

The **BEST** of NORTHWOOD Elementary

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BEST = Building Excellence Successfully Together



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Calendar Dates

May 17
May 20
May 21

Field Day
Field Day - Rain Date
All Library Books Due
Volunteer Appreciation Luncheon
Retirement Celebration for
Ms. Biddle, Ms. Smith, Ms. White
Class Party Day
School Picnic - Students Only
Last Day of School
5th Grade Promotion Ceremony

May 24
May 25
May 26

NEWS AROUND NORTHWOOD

"My life makes a
difference at
Northwood
Elementary."



FIRST GRADE EXPLORERS

Over the past few weeks, students have been studying animals, animal classifications, animal needs, and habitats.

We used this knowledge to create animal habitats.

Students chose an animal and created an animal habitat that included all of its needs. They worked so hard on these projects and it was awesome to see them apply what they have learned and be creative.





FOURTH GRADE EXPLORERS

This week our 4th graders got to experience the Georgia Ag Bus. They had such a great time learning about agriculture throughout our state and getting to experience hands-on learning. On the bus, they explored what it's like to drive a tractor and milk a cow. They also learned about all the various careers in agriculture. They had a blast and learned so much!

*Grading paper will not be missed
but the lives you have touched make a very long list.*

*You are invited to attend
A Retirement Celebration
For
Donna Biddle, Sherrie Smith, and Becky White*

*Friday, May 21st
2:45-3:30 - Current Staff and Family
Northwood Cafeteria
3:30-4:00- Former Staff, Friends & Community
Outside Northwood Cafeteria*

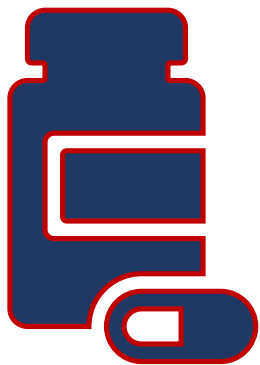
END OF YEAR REMINDERS



TEXTBOOK COLLECTION

As the year draws to a close we will be collecting all student textbooks. Please be on the lookout for any textbooks that your child has brought home. If you come across any textbooks at home, please be sure to send them into school so your child's teacher may account for them. Any missing or damaged textbooks must be paid for before your child receives his/her report card, test scores, etc. Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

If your 2nd-5th grade child will NOT be returning to Northwood next year, please return his/her laptop and charger to the school by May 26, 2021. Thank you!



MEDICATION PICK UP

Please remember to pick up any medication that your child has in the clinic by Wednesday, May 26th. Any medication (prescription and non-prescription) left in the clinic by the end of the school day will be discarded. New medications with new Medication Authorization forms and /or Health Care Plans need to be completed every school year. These forms are available in the clinic and on the school website.

LIBRARY BOOKS ARE DUE

All books need to be returned by Friday, May 21st. If your Explorer has a lost or damaged book, please take care of the as soon as possible.





Message from our Eco Team


The following Northwood students have proudly accepted the **Waste Free Monday** challenge by packing their lunch in reusable containers. They are a great example of how we can “go green” during lunch.

- KINDERGARTEN:** Amelia Levin, Emma Cunningham, Blair Mikes, Eliza Singh, Cole Allen, Sam Stone, Zahra Siddiqui, Neil Ganu, Gemma Cannon, Peyton Jones, Cambryn Claeyes, Emiliana Hernandez, Caleb Dover, Jayna Nanda, Madeleine Anghel, and Waverley Keppen
- FIRST GRADE:** Liberty Harriman, Hollie Mutch, Madison McFarlin, Maryrose Dorion, Aaron Bhalsod, Callaway Hubbard, and Bella Gutierrez
- SECOND GRADE:** Campbell Josephson, Burton Bagwell, Emery Harrell Mackenzie Buckles, Abbas Jafari, Gabi Siddiqui, Jaelin Gutierrez, and Lulu Malas
- FIFTH GRADE:** Abigail Vandervort




Fulton County Schools Summer Reading Resources

www.fcsummerreading.org



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READING



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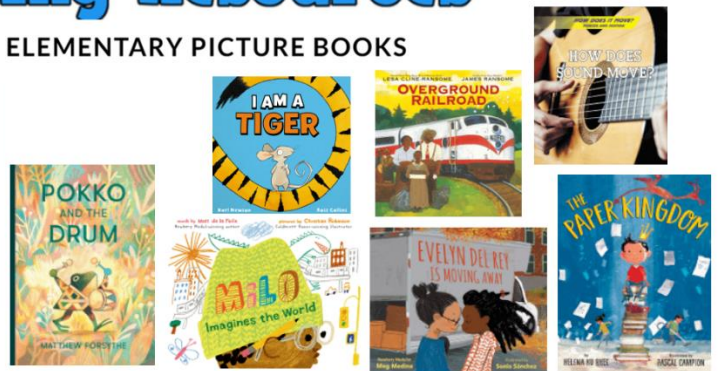
You can read anywhere, anytime, and virtually anything this summer, thanks to **Get Georgia Reading** and their long-standing relationship with partner Renaissance. Renaissance is once again delivering thousands of free books—plus engaging daily news articles—to your computer and mobile devices, available 24 hours a day from May 3 through July 31.

