identified as a priority). Again, I feel that the priority based funding is a joke

of the new buildings tax.

Students have not been prepared to be successful adults (EX: high rate of remedial courses required in first

semesters. The community is tired of massive class size, massive waste at the administrative level and thousands

in the deficit.

"Dear Colleague" letter did a great deal of damage.

out of the classroom. For example the two day Microsoft training took our teachers out of the classroom

...ches of our time. Kind of like the California lottery revenues supposedly "handling" their education f
...ort them enough to retain them.

...ot top heavy on administrative positions etc. Eliminate waste(from keeping the heat and AC set too
...be assigned math homework.

...roviding everything in English and Spanish. You are not doing anyone from other wonderful culture
...sources and putting more kids who do want to succeed at risk. The kids in middle school and even
...ildren are respectful of others. This is not to say that what schools are meant for (learning and p
...ead and write English. Again not the taxpayers problem that they didn't come here correctly. Put sh

...ut of the 30 laptops on the cart work... their batteries are always dying. When my students have to

chool. Lung cancer is the number 1 leading cancer. These kids are being marketed to and there is

erty of the program is a joke and seriously lacks the support and funding needed to properly provide

h are almost (and sometimes just as) expensive as having digital copies available for students via k

me of WSCD's senior administrators/cutting staff at this level and funneling the funds into areas that

l two teachers follow a disruptive kid around a school for an hour. That comes out to over a thousar

classroom teachers has never been lower. It is no surprise the district is having trouble finding quali

g schools and that will hurt your graduation rates.

ion at all levels. It is common practice in a lot of countries to teach students multiple languages from

.geography. That is the job of the school system from k to 8th grade. The other stuff can come in l

the ranks. Stop moving students onto the next level and graduating if they can't read, write or count

end to it. Stop looking the other way and doing nothing to change it. And for all that's decent, insis
ence it is, not the disability they make it when uninformed.

individualized attention (remediation and enrichment), differentiation, providing feedback to individual

high salary administrators and teachers who failed at their jobs, but are transferred to other positions

in actuality, both the government and the State provide access to supplemental funding for low-achieving students

I understand that that's on me.

er volunteers to see what they are doing and work together. That way it is off the district. The way

tional alternative (maybe a paid bus route option would have been nice). I know many parents who

e 'all students need to learn.' which is true, but to make it safe, you need to fund hard fast placement

tions at the schools, you would STILL have enough teachers to continue teaching the same class s
he participation in other non sanctioned sports has grown dramatically while participation in tradition:

g schools and giving to lower performing schools. Nevada needs to change the law on how schools

ucceed. Don't believe me? Why don't you go look at Germany...
ilot programs that are poorly researched and poorly managed.

schools. I understand lower performing schools may need more support, but it shouldn't be at the e

o nothing" and he is getting a grade! This class did not even have a permanent teaching until 3 mor

for ALL schools.

ling.

o prevent time barriers.

y are not doing their jobs well. We need more people to solve more problems with smaller salaries to

which provide vital life and job skill development. *We MUST have top-quality professional couns

ase consider a plant based diet for the students as this is sometimes the only Meal they will eat. Yc

in teacher salaries and support.

; town. I am in a located in poorer area of Reno and we have no assistance. Maybe because they a

hile there is no money for other budget items.

successful and move on to college and also get scholarships to help them go to college to further tl

ie whatever grants may be available to assist students at lower-rated schools. Also, teachers kno
graphics. Funding must also address the need for educators to meet regularly to analyze data and

nity and family partnerships?!? In addition, with all the little psychos in this country a safe and supp

ve morale. In addition, offering more options (such as a wide variety of extra curricular/arts/etc proq

re completely cluttered, with wasted spending. When I went to school there was a chalkboard, ABC c

also has extremely high statistics of pedestrians being run over! Why would you put these kids at r

tv or gaming cuz it is hard to motivate oneself. I'm tired, I'm relaxing, I'm sick are too easily used for

ending on extra curriculum activities and not just on the "big 3" sports. Most clubs and activities are

til you clean house from top to bottom, nothing is going to change. All you do is put out these survey

a CEO's salary ever been determined solely by the size of the company? It never is. Their salary is

ed and perhaps a better price. To train personnel in how to use the technology tools they get and

nd services, both of which directly impact students, are always options?
u continually disregard the results. It seems a waste of time and resource - one of the few areas in

f control . . . 5 hours a night for middle school is too much.

