

The **BEST** of NORTHWOOD Elementary

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

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BEST = Building Excellence Successfully Together



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Calendar Dates

February 17	FCS Board Meeting
February 18	Professional Development Day (No School)
February 21	Presidents' 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.



MUSIC NOTES with Ms. Dahl

Did you know that your child is taking class piano during their music time? I am so happy to inform you that we are about halfway through our piano unit. During this 9-week unit all grade levels are learning how to play the piano and apply musical skills to an instrument. We started right after the New Year, and we will finish in the middle of March. Piano helps students develop eye hand coordination, relieves stress, builds self-confidence, develops a solid foundation for musical elements which can help learn any other instrument, uses both sides of the brain, and mostly it is really a lot of fun. The benefits are endless, and I am so excited that we were able to provide this opportunity at Northwood Elementary.

Congratulations!

Peyton Healy

Northwood's
Teacher of the Year
2021-22

&

Lorraine Robertson

Northwood's
Professional of the Year
2021-22



CALL FOR ARTISTS

Artists and performers wanted! Are you a painter, sculptor, fine artist, craftsperson, musician, performer, or someone with other creative talent? Or do you know someone who is?

NORTHWOOD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL IS LOOKING FOR ARTISTS AND PERFORMERS TO PRESENT TO STUDENTS FOR ARTIST DAY ON MAY 24TH.

If interested, please contact Mollie Katzin for more details: (katzinm@fultonschools.org)

Have You Joined Infinite Campus Parent Portal?

The Infinite Campus Parent Portal provides quick and easy access to information for all enrolled students in their household. Find grades, attendance, assignments, schedules, ID numbers, school announcements and more.

For more information, access the [Parent Portal Booklet for Infinite Campus here.](#)

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!



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/CharterSystem(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:	Eli Franz, Grayson French, Sarah Jafari, Bella Jimenez, Aaryan Nimkar, Devin Sharma
Grade 1:	Cole Allen, Sarahi Andrade, Ali Blanton, Dhriti Garg, Alexa Hottenstein, Isabella Kaveney, Autumn McCormick, Amelia Levin, Julia Oberg, Saanvi Patel, Ford Peterson, Roman Ramsey, Oliver Reusche, Sam Stone, Freddie Thomas
Grade 2:	Malavika Manu, Valentina Martinez, David Okolo
Grade 3:	Burton Bagwell, Nicholas Cermak, Abbas Jafari, Tahaan Khan, Tara Sharma, Gabi Siddiqui
Grade 4:	Savannah Blanton
Grade 5:	Emily Amato, Lydia Oberg, Mel Shirey
Staff:	Ms. Bates, Mrs. Cardelino, Mrs. Landers, Mrs. Lawrence

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
14 Sausage Biscuit Assorted Cereals 100% Fruit Juice Assorted Fresh Fruit	15 Cinnamon Glazed Pancakes Muffin with Yogurt 100% Fruit Juice Assorted Fresh Fruit	16 Mini Waffles with Sausage Assorted Cereals 100% Fruit Juice Assorted Fresh Fruit	17 French Toast Sticks Cereal Bar with Yogurt 100% Fruit Juice Assorted Fresh Fruit	18 Schools Closed Professional Development Day

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Elementary School LUNCH MENU

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
14 Veggie Lasagna with Breadstick Chicken Nuggets with Breadstick Turkey & Cheese Wrap Baby Carrots Tater Tots	15 Teriyaki Chicken with Brown Rice Burger Cheese Pizza Pack Signature Side Salad Peas & Carrots	16 Nachos Hotdog Black Bean Taco Salad Baby Carrots Black Beans	17 Crispy Chicken of the Day with Texas Toast Mini Cheese Calzones Yogurt & Cheese Pack Signature Side Salad Sweet Potato Fries Chocolate Chip Cookie	18 Schools Closed Professional Development Day



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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SCAN ME

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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<https://www.balfour.com/georgia/roswell/northwood-elementary-school>