



# NEVADA PROMISE SCHOLARSHIP

## CSN Nevada Promise Newsletter New Applicants - May 2020 (1)

### ATTENTION

As of March 18, all CSN campuses and learning centers are closed. Courses and student services are being delivered remotely. Visit [www.csn.edu/coronavirus](http://www.csn.edu/coronavirus) for updated links to important community and academic resources for students.



## Stay Connected: CSN & Campus Life

### Instagram



Connect with CSN and Your CSN Campus via IG

Don't miss out on important student information and events!

CSNCoyote

CSNHenderson

CSNCharleston

CSNNLV

**Nevada Promise will be featured on the CSN Coyote Fireside Chat on Wednesday, May 6 at 12:20 p.m. Tune in to CSNNLV on Instagram for questions and updates.**

### Coyote Fireside Chat - Live via IG

Check out the Coyote Fireside Chat Schedule for Upcoming Guests and Topics! Tune in on Mondays & Wednesdays at 12:30 pm.

CSNNLV

*Wednesday, May 6: Nevada Promise*

## **CSNHENDERSON**

Monday, May 4: Centers for Academic Success

Wednesday, May 13: Automotive Technology Program

## **CSNCHARLESTON**

Monday, May 11: NSHE Chancellor Reilly

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# **Community Service**

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[Promise Community Service Form](#)

[Promise Community Service Page](#)



## **Virtual Community Service Opportunities**

### **Opportunity Village Virtual Opportunity**

Social Media Advocacy; Fundraising Campaigns; Research Opportunities; Share an OV story; Card decorating\* Application is required prior to completing service hours.

### **Support a Senior Las Vegas Virtual Opportunity**

Interact with seniors in Las Vegas.\* Application is required prior to completing service hours.

### **Call to Care Virtual Opportunity**

Interact with seniors via text, phone and video conference\* Application is required prior to completing service hours.

### **CHD – Adopt a Grandparent Virtual Opportunity**

Connect with seniors in a senior living home via phone, video, and email\* Application is required prior to completing service hours.

### **Librivox Virtual Opportunity**

Read audio books for the Free Public Domain.

### **Smithsonian Digital Volunteers Virtual Opportunity**

Volunteer to transcribe historic documents and collection records to facilitate research and excite learning.

## Volunteer Match Virtual Opportunities and In-Person Opportunities\*

Must create account prior to completing service hours.

### Online Volunteering Virtual Opportunity

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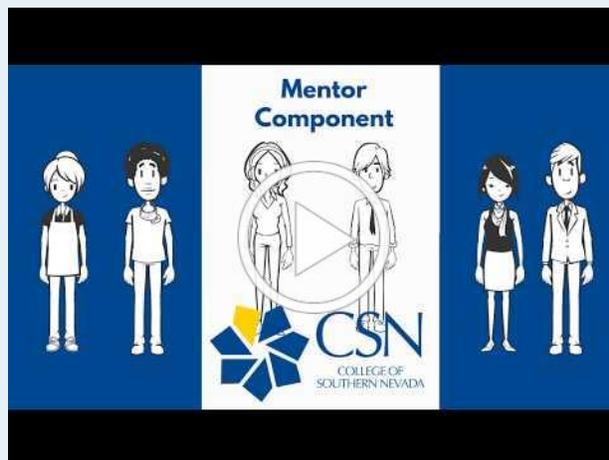
## Mentoring

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### Mentor Training (Students)

As indicated on the Parent/Guardian Mentor Authorization form, under question 6, students are expected to watch the Mentor Training Video. The video outlines expectations for both the student and the mentor to report completion of the requirement and to build a professional relationship.

**Due to recent changes, in-person mentor meetings will no longer take place. Students and Mentors can meet by phone, via email, or communicate virtually.**



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## Suggested Topics of Conversation

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### **TED Talk: Grit: the power of passion and perseverance | Angela Lee Duckworth**

Leaving a high-flying job in consulting, Angela Lee Duckworth took a job teaching math to seventh graders in a New York public school. She quickly realized that IQ wasn't the only thing separating the successful students from those who struggled. Here, she explains her theory of "grit" as a predictor of success.

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### **Why Mindfulness is a Superpower: An Animation**

Practicing mindfulness is one of the single most powerful things you can do for your well-being.



# Nevada Promise Applicant Eligibility



## New Applicant Eligibility Requirements

The Nevada Promise Scholarship requirements and expectations for New Applicants are outlined in this video. For more details or information, please review the [Nevada Promise New Applicant page](#).

## Nevada Promise Updates

### June 1, 2020 Deadline

#### New Applicants

- After submitting the **FAFSA** and if selected for **additional verification**, contact the **CSN Financial Aid Office** to determine if any additional documentation is needed.
- Complete and submit eight hours of **community service** on or before June 1, 2020. For more information visit: **Promise Community Service**.
- Participate in one mentor activity on or before June 1, 2020.
  - Students will be notified of their mentor match via email.

#### **Mentoring Requirement - Matching Details**

CSN Nevada Promise will begin to match students with mentors once the following are completed:

- Completion of March 1 Requirements
- Reported at least four (4) of the required eight (8) hours of community service.
- The **Parent/Guardian Authorization for Mentoring Support** form is required to match you with a mentor. **The Parent/Guardian Authorization for Mentoring Support can now be completed electronically.**

## Eligibility Requirement Reminder

**Applicants must have obtained a high school diploma:**

- From a public or private high school located in Nevada, or
- From a public or private high school in a county of another state that borders Nevada and accepts Nevada residents, or
- General Equivalency Diploma (GED) or High School Equivalency Test (HiSET)
  - Have successfully completed the high school equivalency assessment before the age of 20 by July.

**Promise Parent/Guardian Mentoring  
Authorization Form**

**Promise Community Service Form**

## CSN Campus Resources

**President's Virtual Town Halls**

Join us for our series of Virtual Town Halls to receive the latest updates from CSN Leadership and pose your questions.

### **Upcoming WebEx Schedule**

Tuesday, May 5: 1 p.m.

Visit [www.csn.edu/townhall-student](http://www.csn.edu/townhall-student) for meeting links and call-in information.

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### **CSN Financial Aid Online**

Options are available to meet with a Financial Aid representative. Please remember that you will be required to show a valid federal or state photo ID that we can view through your camera for any discussions regarding your financial aid file.

Wait times may vary to meet with a Financial Aid representative. By submitting the FA Online Request, you are sending a request to meet as soon as possible. Our virtual hours are 8 am to 4 pm Monday through Friday. Any requests sent after 4 pm cannot be accommodated and you will NOT receive a response from our office (we accept only same day appointments). If all appointments have been filled and we can no longer accept appointments PRIOR to 4 pm, you will receive a reply declining your request.

CSN uses WebEx Meetings (a video conferencing tool that allows our staff to meet you online). It is a great way to meet face-to-face and you can utilize it both as a desktop or mobile application. Please [download the Webex Meetings app](#) that fits your needs.

Please click [FA Online Request](#) to request an online appointment with a financial aid representative. [Financial aid staff is available by email](#) and by phone during regular business hours, Monday through Friday from 8 am to 5 pm at 702.651.4303. Some of your questions may be answered in our [online FAQs](#).

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