Johnston at Damonte Ranch is one) that is willing to go above and beyond for him. -Food services:

nded student experiences.

more students with disabilities!

ve minds. I am aghast that this is being asked of us once again.

t increases. We must address the fact that schools like Traner and Vaughn and Hug face significant

connector at Veteran's Parkway, I am extremely concerned about children walking to and from school

school, more and more schools are becoming no bus schools, leaving children to have to change schools

down and teachers can pay more attention to each student's needs, achieving some of the above goals

er to the next question, #7, my opposition is because I've witnessed the donations and money that

ol...among other trade schools) many of these professions make more money than professions tha

hours has now been linked not only to widespread sleep deprivation but also to a host of physical,
wide, paid for by the schools. Hiring school social workers would be very advantageous as well,

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be lumped in with athletics, which is not, unless you are referring to P.E.

certise and the quality of my work.

or the entirety of their working lives.

ness and physical education are essential to a good education.

issues with quality of education when you look at these types of priorities, as compared to other st

printing, and some textbook support.

market for the first time and immediately end up on the bosses' bad side because they never learned support all of the required testing) should have a much higher number of hours.

y still have to offer along with a theater with higher tech equipment than pioneer theater does.

ich I find ironic. Upon reviewing the leadership team a total of 22 individuals (I did not include the cr

made it clear (with passage of the marijuana tax) we want our schools to be funded?

Pediatrics. Based on data collected from the National Survey of Children's Health for ages 6 to 17, i

izing phone and technology use that has now been linked to increased anxiety, depression, bullying

very large class space, ongoing re-purchasing of musical equipment and uses valuable academic t

entually would be a way to start. This survey is a good first step in terms of getting parents on you
ss qualified passing on their teachings to our students. Seasoned educators are leaving early as we

engage in community & family partnerships. We are the ones ACTUALLY making the difference- S

of the day. If you don't hire a music, art, or drama teacher you will have to hire another certified tea

pportunities throughout the district and capitalizing on the strengths of our ELs. This would reduce t

ity to deliver a quality education.

ing schools. I don't believe throwing money at a problem (meaning the underperforming schools) will

deral Department of Education. Based on this knowledge, not the “set-up wording” below, the District

drills and an occasional assembly. Field trips were to different places (not just Discovery Museum

nsated for our time.

tions of the people who created this survey.

orthwhile for many students. Indeed without them, our humanistic future is in jeopardy. 4) Computer
see a change is needed on teacher turn over.

it stays the same. The spending in this department has legitimate needs. The Coordinator in this of

n. For research on music and education: <https://nafme.org/nafme-research/>

al world adult economy and providing our community subsidized services like daycare, landscaping
eplacing the textbooks.

ons" below as a reduction.

students to learn.

US influence and potential in the world if it is to keep its leadership role. Please fund programs on hc

Its.

to change the funding formula. However, you aren't being smart with the money we give you - why

it coaching. Furthermore, the ARL program is not a good use of funds because you cannot teach s

1 as how much money is lost in Nutrition Services when there is a "two hour delay" called, and then

it much more difficult to teach.
gibility as I think this program is costly and is taken advantage of.

to pick up an extended job such as coaching etc. When will the district look around and start taking
e hard work for peanuts while high paid employees do nothing to help improve the quality of our sch
because we cannot survive on our current salaries. Things have to change.

salaries so start the budget cutting at the top! Parents and students deserve to have a choice of sc

visit them and ask the students and teachers what they think about what is offered to them. Probal

IS, ETC)

ach ZERO classes. They are a teaching allocation. This would reduce class sizes.

prove. There aren't ton of these habitually naughty kids, but they're bringing down the morale and e

irective of the district, educating students. The pay scale has repeatedly advanced the salary of fir

who disrupt the learning environment. Shift the responsibility for having school supplies and being p

owing year, creating pay inequity. Essentially the district is allowing more of a COLA than an actual i
alify for the gifted program who are going to miss out on opportunities because the schools are poor

ecording/tracking in this system.

