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Navigator Update August 13, 2023

Norview Middle School Instructional Focus

For the 2023 - 2024 school year, at least 75% of Norview Middle School students will pass their Reading and Writing SOLs. The remaining students will show academic growth in the areas of Reading based on the SOL results from the 2022-2023 school year. Norview Middle School students will participate in the Reading SOL at a participation rate of 95% or more. Chronic absenteeism will be reduced from 9.5% to 7% or less.

Hello, Norview Middle School Parents and Guardians, this is your new principal, Dr. Kirk, calling with some important announcements:

Frist Day of School. Please remember the first day of school this year will be before labor day for the first time in a very long time. The first day of school is actually August 28. Class will also start earlier than last year, beginning at 8:15 a.m. We will also dismiss earlier this year, at 2:45 p.m. Just remember, the first day of school is August 28. We can't wait to see everyone!

Uniforms. As you know, Norview Middle School is a uniform school. For the 2023/2024 school year, we will strictly enforce the uniform policy. Remember, all grades wear Navy blue slacks or skirts, and sixth grade wears pastel blue polos, seventh grade pastel yellow polos, and eighth grade white polos. The full uniform policy can be found on our website. Students not in uniform will not be allowed to report to class. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the school.

Attendance and Tardies. Coming to school every day and on time is the first step towards learning and earning the quality education we offer at Norview Middle School. But we can't teach kids who are not here. Please be sure your child comes to school on time every day. This is very important, and we look forward to seeing all of our students on August 28!

Athletics. Football and cheerleading conditioning are underway and tryouts begin August 21. Softball, baseball, and tennis all begin September 6th. Concussion forms and eligibility requirements can be found on the NPS athletics webpage.

Immunizations. Rising 7th grade students must have their TDAP and other required immunizations or exemption on file with the clinic in order to report to class on August 28. Please call the school nurse if you have any questions or want to confirm your child's records.

Drop off and pick up. As a reminder, when you drop your students off in the morning and/or pick them up in the afternoon, please use the side parking lot. Do not use the bus port or main lot. Security will be stationed at the bus port to redirect traffic away from the bus lane. When parking in the neighborhood, please be courteous and mindful of driveways, emergency access, and noise pollution. Thank you so much for helping us be good neighbors.

Upcoming Events

August 18:	Teachers Return
August 21:	Football and Cheerleading Tryouts
August 28:	First Day of School for Students 2023-2024
September 1:	Teacher Workday - No school
September 4:	Labor Day/NPS Closed - No school
September 6:	Open House, 5:30 p.m.
September 7:	Football @ Craddock (Manor High School)
September 13:	Football vs Waters (Norview High School)
September 18:	Softball vs Lakewood (Lakewood Park)
September 19:	Baseball vs Lakewood (Lakewood Park)
	Tennis vs Lakewood (Granby High School)
September 20:	Softball vs Lake Taylor (Rosemont Middle School)
	Football vs Lakewood (Norview High School)
September 21:	Baseball vs Lake Taylor (Lake Taylor High School)
	Tennis vs Lake Taylor (Norview High School)
September 25:	Softball vs Ruffner (Azalea Little League Complex Field 2)
September 26:	Baseball vs Ruffner (Azalea Little League Complex Field 2)
	Tennis vs Ruffner (Norview HS)
September 27:	Football vs Azalea Gardens (Norview HS)
September 28:	End of Interim 1
September 29:	Grades Due
October 9:	Early Release Day - Parent-Teacher Conferences

Remember as always,

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