



NEWMARK K-8 SCHOOL  
**FRIDAY BACKPACK NEWS**  
Friday, December 30, 2022

Dear Newmark K-8 School Families,

We wish you and your family a very Happy and Healthy New Year!

Just a reminder that parents must complete and submit a **Daily Wellness Screening** every morning before 8:00 AM via your PowerSchool Parent Portal when school resumes next week. We appreciate your help in keeping everyone safe and healthy at Newmark.

Stay connected! Keep checking your email every week for important Parent Alerts and Friday Backpack News. You can always access past issues archived on our [website](#).

### School News & Information

**School Resumes:** Tuesday, January 3, 2023

**2023 Snow Day and Delayed Opening Policy:** [View](#) Newmark's procedures

**January Lunch:** [View](#) menu

**Student Social - K-8 Kids Afternoon:** Friday, January 13, 2023 - For students in Ms. Fagan/Ms. Halma, Ms. McCarty, Mrs. Necci and Mrs. Demko's classes. From 2:45-4:00 PM. \$20 Fee - Parents need to provide transportation home promptly at 4:00 PM - [View](#) Permission/Registration Form

**Student Social - K-8 Teen Afternoon:** Friday, January 20, 2023 - For students in Mrs. Arnao/Ms. Greer, Mr. Kerby, Mrs. Mastrogiovanni and Mr. Cebula's classes. From 2:45-4:30 PM. \$20 Fee - Parents need to provide transportation home promptly at 4:30 PM - [View](#) Permission/Registration Form

### Spotlight: 2023 Parent Counseling Nights

Communication between home and school is an integral part of your child's education and well-being. To effectively share information concerning your child, we provide parents an opportunity to connect with their child's school counselor via telephone each month at Newmark K-8 School. We strongly encourage you to connect with your child's counselor. All counselor meetings will be held via telephone.

**K-8 Counselors:** Cathleen M. George, LCSW; Ashlie E. Jernigan, MS, NCSP; Alyson Rentrop, LCSW

**APPOINTMENTS: 5:00-7:30 PM**

Tuesday, January 10, 2023  
Tuesday, February 7, 2023  
Tuesday, March 14, 2023  
Tuesday, April 18, 2023  
Tuesday, May 9, 2023  
Tuesday, June 13, 2023

**SCHEDULING APPOINTMENTS**

To schedule a telephone appointment, please call 908-753-0330 or email Mrs. Reape-Fay at [creapefay@newmarkeducation.com](mailto:creapefay@newmarkeducation.com). Individual appointments for parents will be 30 minutes: 5:00, 5:30, 6:00, 6:30 and 7:00 PM.

Dates subject to change.

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**Newmark K-8 School**

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Contact Newmark Main Office

Absences, late arrival, early pick up, any transportation changes, etc.

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