; because we have money? In almost 20 years I do not remember us having a balanced budget or c

A test will not show that.

Specifically, the importance of avoiding most types of debt. Although this should be taught at home, i

n credit cards, count change, turn cups into pounds. Those are life skills.

classrooms to do this if you want high quality education and high quality educators.
Safety comes before learning.

omic growth but we can't build a self sufficient student body if we don't provide them good school

th. A literacy program that fosters a love for literacy with lots of real books provided to staff. Let's b

exam.

problems would be solved. It is not possible for teachers to assist student learning when they have 2

æed computers, ipads, and prometheus boards. Chalk worked fine for centuries. Middle school is jus

ay up to at least 115.00 dollars a day regardless of how many days you work. Also I took a long terr

an important consideration. Please leave all other teaching to the parents.

ive debacle as the school calendar survey!

ministrators or reducing their over the top salaries.

ioritized a little bit better and looked into a little bit more because everything is out of hand and things

hers or schools, I feel they have NO DIRECTION because they have NO GOOD LEADERSHIP.

spends a day tutoring the behavior problem kids in math and is not allowed to work ahead or do anything else. If such positions come this way would be a good amount to make school's financial condition better.

Teachers who serve to be paid 10% more than the average teacher who has to suffer the consequences of poor funding.

(perienced one with a master's degree) is ludicrous; particularly when they are expected to be resp

is be a liar. You rig the school system so the most unethical gain the most. After school enrollment,

ising Washoe County. Total Funding Received Per Student Number of Youth Reconnected in 20
use their parents work hard - why should they be punished for folks who choose not to be involved

either situation. You are not training your teacher well enough to use the technology they are given.

\$145,000 per year in addition to medical benefits, AND a defined pension plan,(Not to mention the ac

a difference.

, about cutting programming, and yet irresponsible spending is still occurring by the top officials. You'

f money for metal detectors, which I'm indifferent towards. If I were grading your survey categories

by reducing the number of "administrators." If they want the big money, let them go into private indus

schools- children come before politics or golden parachutes

for the future

s. They are very unclear of what they actually fund; as parents taking a survey that could potentiall

when we're ranked so low.

unding with developers, but got huge chunks of our tax revenue now. I say screw those schools. "

services??

because EVERYTHING is a priority and any argument could be made for any department or program

it year of college).

teachers working endless hours without respect. Get a clue!

om and all because Microsoft is pushing their product that your purchased that is not helping my kid

unding woes. Please correct me if I'm wrong. But, our politicians are just as sneaky as we think th

high or low, to some of the BS training that really does not make gains in the education of students.

is any good by keeping them from needing to learn our language. Increase meal prices and reduce

elementary who are repeatedly suspended or disciplined. They are disruptive to everyone and use
reparation for jobs) should be undermined. I care less about graduation rates and more about actu

op classes and home ec vack in the schools and stop teaching kids to be pussies. For proof of you

take MAPS tests or SBAC tests, computers die mid test!!! How can this considered a valid test!!??

a new product that is more lethal than cigarettes. They are getting them addicted young. Also a gro

for the students. I have already contacted a child advocate to see that these issues, which have be

aptops.

: directly benefit students and the people who instruct them?

nd dollars being wasted for a kid that doesn't even want to be there but knows how to manipulate the

fied teachers and assistants. We also need to fund special education programs better. The system

in an early age. It is long over due that we follow suit. In an increasingly interconnected world, we ca

high school.

t (without using their fingers or electronic devices). Let them earn their diplomas! Summer school, a

t we use the Marijuana money already. Don't just pass the buck and not take accountability. Insist

l students, grading papers, entering data, and building rapport (SEL) with students are all impacted.

ns in the District. If they are ineffective in one position, they need to be removed so their salaries ca

nieving schools. Lower performing schools receive extra funding from federal sources like Title I, a

/ I see it there will always be volunteers and the district and schools are always going to under app

would pay to have the buses back.

its and policies that teachers and students should not have to be captured in unsafe stressful envir

izes.

