



CLARK COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT NEWS RELEASE

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE
Dave Sheehan, 799-5304

August 21, 2009

Sunrise Mountain High School to celebrate its opening *Ribbon cutting ceremony to be held Saturday morning*

LAS VEGAS – One of Clark County’s newest high schools will hold a ribbon-cutting ceremony Saturday, August 22, at 10 a.m. With the addition of Sunrise Mountain High School, as well as two new Career and Technical Academies, the Clark County School District (CCSD) will have a roster of 48 high schools for the 2009-2010 school year.

Located at 2575 Los Feliz Street in Las Vegas (near Carey and Hollywood), Sunrise Mountain High School is one of seven new schools that CCSD will open for the 2009-2010 school year. The school anticipates an enrollment of approximately 1,650 students.

District officials, local and state leaders, and special invited guests will be among those in attendance at the Saturday event. Principal John Barlow said, “We’ve been waiting for this occasion to celebrate the opening of a beautiful education facility on Sunrise Mountain. This school is an asset not only to students and staff but also to the local community.” Sunrise is a comprehensive high school with an emphasis on science and technology.

Barlow said those who attend the ceremony also can tour the 333,654-square-foot school, visit a variety of vendor booths, purchase student attire and enjoy a pizza lunch. Proceeds will benefit the Sunrise Mountain High School Student Council.

For more information about the Clark County School District, visit www.ccsd.net.

###