

The **BEST** of NORTHWOOD Elementary

<https://www.fultonschools.org/northwoodes>

February 4, 2022

BEST = Building Excellence Successfully Together



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Calendar Dates

February 11

All Pro Dads

Principal's Chat

February 17

FCS Board Meeting

February 18

Professional Development Day (No School)

February 25

PTA Bingo Night

February 28

Hardship Transfer Deadline

Early Release Day, Dismissal 12:20 p.m.

March 1-4

Read Across America

March 11

Teacher Workday (No School)

March 13

Daylight Saving Time (Clocks Ahead One Hour)

March 14

Professional Development Day (No School)

NEWS AROUND NORTHWOOD

"Northwood ES,
Where learning is
not a spectator
sport!"

Important Date Changes

All Late Start Dates
are now
Early Release Dates

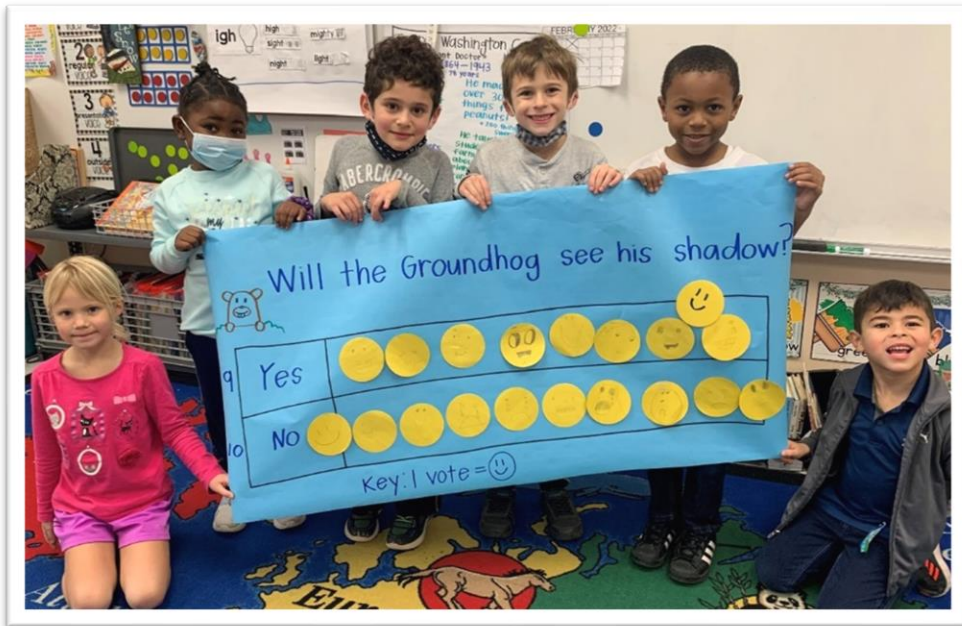
February 28
March 21

Dismissal Time 12:20 p.m.



KINDERGARTEN EXPLORERS

Kindergarten students met with their fifth-grade buddies last Friday. Each kindergartner is paired with one or two fifth graders and we meet once a month to do activities together. This month the fifth graders helped their buddies make Valentine cards for loved ones. Our kindergartners absolutely love their buddies and really enjoy this time together. They look forward to this all month and love seeing their buddies in the hallway, cafeteria and bus.



FIRST GRADE EXPLORERS

First graders had a blast applying their knowledge of making picture graphs on Groundhog Day! Students made a prediction and voted on if the groundhog would see his shadow or not. Many were disappointed to hear that the groundhog did see his shadow and we still have six more weeks of winter.

Artist's Day Is Coming

Calling all artists! On May 24th, Northwood will host its first ever Artist Day. We are looking for artists to come and do a presentation or a performance for the students. The artist can specialize in visual or fine arts, crafts, music, performing arts, or anything else creative. If you are an artist who would like to participate, or you know an artist who would be interested, please email Mollie Katzin (katzinm@fultonschools.org)

Fulton County Spring 2022 Georgia Milestones Assessments Schedule

Date	Grades	Subject
May 4 (Wed)	3-5	ELA (Part 1)
May 5 (Thurs)	3-5	ELA (Part 2)
May 6 (Fri)	3-5	ELA (Part 3)
May 10 (Tue)	5	Science
May 11 (Wed)	3-5	Math (Part 1)
May 12 (Thurs)	3-5	Math (Part 2)

Please do not schedule appointments during these days. Thanks!