al sports such as football has dropped dramatically due to safety concerns. We need to support our

s are funded to receive some of the marijuana tax revenue so top performing schools can stay that

expense of higher performing school's funding. Higher performing schools already have parents fine

ths into the school year which was part of the problem. I would include staffing in this category. Q

o accomplish the need for more people. Our business plan is imbalanced and a joke. We need to re-

elors, providing group and individual emotional counseling on each campus. When the only way to

ou feed trashy processed food then complain of obesity in students and it begins at serving plants fi

is assume parents dont work? because damonte ranch has the program available to them. It's not allo

their career choices. I believe that we need to watch our teachers more stringently on how they tea

ow when their student needs extra help because they are failing, so instead of being angry towards t
work collaboratively. This priority aligns with Goal 2 of the Strategic Plan, Envision WCSD 2020. No

ortive environment should always be #1 priority! School needs to be something these kids enjoy so

grams) for children and young adults to learn more about who they are, what they can do as a pers

chart, one bulletin board, our text books (reading, english, math, and writing) and a teacher/respecte

isk? These kids cannot drive themselves to school and Reno roads are very congested as it is. T

the reason of growing roots into the furniture. Reality is challenging sometimes and it's far less stre

eady have parental financial commitments, however if your child participates in a sport other than fo

/s and ignore the results. You never fix the problems. If the public only knew what really goes on in

and position correlates directly to the PERFORMANCE of the business. WCSD's decision to bas

d get a better ROI on the technology the district already spent money on.

which this district shows a skill set. And why was cutting top salaries or benefits not an option???

The students deserve edible lunch options from the school. Not prison food.

ntly greater rates of burn out for teachers and chronic absenteeism for learners. We cannot keep fu

ool here. We have horses that are killed crossing this street, how much more risk for a child half th

schools if they cannot get to their school of origin.

priorities, rather than introducing more programs that the same number of teachers and administrat

PTAs of higher-rated schools contribute. ... Those contributions are to make up for the lack of fund

t require a college degree (teaching, for example). I can list a LARGE number of people without a co

psychological, and educational problems. The disadvantages of the early start times is nontrivial. I
to ensure students success.

ates and how they fund education.

I to be on time or to follow instructions or to do simple things for themselves. Self reliance. Definding

chief of school police in this figure) I found that their collective yearly salaries and benefits total over \$

researchers found a 20 percent increase in diagnoses of anxiety between 2007 and 2012" Perhaps

and a decrease in personal coping skills. An emphasis on actual family engagement v. family comr

time. This large classroom space would be better used on focused academics such as specialized

ir side. We will need all stakeholders. Please know that I support increased safety (education, gate
all.

SUPPORT US.

acher. Many arts teachers easily fit more than the typical class size into each period so you may ha

he need of EL specific teachers because those services would be provided by the bilingual, ESL-tra

I fix there test scores. We need to look at parent involvement , emotional baggage, and other factors

ct already has set a precedence for re-allocating funds to “more needy” schools 😡😡😡

each year). There was much less pressure to teach toward tests. My son has been stressed to t

rs, IPADs in every classroom is a waste of resource. Firstly, many teachers to not use them enough

fice has so many responsibilities that are valued and needed. 2 Administrators who can make decis

l, construction, homeless care, vehicle repair, graphic design, and environmental management. I

ow to make students believe in themselves and their ideas and how to do their own BUSINESS. The

r would we give you more?

omeone how to be an effective teacher in an accelerated model. If nothing else, we need to extend

after breakfast is prepped another decision is called to close school for the day? Cutting wages and

g better care of their teachers. With out them where would WCSD be? It's also time to help the schools. Those funds could have a huge impact on our over crowding community.

schools and if that is a charter or private school they should NOT also have to pay to support a public

bly won't align with what is written about most of your programs. Talk is cheap. Stop hiring administ

education in schools daily and need to be dealt with!

st year teachers while neglecting the efforts of veteran teachers. I have yet to talk to a teacher that

prepared to learn back to the students and/or families. Eliminate the ridiculous amount of "paper pu

merit and it's despicable. Whoever negotiated on behalf of the school district made a fiscally clever i
r and underfunded.

our graduation rate being above 48 but we continue to spend and grow more and more. We have ac

t is not, so I think the school district needs to take a role in this education.

