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Media Advisory (Aug. 17, 2017)

Elementary Students Start the School Year by Viewing Solar Eclipse

WHAT: Elementary students in Carson City will all have the opportunity to view the solar eclipse on their first day of school Monday, Aug. 21. The Carson City School District purchased viewing glasses for all elementary students to safely see and experience this natural and scientific wonder of our solar system.

Photographers are invited to join the experience with one of the classrooms at Al Seeliger Elementary School. Students and educators will be available for comment.

Additionally, reporters and photographers are welcome to talk to students and administrators about the first day of school.

WHEN: Monday, Aug. 21, 2017, 10:00 – 10:30 a.m.

WHERE: Miss. Coco Graham's class, Al Seeliger Elementary School, 2800 South Saliman Road, Carson City, Nevada, 89701

Visuals: Students outside wearing solar eclipse glasses. Tight shots in the classroom of students learning.

ABOUT CCSD

Located in Nevada's capital, Carson City School District (CCSD) offers public education to approximately 7,600 students in Carson City. The district includes 6 elementary schools, 2 middle schools, 1 alternative high school and 1 comprehensive high school. CCSD boasts many successes including impressive graduation rates, strict safety measures, programs for gifted students and advanced-placement classes, among several others. In a joint venture with Western Nevada College, the CCSD Jump Start College program allows high school juniors and seniors to enroll in dual credit courses where they can achieve an Associate degree simultaneously with their high school diploma.

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