January 2022 PBIS School Wide Nominees:

An award which recognizes certain students who exemplify in a PBIS Expectation Matrix -
Be Responsible, Be Respectful, Be Engaged -

Kinder: Bryson Beard, Isabella Esquivel, Eli Franz, Charleigh Hahn, Ruth Pierce
Grade 1: Andrew Achour, Journey Brimm, Finn Chunta, Emma Cunningham, Dhriti Garg
Grade 2: Sophia Barillos, London Guy, John Hollenbaugh, Chloe Kim, Jocelynn Ware
Grade 3: Kaya Brantley, Maisie Cannon, Tahaan Khan, Ryan Litchfield, Hailey Pack
Grade 4: Ian Del Carmen, Tyler Levine, Piper Personette, Elisemarie Stewart
Grade 5: Alex Granados-Aguilar, Brianna Hurtado, Logan Rivera, Zoey Winter



Looking to get Involved? Join Northwood's Foundation

The Foundation is seeking additional board members. Northwood Foundation is a group that meets once a month from 7-8 am and allocates Northwood's fundraising dollars to fulfill teacher and administrator requests for our school. This has historically been a great opportunity for working parents and has been a great way for dads to participate in our school. Please contact Loren Akin at akin.loren@gmail.com if you are interested.

2022 – 2023 SPRING REGISTRATION



NEW STUDENT REGISTRATION

New Student Registration

New Student Registration Days for the 2022 – 2023 school year are **Wednesday, March 9** and **Thursday, March 10**. Parents are encouraged to use the online enrollment application process to register online at their convenience. If your child is currently enrolled in Pre-K in Fulton County Schools, you do not need to register your child.

K – 5 Registration

1. Complete the online registration process <https://www.fultonschools.org/enrollment>.
2. Email your application number to Mary Lou Fleming at: fleminaml@fultonschools.org
3. If you do not have access to online registration, contact Mary Lou Fleming at: fleminaml@fultonschools.org to make an appointment for registration.

All documents will be reviewed and verified before completing the registration process.



Required Documentation

1. Certified Proof of Date of Birth (<https://www.fultonschools.org/Page/660>)
2. Original Social Security Card or Waiver Form (provided by school)
3. Current Immunization Record (GA Form 3231) Signed by Doctor
4. Certificate of Eye, Ear, Dental, Nutrition (GA Form 3300)
5. Government Issued Picture ID
6. Proof of Residency- Required to provide One Current Utility Proof AND One Residence Proof
7. Academic Record (if applicable)

Approved Residence Verification List

- Current utility bill (electric or water) **AND**
- Copy of home mortgage payment
- Lease / Renters Agreement
- Current bank statement
- Copy of Section 8 / HUD housing contract
- Copy of home contract
- Homeowner's / Renter's insurance card
- Current paycheck stub
- State driver's license / ID with current address
- Current HOA Bill / Statement



**SGC Elections are coming soon. Parents we need you to stand for elections.
We would love to partner with you on ways to improve our school.**

The School Governance Council (SGC) has 1 parent/guardian position and 1 teacher position open for election. If elected, these candidates will serve for a period of two years. Parents or guardians of students who will be attending our school during **both** the 2022-2023 and 2023-2024 school years are eligible to run for the parent/guardian SGC positions.

- Candidate declaration phase begins on 02/02/2022 and ends on 03/02/2022 at 5:00 pm.
- Candidates who wish to run for re-elections should visit FCS charter system website on 02/02/2022. Click to access the [Charter System \(SGC\) / Elections \(fultonschools.org\)](https://fultonschools.org/Charter-System-(SGC)-/Elections)

Eligibility Requirements for All Council Members

- May only serve on 1 School Governance Council at a time
- May NOT be an elected official of a government entity
- Must be the **ONLY** member of their family serving on the Council
- Must be 18 years of age or older (with the exception of high school student members)

Parents

- Must have a child enrolled at the school for the duration of the term they declare candidacy for
- May NOT be an employee of the school

Teachers

- May NOT be the parent of a child enrolled at the school
- Must be a school-based employee with a "home school"
- Must be paid from teacher salary schedule

School Employees

- MAY be the parent of a child enrolled at the school
- Must be a school-based employee with a "home school"


Community Members

- MAY be the parent of a child enrolled at the school
- May NOT be an employee of the school



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.