ing . We need more schools and better student-teacher ratios. They legalized marijuana, they are

be more transparent and honest to the public that large classes and overcrowded schools are detrimen

205 kids. Too much quantity over quality.

st babysitting until the kids get through puberty. Finally in high school, if you are lucky enough to be

n sub assignment and for the little extra money, it is not worth the work load. We do not get any head

; are completely unorganized and unorthodoxthank you for hopefully reading what I have written do

g that enriches her love or learning of math. She WASTES HER TIME not learning anything that cha

unding decision making.

onsible for our next generation of leaders. The teachers in Washoe County (and perhaps nation-wi

parents tap into TANF, getting free food, housing, clothing allowances, free everything because the

2016-2017 Year Yearly Revenue Generated \$9,896.00 437 \$4,324,552.00 Yearly Revenue Gener:
or work hard? There ARE legitimate cases of need - many are not true cases of need though - how

(actual days worked in a given year) it is difficult to justify to a community who's median household inc

Il never have the public on board with more funding until you address these types of issues.

, I would award your effort a D. Not an entire failure, but you don't actually explain your categories

;try and earn it there.

y impact decisions, it would be in everyone's best interest to actually name the programs. I unders

They have enough. Put major budget now into older schools not affected by developed explosion 1

am to fit into one of the areas identified in the strategic plan.

Is one bit. I have a product you can buy if you are not going to use it and paying me for it. The safe

ey are.

Music, art and especially PE soups get more funding, but again only so much money.

the number of families that qualify for reduced or free lunches. These programs are not free...obvi

up a disproportionate amount of teacher and admin time to the detriment of other students. Quit trying
al learning; less about testing and more about applying learning; less about acceptance and more a
ir failures, look know further than the millennial generation. Kastly FIRE Tracy Davis and get a leader

Then those poor scores go against me as a teacher.

oup of students at Pine came up with the concept that would have saved the district thousands by s

een going on for a minimum of 3 years, get addressed and the public becomes aware of the school

e system. What is the alternative for the many kids like that that disrupt teaching for the majority? L

It will stay broken if we don't meet the needs of our most vulnerable students.

We cannot afford to have our youth at a disadvantage to their multilingual peers overseas. Also, programs

after school tutoring, extra credit work. And NO sports, extra curriculum activities, clubs - whatever it takes for academic excellence. The fact that families have to fund a PE teacher is not good and should not be considered.

All of these elements that create a successful student and school are impacted by this unmanageable situation.

in be allocated to performers.

nd state funds like Victory.

preciate them just like parents and the district under appreciate teachers and staff. However, they

onments caused by unsafe students. We need more classes that can support violent mean studen

r students and fund sports that will keep them engaged in school.

way and lower performing schools can improve.

ancing the basics for our students in learning. It would be a shame to have to ask them to give even

uality teachers with manageable classroom sizes. I am not opposed to teacher "helpers" or studen

vamp our business model to support our schools better. Not middle and upper management salarie

help a child with emotional difficulties is to send them to the office for disciplinary action or call CPS,

or lunch not pizza, pancakes, syrup, hotdogs, muffins and I could go on and on with your junk food.

cated fairly at all.

ch, many seem to just throw the book to the kids and expect them to teach themselves and this is r

the student and ignoring them (which seems to happen with my child), they need to be able to take 1
te, the addition of professional learning should not be confused with promoting badge attainment and

that they actually want to do something important in life!

on, and what they can do to express themselves -especially in schools where self expression is pc

ed adult. And 99.9% of us graduated from H.S., go figure...

he district is making life very hard for low to middle-class families who are already struggling. The c

ssful living in a virtual world. I'm 45+ but I was provided both school (non-recess) exercise & parent

otball (as an example) the club pays to use the fields and lights. Why? If one activity has to pay, all

the district, they would be appalled. Between the bullying, the lawsuits, harassment, coverups, and

e Ms. Davis' salary solely on the relative size of other districts nationally, rather than on the district's

That would have been my first choice, for the record.

unding and staffing these schools in the same way we fund and staff affluent schools. Our learners

e size of a horse? It would be great if bus transportation could be made available to the children in t

ors need to figure out how to add to their workload and track.

