



NEVADA PRINCIPALS AND ADMINISTRATORS, Nevada ranks worst among all 50 states in the percentage of teens who are high school dropouts, the percentage of teens not attending school and not working AND the percentage of young adults enrolled in or graduated from college. Every administrator wants each student under their guidance to have a successful life and avoid becoming a negative statistic. Your individual involvement in our children's educational career is vital to their achievement. Here are ways that you can help your students thrive.

- Participate in the Ready for Life movement by learning to recognize indicators in students that are at risk of dropping out.
- Be vocal. Talk to members of the community, elected officials and others about the challenges facing youth and discuss real solutions.
- Encourage parental involvement by building a collaborative relationship between parents, teachers and students from the start.
- Celebrate different learning styles to help students understand that they each have unique ways in which they will find success.
- Provide a safe classroom environment by respecting your students and simply showing that you care about their success.
- Offer programs that encourage career education, workforce readiness, conflict resolution and violence prevention.
- Provide service learning: Connect community service projects with classroom learning.