



Northeast Nodaway District Newsletter

NORTHEAST NODAWAY R-V SCHOOL DISTRICT

JULY 24, 2024

Letter from the Superintendent

Dear Families of the NEN School District,

Welcome to a new school year! I hope you are having an enjoyable summer and there has been time for fun and relaxation, as well as time spent with friends and family. Starting a new school year is always a very exciting time for students, parents and educators.

Northeast Nodaway is committed to providing a high-quality education in a safe environment. It is our hope that we will be able to offer many family and community involvement activities throughout the year.

We are pleased to welcome the following staff members to our crew this year. Brayden Hanf (Preschool), Angie Davison (Kindergarten), Leah Baker (4th Grade), Jessi Masek (Intervention), Ike Werner (PE/Coach), William Harding (Band/Music) and Mazzy Hummel (English). In addition to our full-time staff, we have received a grant through Northwest Health Services allowing us to continue contracting with Hayston Wilson to provide individual counseling for our students. Hayston will be in the district one day each week to meet with students. We are fortunate to have a dedicated and caring staff that is committed to providing the best school experience possible for our children.

This summer, school has been a busy place! There have been many band activities, sports activities, open library times and tutoring. Between all of the activities, the building has been painted and shined by our custodial staff. Their hard work is appreciated!

Best wishes for a successful school year. Please feel free to stop by the school and visit with me and share any accolades or concerns you may have. With your continued support, Northeast Nodaway will continue to provide a well-rounded educational experience for our children. Thank you for the effort to be involved in the education of our students and extracurricular events throughout the school year. Working together we will make this a successful year of student learning and accomplishments.

I am looking forward to a great year! Let's make it the best one yet!!

Special points of interest:

- *School Starts Tuesday, August 20, 2024*
- *Registration August 6th— 1-6pm*
- *Physicals, if needed, due on or before first practice*
- *After School Child Care Program available M-F*
- *Every family, new and returning, required to show proof of residency.*
- *Picture Day is August 22! (PK-12th Individual, Senior Composite, and JH & HS Softball)*

School begins Tuesday, August 20, 2024

Welcome to the 2024-2025 school year. If at any time you have questions or concerns please call the school for clarification or more information. To reach either the elementary or high school staff the number is 660-937-3125. We encourage your participation and appreciate your support in the coming school year. If you are new to the district please call 660-937-3125 to arrange for busing.

School starts at
8:03am
Monday—Friday
for the elementary
and the high school.



Dismissal time for
the elementary and
the high school will be
at **3:10pm**
Monday-Friday.

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SCHOOL PICTURE DAY IS AUGUST 22, 2024 for:
ALL PK-12th Grade Students (individual pictures), Senior Composites,
and Junior High & High School Softball.
See page 11 for more information!

STUDENT REGISTRATION



All Students!!!!

**Preschool through 12th Grade
need to register between
1 p.m. and 6 p.m. on
Tuesday, August 6th.**

If you are unable to register at this time,
please call the school at 660-937-3125
to set up an appointment.

OPEN HOUSE

FOR PRESCHOOL THROUGH
12th GRADE WILL BE HELD
ON THURSDAY AUGUST 15th
5:30 PM—6:45 PM

Incoming 6th & any NEW 7th-12th Grade Student Orientation

There will be Orientation for incoming 6th and any
NEW 7th-12th grade students prior to Open House, on
**Thursday, August 15 from 5:00-5:30pm in the
new gym.** Please plan to attend with your student(s).

EVERY family, *new and returning*, will be required
to show proof of residency this year.
Please bring in proof of residency such as a utility bill.

***Every family will be asked to fill
out a free and reduced lunch
application as part of the
registration process. The form is
included in this newsletter.***

**It is imperative that all students
7th-12th grades and their parents
attend registration on August 6th.**



During registration you will update information, sign
releases, and verify schedules with Mrs. Groomer.
You may pay for lunch, snack milk and technology fees at
this time. The state requires that free & reduced lunch forms
be updated annually, forms will be available in the office.
Registration will be held for daily afterschool care. There is
a \$15 registration fee for afterschool care.

NEW STUDENTS TO THE DISTRICT

Please bring: Immunization Records and
Birth Certificates. We will have enrollment
forms for you to fill out.