ing. It wouldn't be fair to move money from one school to another.

ollege degree but who have a trade school background who make more money than those with coll

Disadvantages include increased likelihood of being overweight, less physically active, depressed,

the better performing schools is a serious mistake. Figure out how to improve the failing schools ar

\$3.5 million dollars. That is not even counting the support staff or other district expenses to maintain

, reducing the caseload for school counselors and increased SEL programming should also be a pr

munication which doesn't seek to listen to or accommodate families, but only to communicate Count

I math and reading counselors to ensure the children meet "read by 3". If the district were to elimin

as, metal detectors, red flags for students with threats/etc) but NOT guns in schools. That'd put our

ave to hire 2 teachers to cover the one arts teacher.

ained classroom teacher. If the program is well-implemented (meaning supported by the district with

s. Education is not a one size fits all. Not every child is going to be at the top of there class. We nee

he point of tears over the MAP tests, and he's only in second grade. The pressure put on our child

gh nor effectively enough to warrant the expense. Secondly, in order to keep up with current techn
ions (Not 1 Administrator and 1 Teacher allocation) should be in this office to share the load. It is av

Fund programs that educate students with grit and academics while saving money elsewhere, such

the future of education through university looks bleak with so much expense and although a degree is

our teacher prep model. School administrators know that if they hire someone from the ARL progra

and increasing benefit costs to the ESP employees is not the answer. It is unfair. How about eliminatin

hools that have poor administrators. Why is it the some schools are "stuck" with administrators tha

c school system that is FAILIING because bureaucrats want to keep their high paying jobs. I am tir

rators. Your biggest waste of money! Also since you give no other space for comment below, how

finds Instructional Coaches helpful, they all just wonder what they do besides make themselves rel

shing" that duplicates electronic data to reduce impact on office staff.

move, but one that is unethically sound. Teachers who have whatever level of experience should be

Added 2 carpenters in 19 years and no other maintenance staff to support this monster, please stop

building a new stadium, etc. and they need to increase our public services proportionally.

mental to our children. More outreach to parents in the importance of teaching language and disconr

zoned to a school of value, like Galena, as opposed to one for "performing arts" like Damonte, you

alth benefits so make our pay a little higher. I am new to this district and numerous subs have alreac

wn and I'm sure I am not the only parent out there who is unnerved by this dumb decision

llenges her. Your GT program is completely inadequate.

de?) are grossly underpaid.

y need to keep their children in the same school...you're nothing more than a gateway to benefits with

ated = Number of Youth Reconnected x Total Funding Received Per Student Improve your school
v will you filter those that really need help from those that choose not to help themselves.

ome is less than \$55,000 per year that they NEED more money. This only gets worse when factors

very well at all. You need either more granularity in your categories, or better explanation of what tr

tand meeting the requirements and reading level of the community; however, details are imparative

0-14 years ago. from now on, force the state to force developers to pay their share into the develo

Environment should come out of the WC1 funding from 2019 that was approved. I am shocked that

ously we are paying for it! Develop real needs based tools to determine if families should qualify the
g to make them pass for graduation rate that means nothing because they are passed to get them c
bout respect.

that can lead. She Sucks, you even know she sucks and had to change the wording of her evaluat

aving on electricity. I think the district needs to re-look at that. The specialised High school progra

districts shortcomings. Mi ind you while my child is being tossed aside our wonderful superintenden

.ook at Santa Clara and what they have done. Don't hamstring the teachers and add that onto their

ns such as music, art, and other extra-curricular classes should not be disregarded as a luxury. M

- until they can pass their courses honestly! Recognize those students who work hard!!

sidered normal or acceptable. Its an embarrassment and a shame for such rich country as ours.

ble class size. It is extremely frustrating to know that our schools rating is effected by student grow

will still be there because like teachers that isn't the reason why they do what they do. So I would li

its. We need funding decision makers to have to read the major write ups that teachers write up in li

more. Maintenance of schools is on here, but I thought that was funded with the new tax we passe

it interns to assist the core staff.

s. We can't even begin to address the needs of our schools while people who do not or can't manage

there's something wrong with our system. Too many kids are falling through the holes in our safety

