

complete the RSVP process starting as soon as possible. [These Qmlativ RSVP instructions will help parents complete the process.](#)

Important: You will not be able to access who your child's teacher will be until you have completed the RSVP process.*A note about Emergency Contacts: Parents/Guardians are always the first call in the event of an illness or emergency. Please do not list yourself as an Emergency Contact. Please check your information during RSVP to make sure there are two non-Parent/Guardian people listed as Emergency Contacts.

Notes from the Healthroom:

If your child(ren) has medication, **the Healthroom must receive the Medication Authorization form (MUST be signed by doctor) and your child's medication BEFORE the first day of school.** Please be sure to check the expiration date on the medication.

Families can start dropping off Medication Authorization Forms and medications during Office Hours starting Wednesday the August 20. (Office hours are Monday-Thursday 9AM-noon, the office is closed on Friday).

Back-to-School Welcome Events

We have several events to welcome all our families to the new school year.

- **Northwood Classroom Open House:** On **Tuesday, August 26 from 3:00pm-4:00pm**, all our teachers will open their classrooms to welcome families into the learning space. This is a chance for students to find their new classroom, visit some of the learning spaces throughout the building (i.e., gym, library, art room, library, resource room, etc.) and for parents and students to meet the teachers. This is also a great time to drop off your child's school supplies (for those families who purchased supplies in the Spring through SchoolKidz, your child's supplies will already be in the classroom.)
- Our Northwood PTA is hosting a **Welcome Coffee** for families on **Wednesday, August 27 at 9:20am**. Whether you're cheering that school is back in session or wiping away tears from seeing your kids off, you deserve a little treat. Northwood PTA will have coffee, donuts and a chance to reconnect with or meet other grown ups in our Northwood community.
- Northwood PTA **General Membership Meeting and Programs & Activities Fair** on **Friday, September 5, from 9:30am-11:00am**. You are invited to join the first PTA meeting of the year. You will learn about all this organization does to support the school and community and PTA members will have some items to vote on. Immediately following the meeting we'll be hosting a Programs & Activities Fair where you can learn about many of the local options for enrichment, athletics and general fun outside of the school day.
- **Northwood Curriculum and Connection Night** will occur on **Wednesday, September 17**. At this event, teachers will provide parents information about the curriculum, experiences, and expectations for their grade level and classroom. This event is designed as an information-sharing event for adults, and children may find it challenging to sit through. The curriculum night schedule is as follows: