



Northmont Today

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Upcoming Dates:

Board of Education Mtng.
Monday, Sept. 25 - 6pm
Englewood Hills Elem.

H.S. Top Ensembles Concert
Wednesday, Sept. 27 - 7pm
Auditorium - FREE

Board of Education Mtngs.
Mondays, Oct. 9 & 23 - 6pm
High School

Parent Financial Aid Night
Monday, Oct. 9 - 6pm
Auditorium

Parent/Teacher Conf. Week
October 9-13

Teacher Workday
Thursday, Oct. 12
No Classes Pk-12
CTC in session

Parent/Teacher Conf. Day
Friday, Oct. 13
No Classes Pk-12
Includes CTC

No School
Monday, Oct. 16
CTC in session

Northmont Aims For the Stars!

Northmont received the preliminary Ohio State Report Card results from the Ohio Department of Education for the 2022-2023 school year. We are proud to share that these results continue to be a reflection of the excellent educational experiences that occur on a daily basis for each of our students.

Northmont received 5 stars out of 5 stars in the following components:

* Progress

The Progress component is the amount of student academic growth seen over the course of the year for students in grades 3-12.

*Gap Closing

The Gap Closing component is an indicator of the academic achievement of students in various subgroups.

*Graduation Rate

The Graduation Rate is how well the district is doing to get students to graduate from high school.

When the finalized Ohio State Report Card is released, it will be available on our website and the Ohio Department of Education website.



Like, Follow, and Share!

One of the themes of the 2023-24 school year is "Share Our Story." We have so many wonderful things happening in our district and we want YOU to know about them all! Please "Like" and "Follow" us on social media and more importantly, help us to SHARE our story. With just one click, you can be a part of this initiative.

Not on Social Media? No problem! Visit the updated Northmont City Schools website at www.northmontschools.net. Check out our programs, our District Profile, and information about our Strategic Plan. So much information, so little time!








GREEN PRIDE

... throughout the community

Northmont Career Pathways

Northmont has seven career pathways and courses aligned to these pathways at the Middle School and High School. These courses provide students with opportunities to prepare them for their futures. Check out the graphic below for more detail about each of the seven pathways.

Public Service 	Middle School	High School AP Human Geography AP Psychology AP American History Ethnic and Minority Studies Intro to Education Teacher Academy Peer Tutoring Criminal Studies <u>Pre Apprenticeship: Law Enforcement</u>
Skilled Trades 	Middle School Skilled Trades	High School Woodworking I, II, III Carpentry Introduction to Welding Construction Pre Apprenticeship Maintenance Pre Apprenticeship
Business 	Middle School Marketing	High School AP Economics AP Government AP Statistics Personal Finance Entrepreneurship Business Foundations Intro to Marketing Marketing Education I, II Digital Marketing Culinary Fundamentals
STEM 	Middle School iPad Fundamentals Design and Modeling Robotics	High School AP Computer Science Principles AP Computer Science A AP Physics Calculus AB Calculus BC Chemistry AP Pre-Engineering Drawing Graphic Design I, II Intro to Programming STEM Modeling and Simulation Intro to Video Game Development Pre-Engineering Design Principles of Engineering Engineering Design I, II <u>IT Pre Apprenticeship</u>
Health Services 	Middle School Movement and Wellness Health Physical Education	High School Advanced Biology Anatomy and Physiology AP Biology AP Psychology CPR/First Aid/Health Hope Squad Physical Education <u>ALH 1101: Intro to Healthcare Delivery</u>
Communications 	Middle School Intro to World Language	High School Honors English 9 PreAP English 10 AP Language Composition AP Literature and Composition College English Composition I, II Spanish I, II, III, IV German I, II, III, IV College Spanish I, II, III Journalism I, II, III, IV Broadcasting Yearbook
Fine Arts 	Middle School Art Music Appreciation Band Orchestra Choir	High School Wind Ensemble Concert Choir Treble Choir Chamber Orchestra Symphonic Orchestra Concert Orchestra AP Music Theory Music Theory I, II Ap Studio Art Drawing I, II, III Graphic Novel/Comic Design Art I, II Ceramics I, II Painting I, II, III Photography Symphonic Band Concert Band Percussion Ensemble Acting for the Camera I, II, III, IV Theater Arts Technical Theater

DID YOU KNOW?