Kids need a plant based diet to reduce heart disease, diabetes, high blood pressure, and high chol

not the way for our students to learn properly. Teachers that are hands on and very involved in tea

the time for intervention. I don't know where this would fit in for a budget priority. Unfortunately, I g
d advancement or "ladder-climbing" opportunities. The focus on professional learning needs to be o

portrayed as unimportant - not only helps them to grow as a person but also helps keep their interest

decision to increase walk zones for young children is a shameful decision that the district should re-

ts that were both full time, educated & had high stress jobs yet they were able to let me have ice skat

should.

treatment of teachers there is no hope!

s actual performance, is disheartening and a complete disservice to the children and families in our

deserve more from us as their advocates.

this Southeast Reno neighborhood as I am very concerned about the risk of injury or death of these

age degrees. It is not all about the money or the degree, but about creating children who are well ro

and poor academic performance. If we can figure out a way to shift Elementary to the earlier start ti

rd actually speak to staff as to what would help them perform better. Too often only the senior peop

their positions. Removing these positions will clear up the budget deficit of \$2.4 million and give a \$

priority.

ty policies, which may or may not be pertinent or important to families. Reduction in administration :

rate extra-curricular sports for middle and high school such as football, basketball, cheerleading, sv

children at increased risk.

allocations, program design, and training), those EL students would end up out-performing their mc

d to fund from the bottom up, meaning students, then teachers, then administrative.

ren to get good MAP scores is over-the-top. I'd recommend speaking with local business owners

ology, one must constantly replace the devices, leading to an enormous expense. 5) If lunch and b

efully difficult for 1 person to delve into responsibilities when that one person can be spread so thin :

as replacing some WCSD jobs with student interns who earn credit through filing, scanning, shred

very useful, kids need to believe in their own new ideas.

m, the school will have to use it's own funds to properly train the teacher in understanding standard

g the cash awards that are given to employees for example "Principal of the Year". Three years ago

it shouldn't be in any schools?

ed of having to be my child's teacher on top of my own full-time job because I believe they need to l

can you guys suggest reduction in school maintenance to balance the budget when you got the tax

levant on paper. We have vacant teacher positions, yet we are paying listened teachers to do jobs (

ə compensated with such pay step so that equity may be restored.

and listen. If we are unable to balance our budget now how will we ever get this done going down ou

recting from technology. More support for staff for tough behavior challenges.

may be able to get some education that is useful. But I challenge you to find even 10% of students \

ly warned me about taking a long term sub assignment, where you have to do lesson plans, grades

rich dont include good academics for the real children of Washoe County. 49th in the nation rank - r

ols and families will come! Dynamic leaders, teachers, and students should be celebrated, not mar

ng the Administrators that receive even more and don't directly teach any classes. When WCSD ru

hey include. I sincerely hope you didn't pay a consultant for this. If you did, please ask for a refund

in decision making. Please pay attention and not lose sight of your students that have potential to s

ped areas affecting schools! That or kick the assholes out.

: this is even a question.

at looks deeper than just income. Are they driving a nicer car than those of us who PAY for our kids'

out of a teacher's classroom and they become next year's problem. When you can address this yo

tion so it did not sound so bad. Send her back to Vegas. Always puzzled why a person from the wo

m needs to be re-evaluated. If you research other specialised programs across america - you only

it is given a stipend for a car because she is too good for a county vehicle, gets a massive salary (1

over burdened plate also. Find a solution.

usic, art, and sports bring about many indirect benefits (creative and innovative problem solving, hc

th. I have the difficult (some days feeling nearly impossible) of making all of these students show SI

ke to see a collaborative approach to volunteers but not at more expense that takes away from the

nfinite Campus, and then to have to statistically follow up on what happens when teachers write up i

d.

ge and support our schools. Our bleeding money problems aren't going to be solved by doing more

/ net!

esterol, and obesity. Don't ignore the massive problems and the responses you get. We are not a p

aching their students have kids that are more well rounded and ready to move on to college and life

uess they don't have the time as they too have so many students. My child failed her entire freshman
n strengthening teachers in the classroom who work most closely with students. High quality teach

in school. Which, in turn, also helps the graduation rate.

consider.

ating lessons, gymnastics, music classes & outdoor play cuz I had to get off the “boob tube” & go s

community. The very community the WCSD Board and Ms. Davis allegedly care so much about.