With myON, Renaissance's digital reading platform, all children, parents and guardians, educators, and librarians can search from many different categories and genres, fiction and nonfiction, picture books, graphic novels, chapter books, titles for struggling and reluctant readers, and Spanish and bilingual titles. It's like having your own personal library right at your fingertips.

Log in at myON.com/login/index.html and enter your log-in information:
 School Name: Get Georgia Reading (Type the first few letters and select this from the drop-down menu.)
 Username: fultoncounty
 Password: read
 Click on the Sign In button, select a book, and start reading!

*** Please Note: For the free summer reading program, all students read from a shared myON account that **does not include** personalization features or track individualized student reading data. ***

ELEMENTARY PICTURE BOOKS



ELEMENTARY CHAPTER BOOKS



CAFETERIA NEWS & MENUS

FREE Breakfast and Lunch

Fulton County School Nutrition will continue to serve FREE meals to all children, regardless of school enrollment or meal eligibility status. Students attending school face-to-face will receive FREE meals during their school's scheduled mealtimes.

Curbside & Bus Stop Locations will be utilized to distribute FREE grab & go meal kits throughout the district. For more information, visit www.nutrition.fultonschools.org

MAY | 2021

On-Site Breakfast Menu ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
17 Sausage Biscuit Assorted Cereals 100% Fruit Juice Assorted Fresh Fruit	18 Pancake & Sausage Bites Muffin with Yogurt 100% Fruit Juice Assorted Fresh Fruit	19 Chicken Biscuit Assorted Cereals 100% Fruit Juice Assorted Fresh Fruit	20 Pancake & Sausage on a Stick Muffin with Yogurt 100% Fruit Juice Assorted Fresh Fruit	21 French Toast Sticks Assorted Cereals 100% Fruit Juice Assorted Fresh Fruit

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On-Site Lunch Menu ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
17 Chicken Taquito Popcorn Chicken with Breadstick Black Bean Taco Salad Baby Carrots Steamed Corn	18 Spicy Sichuan Chicken with Rice Hot Dog Yogurt & Cheese Pack Signature Side Salad Steamed Broccoli	19 Tomato Basil Soup with Grilled Cheese Chicken Filet Sandwich Jamwich Pack Baby Carrots Green Beans	20 Chicken of The Day with Roll Cheese Stuffed Breadsticks Cheese Pizza Pack Signature Side Salad Baked Beans Chocolate Chip Cookie	21 Cheese Pizza Slice Filet of Fish Sandwich Turkey & Cheese Lunchbox Buddy Carrot, Cucumber & Cherry Tomato Peas & Carrots



Consider Becoming a PTA Committee Chair

There are many volunteers in the PTA who help lead different events and efforts for Northwood, from the Media Center to Bingo Night, from Book Fair to Box Tops, and from Enrichment Week to Room Parents.

We have a lot of these Chair positions filled with volunteers who are excited to help lead next year's PTA charge into getting back into the swing of things... But we have many positions in need of new parent volunteers! Are YOU that PTA Volunteer? Consider any of the following positions:

- Events (Family Fun Night, Bingo)
- Enrichment Fund
- Reflections - the State and Nationally run contest for Students in Art, Writing, Photography, Dance, and other categories
- Earnings for Education/Box Tops
- Portraits (Tanner Portraits Family Photos at the beginning of the year)
- Parents Night Out: Movie Nights (Fall & Spring)

If any of these interest you, **please reach out to one of these awesome humans on our Nominating Committee:** Nicki Hubbard (vp4@northwoodpta.com), Julie Barrett (treasurer@northwoodpta.com), or Sarah Levin (social@northwoodpta.com). Looking forward to connecting with you!

We are happy to provide information about our cluster programs, but please note they are not sponsored by Northwood Elementary School.



2021 CENTENNIAL CHEERLEADING MINI CAMP

July 26-30th • 9 AM-1PM
Location: Hillside Elementary School
9250 Scott Rd, Roswell, GA 30076

A week of fun for ages 4-12 with the Knights Cheerleaders! Campers will learn cheers, jumps, dances, and routines, as well as enjoy STEM and crafts each day. *Masks must be worn indoors.

Register Now!

<https://app.picklejuiceapp.com/a/ureg/open/event/8B512F73>

Cost: \$130 (\$20 Sibling discount)

Fulton Schools Employee (only for the employee's children) Rate \$90

Questions: Email: chscheerminicamp2@gmail.com
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