

Clark County School District Cognia System Accreditation Recognition

Purpose

The Clark County School District (District) is proud to announce it has earned accreditation by Cognia, a nonprofit organization that provides quality assurance for schools, school districts, and education service providers. Cognia's global network of educators is dedicated to improving educational opportunities for all learners. This accreditation culminates two years of student, program, and organizational evaluations.

Action Requested: Add Cognia Accreditation Seal to School Website

Please feel free to proudly display your accreditation status by adding the official Cognia accreditation seal to your website using one of the files below:

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Reminders:

- The provided seal displays your recognition by Cognia; use of the company logo apart from the seal is strictly prohibited.
- The Cognia seal should be used exactly as it appears and not modified in any way. The entire seal should be reduced or enlarged as a single unit so that the proportions are not altered and the integrity of the image is preserved.
- The type and symbol elements should always appear together and never alone.
- Include a link back to the Cognia website at <https://www.cognia.org>, along with the seal.

Additional Information

The District utilized a team approach throughout the accreditation process. During the 2024–2025 school year, the System Accreditation Steering Committee spent dedicated time visiting 140 classrooms and analyzed and summarized student performance data, District processes, and stakeholder feedback. Findings were utilized to engage in a comprehensive self-assessment of Cognia's rigorous 30 Performance Standards of high-quality teaching and learning and overall organizational effectiveness. Thirty-eight schools and three early learning centers across the District were visited by the Cognia team during the review, which allowed leaders to highlight the implementation of District structures and systems.

Cognia nationally recognizes schools and districts that meet rigorous standards focused on engaging learning environments, equitable resource allocation that meets the needs of the learners, and effective leadership. Earning accreditation from the Cognia Global Commission means that all schools and early learning centers within the District are accredited and that the District is recognized across the nation as a school district that meets Cognia's Performance Standards and maintains a commitment to continuous improvement.

Contact Information

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