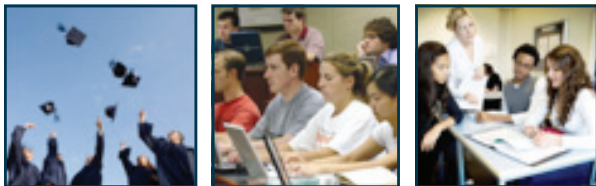


92 percent of surveyed families were satisfied or very satisfied with the overall program

“The flexibility to take her time and complete work on her schedule, instead of a classroom where there was a lot of pressure to get things done in a certain amount of time, has improved how she does on tests and her day-to-day work.”

- Candace, a mother of a 9th grader at Beacon Academy



2011-2012 Course List for Grades 9-12 High School Courses

May be subject to change

Mathematics

Liberal Arts Math
Business & Consumer Math
Pre-Algebra*
Algebra I *#
Algebra II *#
Geometry *#
Pre-Calculus #
Calculus#

English

English 9 *
English 10 *
English 11 *#
English 12 *#
Creative Writing
Gothic Literature

Social Studies

American Government *#
American History *#
Economics *#
Geography
World History *#
Global Studies
World Civilizations
Civics

Life Skills

Life Management
Financial Literacy
Personal & Family Finance
Real World Parenting
Research

Business

Essentials of Business
Business Communications
International Business
Media Studies

Science

Environmental Science #
Physical Science *#
Biology *#
Earth Space Science *#

Science

Physics *#
Chemistry *#

Health/PE

Health
Personal Fitness
Physical Education

Computer Science

Intro to Technology
Computer Literacy
Digital Photography
Game Design
Web Design
Computer Aided Design
Computer Programming

Fine Arts

Music Appreciation
Music Foundations
Art History
3D Art I, II

Social Science

Psychology#
Anthropology
Ethics
Sociology
Archeology
Personal Psychology
Intro to Philosophy

World Languages

Spanish I, II, III
French I, II, III
German I, II

Electives

Dawn of Civilization
War & Revolutions
World Religions
Criminology
Forensics
Great Minds in Science
Marine Science
Astronomy



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Education on your terms

Beacon Academy is committed to offering a high-quality educational choice to students who want more flexibility and choice in their high school learning experience.

Comprehensive teacher supported curriculum

Students choose from standards based and challenging high school curriculum of core, elective and advanced courses taught online by licensed Nevada teachers.

Individual instruction and support

An extensive network of teachers, specialists, tutors, mentors, high school counselors and staff are personally committed to helping students realize their full academic potential.

Flexible pace and schedule

Students study anytime, anywhere. Students can schedule schoolwork around family, work, and other responsibilities.

Active social community

Students can join many existing unique student-driven clubs and organizations or form one.

Parent-teacher partnership

Parents (and students) can review academic progress through regular progress reports and real-time access to work and teacher/student communications.

Improved grades

Learning online can improve student performance and grades because learning is more efficient and focused. Distractions and interruptions are kept to a minimum. Beacon's innovative instructional design promotes student achievement by focusing on student competencies rather than on "one-time chance" tests and quizzes.

Catch up on credit—or work ahead for early high school completion

Beacon Academy offers students the opportunity to work ahead to complete high school early. Beacon Academy counselors can devise a program for summer school that can drastically accelerate high school completion and/or catch up on credits to complete high school on time.

Occupational and career education

Beacon Academy offers many types of special occupational programs, including granting credit for occupational work experience. Students can "earn as they learn" and receive both a pay check and credit for productive occupational work. This is a great way to start a career or explore career options. Students can also gain credit for educational travel and community service.

Free counseling for students and parents

Beacon Academy offers free counseling and clinical school social work services as long as the student is enrolled in Beacon Academy. These services are offered to both the students and their families. Services include free assessments; individual, group and family counseling; informative workshops and seminars; health and behavioral consultation and referral. This assistance helps students identify and access useful services and resources to maximize learning and achievement. Beacons' clinical social work staff work closely with health, behavioral, and educational specialists to help students succeed and achieve.



About Beacon Academy of Nevada

Beacon Academy of Nevada is a statewide virtual high school, sponsored by the Nevada Board of Education, that offers an alternative to traditional classroom based learning. Beacon Academy meets the educational and social needs of students and their families, while setting the highest standards of academic quality. Beacon's licensed teachers provide small group instruction, as well as individualized support. Students benefit from a dynamic learning community that includes teachers, mentors, tutors and an array of specialized professionals and practitioners. Beacon graduates may earn a standard or advanced Nevada high school diploma that is accepted at colleges and technical schools throughout the U.S.

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- Free Public High School Grades 9-12
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- Free Therapeutic / Clinical Social Work and Counseling for Students and their Families
- Tutoring and One-on-One Mentorship