**All new families need to bring in proof of
residency such as a utility bill.**

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Facebook: www.facebook.com/nenr5

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WEBSITE ADDRESS
www.nenr5.com**

MEAL PRICES 2024-2025

SCHOOL BREAKFAST AND LUNCH

A free and reduced meal application is included with this newsletter. The free and reduced application is very important to our district. Many grants are unavailable to our school due to the low number of free and reduced applications filled out. Please fill out the confidential application and return to the school office even if you choose not to use it. Even though you may qualify you are not obligated to participate.

Extra milk for lunch or breakfast will be deducted from the students lunch account. Money for extra milk should be paid to the school office so it can be entered into the students account.

The elementary requires that snack milk money be paid in advance for the year. Snack milk is voluntary, but is offered in Preschool, Kindergarten, 1st, and 2nd grades. If your child does not drink snack milk they may drink water. Snack milk for the year is \$98.40, you may pay for the snack milk during registration.

MEAL PRICES

\$3.20....Elementary student lunch	\$3.30....7-12 grade student lunch
\$2.00....Elementary student breakfast	\$2.00....7-12 grade student breakfast
\$2.00....Extra Breakfast Entrée	\$2.75....Extra Lunch Entrée
\$0.95....Extra Cereal	\$3.00....Fruit/Veggie Bar Only
\$0.55....Extra Milk	\$0.75....Extra 4 oz. Juice
Adult Lunch.....\$4.30	
Adult Breakfast....\$2.30	



STUDENT MEALS

Breakfast and lunch should be purchased in advance by sending the money to the school office. Students will purchase meals from 7:45 am—8:00 am every morning or after school each day. Elementary & High School students will be allowed to charge up to \$10.00 for lunch. After the \$10 maximum charge has been reached the student will be given a cheese sandwich and milk till payment is made. You may pay for 20 days, 10 days, or 5 days at a time.

SECONDARY MEALS

We will be offering the ala carte items during the breakfast & lunch hour for grades 7-12. Ala Carte items will be deducted from the students lunch account. **No money will be taken in the cafeteria for purchases .**



Show Your Bluejay Pride



BOOSTER CLUB

We welcome Jr. High and High School Parents to join us in supporting all extra curricular activities. Please contact the high school for more information.

660-937-3125

PTO

All elementary parents are invited to join us at our meetings.

Contact the school for more information.

660-937-3125

Community Email Group

We send out emails to parents and the community to share activities and events that are happening at the school. If you would like to be added to the community email group please email:

dredden@nen.k12.mo.us.

AFTER PROM COMMITTEE MEETING

All Junior parents will be notified with the date and time of our first After Prom meeting and fund raising activities. Past years have been extremely successful for our After-Prom celebration here at NEN and we are planning for another great After-Prom this year. Please plan to be involved in this worthwhile cause. For more information please contact:

**Terry Runde at
660-937-3125
trunde@nen.k12.mo.us**

SCHOOL CANCELLATIONS

From time to time inclement weather will cause the cancellation or early dismissal of school. At times, this can be one of the hardest decisions for the school to make. Our philosophy has been that we do not cancel school or dismiss early based on a forecast. This has seemed to work out well in the past. For early dismissal, many times it is much safer to keep the students at school than to send the students out on buses on treacherous roadways.

When necessary the district may use a two hour delayed start time during inclement weather. All bus and bell times will be delayed two hours and radio stations will be notified.

Please listen to the following stations for cancellations:

School Text will be sent out via Textcaster as the primary source of communication.

KNIM Radio- Maryville

KAAN Radio-Bethany

During times of inclement weather, please do not call the school. We are aware of the conditions and are in close contact with other school districts and MODOT to determine our course of action. It is also very important to keep the phone lines open.