Kinder:	Grayson French, Sarah Jafari, Devin Sharma
Grade 1:	Emma Alvarado, Cole Allen, Sarahi Andrade, Dhriti Garg, Lizzie Gerson, Alexa Hottenstein, Autumn McCormick, Blair Mikes, Amelia Levin, Julia Oberg, Saanvi Patel, Ford Peterson, Roman Ramsey, Zahra Siddiqui, Sam Stone, Freddie Thomas
Grade 2:	
Grade 3:	Anish Alpuri, Burton Bagwell, Magnus Brooks, Campbell Josephson, Anderson Lee, Jacob Nidoy, Josh Nidoy, Madison Rivera
Grade 4:	Sophia Cunningham, Emmalin Hobbs, Ananya Mishra, Aarika Patel, Lilly Wiggleston
Grade 5:	Emily Amato, Lydia Oberg
Staff:	Ms. Bates, Ms. Bauer, Ms. Cardelino, Ms. P. Healy

Fulton County Schools is working daily to ensure the health and well-being of our students and staff in the midst of the recent COVID-19 pandemic. Here is the link for the key info you need to know:

[FCS COVID-19 Coronavirus Web Page](#)



Parent (Student) COVID-19 Reporting Portal

A Resource from the Fulton County Board of Health in partnership with Fulton County Schools



Hardship Transfer Deadline: February 28, 2022

Hardship Transfer applications are available beginning Jan. 1 for parents who wish to apply for a 2022-23 hardship transfer or to renew a current hardship to another Fulton elementary, middle or high school. Parents will use an online form to enter and submit their information. [Get more info and access the application here.](#)

Missing Something?

Parents, please encourage your students to check regularly for lost items in the Lost and Found. Please mark all student belongings clearly with the child's name so that it can be identified. Unclaimed items are donated to local charities after the last school day of every month. **February's date is Friday, February 25th.**



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.

For more information, visit
www.nutrition.fultonschools.org

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Elementary School BREAKFAST MENU

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
7 Sausage Biscuit Assorted Cereals 100% Fruit Juice Assorted Fresh Fruit	8 Pancake & Sausage on a Stick Muffin with Yogurt 100% Fruit Juice Assorted Fresh Fruit	9 Mini Pancakes with Sausage Assorted Cereals 100% Fruit Juice Assorted Fresh Fruit	10 French Toast Sticks Cereal Bar with Yogurt 100% Fruit Juice Assorted Fresh Fruit	11 Chicken Biscuit Assorted Cereals 100% Fruit Juice Assorted Fresh Fruit

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Elementary School LUNCH MENU

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
7 Pancake & Sausage Griddle Chicken Nuggets With Breadstick Cheese Pizza Pack Baby Carrots Potato Smiley Fries	8 General Tso's Chicken with Brown Rice Turkey & Cheese Croissant Yogurt & Cheese Pack Signature Side Salad Steamed Broccoli	9 Tomato Basil Soup with Grilled Cheese Burger Grilled Chicken Chef Salad Baby Carrots Green Beans	10 Super Bowl Specials: Crispy Chicken Drumstick Zesty Ranch vs Kickin' Cajun Mozzarella Cheese Sticks Jamwich Pack Signature Side Salad Baked Beans Chocolate Chip Cookie	11 Super Bowl Specials: Buffalo Chicken Dip Classic Pizza Slice: Cheese Mini Pepperoni Calzones Hummus Bento Box Carrots & Celery Mixed Veggies



NORTHWOOD

ELEMENTARY PTA

NORTHWOOD ELEMENTARY PTA

Family Fun

BINGO

TICKETS \$8

NIGHT

Ticket Price Includes:

- * 1 Drink Ticket
- * 2 Pizza Slices
- * Play all night
- Bingo Board
- * Lots of fun!

All children must be accompanied by a paying adult

FRIDAY February 25th
6:00PM- 8:30 PM
Northwood's Cafeteria

Fun for the Whole Family!
Pizza, Desserts, King of Pops,
Prizes!

Raffle Tickets will be available
for purchase!

Online Silent Auction will go live 02/18/22
Be on the lookout for details



Limited seating, this event sells out!

Tickets may be purchased through www.northwoodpta.com/store.html

If you want to pay by check, send it in an envelope marked Bingo Night with this form filled out
Deadline: Wednesday 02/16/2022

Name: _____ Phone: _____
Teacher: _____ Grade: _____
Adults: _____ #Kids: _____
Kids under 3: _____ FREE Meal Included
Total: _____

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NORTHWOOD ELEMENTARY 2021-2022 YEARBOOK

This year, our yearbook will be an artbook theme and will be filled with artwork from **you** - the Northwood students! How?

- 1 **Pre-order** a yearbook.
\$35 Now; \$40 after Jan 1
- 2 Draw or paint your favorite Northwood memory.
- 3 **Submit your artwork** to be included in the yearbook!

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YEARBOOK



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YOUR ART!

