



New Lenox School District

Extra-Curricular Activity Parent Permission Slip

School Name: Spencer Crossing

Activity/Club/Sport: Public Speaking Club

Activity Description: Students will develop their speaking skills through a variety of games and activities.

Sponsor/Coach: Dawn Thomson, 4th Grade Teacher

Start Date: Thursday, September 17th, 2026

Meeting Days/Dates: **Thursday:** September 17, 24, October 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, November 12, 19

NO CLUB ON NOVEMBER 5

Start Time: 2:00pm. End Time: 3:00pm.

Cost: No charge Pick-up Location: Spencer Crossing, in the circle drive in front of the office doors

Parent: Please complete & return this form to your child's teacher.

I, _____, give permission for my child _____ to
(Print Parent Name) (Print Student Name)

participate in Public Speaking Club at Spencer Crossing School during the
Sport/Club/Activity

2025 - 2026 school year.

My child will be picked up by _____. My child has permission to walk home _____.
(Y/N)

Parent Phone Number: _____ Emergency Phone Number: _____

(Parent Signature)

(Date)

*Students must have a completed and signed permission slip and sports physical (if applicable) before they will be permitted to participate in the above activity, club, or sport. Students without permission slips (and sports physicals, if applicable) will not be allowed to participate. **No exceptions will be made.***

PUBLIC SPEAKING CLUB

Do you like to talk to your friends? Would you like to improve your speaking skills and build your confidence in communicating with others? Then the Public Speaking Club is for you! Students will develop their speaking skills through a wide variety of fun games and activities.

WHAT: Students will enhance their public speaking skills through verbal games and activities. Examples are Taboo, 5 Second Rule, 30 Second Speeches, and tongue twisters to name a few. Students will also practice making eye contact and using inflection in their voice when speaking.

WHO: The club is open to all 4th & 5th Grade Spencer Crossing students.

WHERE: Mrs. Thomson's classroom, Room 101

WHEN: Thursdays
September 17, 24
October 1, 8, 15, 22, 29
November 12, 19 (*No club on November 5)

TIME: Immediately after school from 2:00-3:00

Please note:

- This club may go to a lottery
- Signed permission slip (attached) must be returned to Mrs. Thomson no later than Thursday, September 10th.
- Students will be notified on September 11th if they are in the club.
- Students must be picked up no later than 3:00pm. We do not have the staff for late pickups. Three late pickups will result in removal from the club. Thank you for your understanding.
- Attendance is taken, and Mrs. Thomson must be notified if your child cannot attend Public Speaking Club on any given day. Please email dthomson@nlsd122.org.