» students. I would like to see more funding for programs/support staff for children with dyslexia/di

unded and children who know what they want to do with their lives. Currently our schools do not foc

ime and still use the same buses (to save money), we'll already be improving at least 4 of the 5 prio

le in the school are spoken to. Why not ask the teachers or even students what would help perform

1.1 million dollar surplus. The district can reallocate this surplus of money to pay stipends to a com

salaries, benefits, personnel and perks. Increase in front line teachers and counselors, many less

imming, tennis, volleyball, golf, etc.. I suspect there would be less conflict and bullying between stu

monolingual peers by the time they graduate high school. They would graduate bilingual, biliterate, and

. You could consider to have a contest with the UNR Business School on how they'd run the District

breakfast is going to be offered in a school cafeteria, let's actually invest in real food with actual nutri

as this position is a 24 hour/7 days a week job. The time spent at night and weekends supporting ar

ding, etc. Outsource the Special Education Department whose bureaucracy and waste and inep

s, assessment, and highly effective instructional practices.

o the Principal at Galena won three awards and each award was worth five thousand dollars each.

know how to spell and count back change before age 18.

κ payers to approve a tax hike for school improvements and construction of new schools. You must

outside of the classroom? That would be a good place to start. Taking money from employees right

ir current path?

who use trigonometry in their daily life as adults. How about making a curriculum that reflects things

, parent responses, and attend IEPs and the pay is only 121 a day.

ny children have classes that consists of web tedts from home because yoyr staff is too lazy to tea

iginalized. Interim assessments for high school students should be taking place- and is not! Too i

.uns their business with the same fiscal restraints and responsibility as private sector companies, I v

succeed.

s meals. Do they have a nicer phone than those of us who PAY for our kids meals...etc. Decrease

u will finally see greater results in the district.

rst district in the country was hired. That is baffling! Obviously it doesn't work in the private sector, I

get admitted to these programs based on high nationally rated test scores or talent. You need to op

which has never been put up for discussion to be lowered to help our struggling district, lead by exa

ow to work on a team, and an extra incentive to actually show up to school, just to name a few). Plu

3AC growth while trying to meet their individual academic and emotional needs. These large class s

classroom. Provide the place and opportunity and the r

unsafe mean students. They will see what happens is nothing. The student

of the same. We need to re-evaluate our business and management plan of how we support ou

rawn in this. You don't spend money on staff and health you should

more easily.

ian year and has failed the first semester of her sophomore y
ers, with similar (minimum) skill sets, should be a guarantee for every student.

ee/do/relate & learn. I'm on disability & hubby only in

fficulty reading. I am appreciative of the assistance from support st

ous enough time or money on creating well rounded children who will become adults in

rities identified above. At the very least a subcommittee

ance. How about some innovatio. To some of the problems? Im sure there are man

mittee of principals which will t

administrators making over \$200k, a % cap on what administrato

idents without the popularity contests and social stigmas associ

I college and career ready. THAT would save a TON of money in the long run.

ct more like a business. I see a lot of areas the District has changed in

tion. Though the food program was overhauled almost a

nd working with schools is unbelievably challenging, especially for

titude drag down the entire school district's financial efficiency. There are so m

that 15 thousand dollars is more than half of a school bus drivers total yearly incom

st think people aren't paying attention. Stop the nonsense! That is if you read any

t hand to put in in their left hand, or better yet someone else's hand, is a

people actually ought to know, like the why of history, instead o

ich- three classes watch movies. Dont get me started on your patheti

many big-headed, power hungry people, who do not care about students work in the cent

vill be first "on-board" to help them raise proper funding to educate our children if

we pay for top administrators! There is NOTHING that these top administr

but that's another story. Basically make due and quit whining a

pen it up to the best and brightest for each category regardless of

imple) but she doesnt really live here, our district isnt even good eno

is, to steal a line from the movie Mr. Holland's Opus

izes are awful- I don't know how else to say it. I would love f