Families who qualify for Free/Reduced lunches may also qualify for a reduction in school fees. Reach out to Barb Uhls at Food Service at 937-832-5061.

DID YOU KNOW?

Northmont partners with several community organizations to meet the ongoing needs of students. Please support these generous groups:

- *Northmont Rotary Club
- *Northmont FISH
- *Community Table
- *Northmont Area Chamber of Commerce
- *Kiwanis
- *Lyons Club
- *Northmont Optimists

EXCELLENCE

... throughout the district



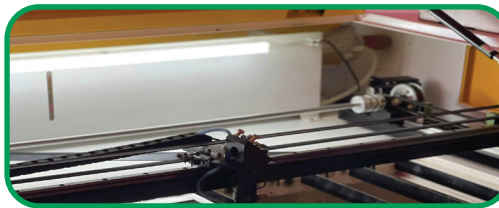
Stillwater Center Partnership



Many parents and community members know that Northmont has an amazing team of staff dedicated to supporting students with special needs. What some don't know is that this team also provides services to over twenty students living in a residential care facility in the district. Per their website, the Stillwater Center is a home for children and adults with the most severe and profound intellectual disabilities, are physically challenged and have significant medical needs. This center is located in the Northmont City School District and all of its residents between the ages of 3-22 years are enrolled in and educated by Northmont. Teams of therapists, nurses, intervention specialists, paraprofessionals, bus drivers, aides, school psychologists, building staff and administrators dedicate themselves to providing a safe and nurturing environment to some of our most fragile children.



Northmont Teachers Participate in Global STEM



Northmont teachers Kristy Geiger and Jenn Stormer recently participated in the National Science Foundation Sponsored Global STEM: Appropriate Technology for Developing Communities program. This highly competitive yearlong Research Experience for Teachers (RET) program is a collaboration between Central State University and the University of Dayton. The program focuses on international engineering research based on human-centered design and appropriate technology for developing countries.

In this program, Mrs. Geiger and Mrs. Stormer engaged in hands-on research experiences in the University of Dayton School of Engineering labs under the guidance of a faculty mentor and with Academic City in Ghana. Projects included laser cutting and 3-D printing. These teachers will share their experience with their students through lessons they created with other participants in the program. For example, Mrs. Geiger's students will design and test a leakproof and sustainable roof.

Additionally, as part of the RET program, the ladies engaged in sessions related to intercultural competence, travel preparation, appropriate technology and human centered design. They also earned a Global Competence Certificate and are working on developing highly integrated STEM lessons that they will pilot and will eventually be published on the TeachEngineering website.

2023-24 School Board meetings and locations

**All meetings
begin at 6:00 p.m.**

***October 9 & 23
Northmont High School***

***November 20
Northmoor Elementary***

***December 11
Union Elementary***

***January 8 & 22
Northmont Middle
School***

***February 12 & 26
Kleptz Early Learning
Center***

***March 11
Union Elementary***

***April 8 & 22
Northwood Elementary***

***May 13
Northmoor Elementary***

***June 24
Northwood Elementary***

***July 15
Northwood Elementary***

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September, 2023

Northmont Drama Announces Season

*October 19-21 - Greek Mythology
Olympiaganza*

*January 18-20 - 2 One Acts
Cut by Ed Monk
12 Angry Jurors*

*April 18-21
Addams Family (Musical)*

<https://www.onthestage.tickets/northmont-drama-club>

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THOUGHTS FROM THE SUPERINTENDENT - MR. TONY THOMAS

What is Embracing Differences?

During the month of September, Northmont has committed to exploring the power of embracing differences. Why is this important? We all know that Northmont has always been a school where students can be sure they are prepared to attend and succeed in college. This continues to be true as we have seen an increase in the number of students being accepted and successful in the top 50 colleges and universities in the nation. Skilled trades and military options are also highly valued at Northmont. Through ROTC, skilled trades explorations, and even courses that lead to certificates for immediate employment in the skilled trades, we give all students a chance to explore all the options available to them. We are a place where everyone belongs and our goal is for every student to be successful in making their impact in our community.

New to the District? Check out our website for important information:
www.northmontschools.net

Our Mission:

The mission of Northmont City Schools is to provide our students an exceptional education with diverse opportunities so they maximize their potential and are productive, responsible citizens.

