

New Lenox School District 122

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MESSAGE FROM THE SUPERINTENDENT

September 26, 2025 Dear NLSD122 Families,

With just over a month of school behind us, it has been such a joy to watch our students settle into their routines with excitement and confidence. We are truly grateful for our wonderful school community, where families, staff, and students come together to support one another and make our schools such welcoming and special places. For those new to the District, families will receive monthly updates covering relevant topics and upcoming events. Here are the highlights for September.

BOARD BLAST

Here is a link to the <u>September Board Blast</u>, which highlights key items from the Board of Education meeting on September 16. <u>SENIOR BREAKFAST</u>

We are excited to invite our community's senior citizens to the annual Senior Breakfast—a wonderful opportunity to gather, enjoy entertainment provided by our students, and learn more about what's happening in New Lenox School District 122. Please help us spread the word so more of our seniors can join us for this wonderful tradition by sharing this <u>link</u>.

SAFETY REMINDER

Per Village of New Lenox Ordinance Sec. 90-65, the following are **not allowed on school property**:

- Scooters (electric or gas)
- Mini bikes & go-carts
- ATVs
- Motorized skateboards
- Off-road motorcycles
- Any other motorized vehicles

This rule helps keep students and staff safe. Thank you for reminding your child(ren) and supporting a safe school environment! **SCHOOL SAFETY PARENT RESOURCES**

We encourage parents of students, grades 4-8, to take advantage of the Cyber Safe Schools resource videos for parents, provided by the District. Please see the login information for Be Sure Consulting for Cyber Safe Schools. If you would like to watch the student videos with your child, we suggest you preview them before logging in to the student portal. The video series is a parent resource, we do not show the videos at school.

Parent login for Parent Video Series:
URL: vimeo.com/showcase/nlsp
Parent login for Student Video Series:
URL: vimeo.com/showcase/nlss

Password: NLSP623! Password: NLSS876!

GET READY FOR THE PTO READ-A-THON!

We are so excited to kick off our annual PTO Read-A-Thon on Monday, October 6 with a District-Wide Pajama Day-the perfect way to cozy up with a good book! This year's Read-A-Thon will run from October 6–24 and serves as the one major fundraiser for PTO, all while encouraging a love of reading for students in Pre-K through 6th grade. Let's join together as a district and see if we can beat last year's goal of reading 256,956 minutes across all our schools! Emails and paper copies with registration information will be sent out on September 29.

NOW HIRING BUS DRIVERS

LW 210 is hiring bus drivers. Please click here for details.

Wishing you and your family a great month ahead!

Sincerely,

Lori Motsch, Ed.D

Superintendent

