



# CLARK COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT NEWS RELEASE

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## ***Elizondo Elementary School will receive a special delivery Local business steps up to help school offset the impact of budget cuts***

**Las Vegas** – Statewide budget cuts have reduced the funding for school supplies, so representatives from one Las Vegas business have stepped up to provide assistance for the staff and students at Elizondo Elementary School.

On Tuesday, August 19, at 11:30 a.m., local employees from Expedia.com will visit the school to deliver a variety of school supplies that they have collected. The donation is the result of Expedia.com being matched with Elizondo Elementary School through the Clark County School District's Focus School program, which is coordinated through the Partnership Office.

The Focus School Project matches Clark County schools with business, organizations, agencies, and individuals to bring needed resources to students. The project, which began in 1989, is an important part of the district's School-Community Partnership Program. The Focus School Project participants build programs based on the partnership mission, which is to "Unify business and community resources to enhance the educational experience."

Businesses and individuals, who would like to become a community partner or learn more about the Focus School Project, should contact Beverly Mason with the Partnership Office at 799-6560. For more information about the Clark County School District, visit [www.ccsd.net](http://www.ccsd.net).

*(Media note: Cathy Rankin from Expedia.com and School Principal Alyson Jones will be available for interviews at the time of delivery.)*

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