

# Volunteer With North Springs Community High School

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North Springs Community School proudly operates “The Link” Student and Family Engagement Center within our school building. The Link provides access to basic needs and services for students, parents, and staff in a warm and engaging environment. Located on the lower level of the E hall of the school, this student-centered, community-imagined space is primarily staffed by community volunteers like you!

We have volunteer opportunities aligned with our service supports:

- Volunteer to help stock, maintain, and distribute groceries through our food pantry
- Volunteer in our Clothing and Shoe store
- Help students and families with our on-site Laundry Services
- Volunteer in our Mentoring and Tutoring Programs

For more information, please fill out the volunteer form or email: [Smithmp@fultonschools.org](mailto:Smithmp@fultonschools.org)



## Understanding Our Approach

The Link operates under the tenets of the community school’s model. We believe that If the community is invited to the school to:

- Contribute meaningful direct services and resources.
- Participate in the strategic decision-making processes.

Then:

- We can address the needs of the “whole child” and families in real-time.
- Take collective ownership and accountability for upending systemic inequities.
- Provide more opportunities for students to succeed academically and in life.

While the specific programs and services vary, there are four key pillars of the community school approach.

### INTEGRATED STUDENT SUPPORTS



Includes mental and physical health care, nutrition support, housing assistance, and other wraparound services.

### EXPANDED AND ENRICHED LEARNING TIME



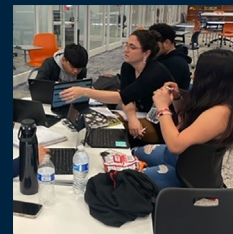
Includes lengthening the school day and year, as well as enriching the curriculum through real-world learning opportunities.

### ACTIVE FAMILY AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT



Includes both service provision and meaningful partnership with parents and family members to support children’s learning.

### COLLABORATIVE LEADERSHIP AND PRACTICES



Includes coordination of community school services as well as site-based leadership teams and teacher learning communities.



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