ATHLETICS

Ticket Prices for the 2024-2025 school year are as follows:

Home Softball & Basketball Games
Adults \$4.00 Students \$3.00

SEASON PASS SOFTBALL ONLY
Family Pass \$50.00

BASKETBALL ONLY
Family Pass \$65.00

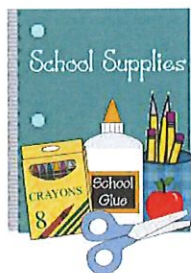
BASEBALL ONLY
Family Pass \$45.00

**SEASON PASS
SOFTBALL & BASKETBALL**
Family.....\$100.00 Adults....\$60.00

**SEASON PASS
SOFTBALL, BASKETBALL & BASEBALL**
Family.....\$125.00 Adults....\$70.00

Golden Age 65+ Free Admission

***Any student interested in HS or Jr. High Girls Softball, Jr. High/JV or Varsity Football must have their physicals turned in before your first practice. All participants will receive an athletic handbook that must be signed by student and parent before participating.



Student Technology Fee

There will be a \$15 Technology Fee for all 7th-12th Graders this year. This will cover the cost of a school issued student chromebook case. This fee can be paid at registration on August 6th.



SCHOOL SUPPLIES

7- 12 SCHOOL SUPPLIES

Basic supplies include notebooks, paper, pencils and pens. A binder or some type of organizer is strongly encouraged. Some classes require more specific materials and that information is available on page 10.

Elementary Supplies

PLEASE SEE THE ELEMENTARY CLASSROOM SUPPLY LIST ON PAGE 9 & 10 FOR ITEMS NEEDED FOR THIS SCHOOL YEAR.

.....MEDICATIONS.....PHYSICALS.....VACCINATIONS.....

A doctors order is required if your child will be taking medication or over the counter medication at school. All medicine sent to school must be in a properly labeled container.

Please contact our nurse, Teresa Runde, RN, if you have any questions about these requirements.
 trunde@nen.k12.mo.us

Athletic physicals are required for students participating in sporting activities. Physicals are due before your first practice. If you have any questions about the athletic physicals, please contact our Athletic Director, Chaim Jenkins.
 cjenkins@nen.k12.mo.us

BUS TRANSPORTATION

The bus drivers will be contacting families with bus arrival times. Kindergarten and preschool students who do not have older brothers and sisters will be notified by the driver of the approximate time the bus will arrive at their home. New families to the district should contact the school for bus time. If you are bringing students to school in the morning or picking up students in the afternoon, please do not park in the bus loading and unloading zones. Please do not use the drive on the west side of the school in the afternoon due to loading and unloading buses.

When a family is not riding the bus in the morning, someone needs to call the driver or call the school. If this is not possible please call the family that is picked up before you.

- ◆ Students should walk 10 feet in front of the bus when crossing the road or highway.
- ◆ All students should remain seated until the bus comes to a complete stop.
- ◆ High school students driving cars should be extremely careful around the school, since many small children walk to and from school.
- ◆ For the safety of all, good discipline will be required of all students in order to ride the bus.



No Students at School Before:
 7:30am
 Monday-Friday

VACCINATION REQUIREMENTS

If your child is entering preschool or kindergarten and hasn't received the required vaccinations, please contact your doctor or the local health department. (Nodaway County Health Center 660-562-2755) for an appointment as soon as possible.

Tetanus, Diphtheria & Pertussis, Meningitis

Tdap (tetanus, diphtheria, & pertussis) vaccine and MCV4 (meningococcal) vaccine is required for all incoming 8th grade students.

MCV4 (meningococcal) vaccine is also required for all incoming 12th grade students.

Copies of immunization records only needed for NEW students.

Preschool Information

We are very excited to announce that we have received a MO-QPK grant again this year. This grant enables us to provide preschool to Northeast Nodaway students at NO COST to the families! There will be no tuition collected for the 2024-2025 school year for preschool.

There will continue to be a charge for meals and optional snack milk for preschool students.

This grant is for the current school year only. Tuition may be charged in future school years.

2024-2025 NEN Personnel Changes

Northeast Nodaway School District Welcomes

New Faculty

- Brayden Hanf—Preschool
- Angie Davison—Kindergarten
- Leah Baker—4th Grade
- Jessi Masek—Interventionist
- William Harding—Music/Band
- Isaak Werner—PE
- Mazzy Hummel—JH/HS English



Teacher In-Service Days

We will have full day teacher in-service once a month. Students will not have school on those days.

Scheduled Teacher Service Days are:

- September 23rd
- October 7th
- October 24th (Parent/Teacher Conferences)
- November 4th
- December 2nd
- January 6th
- February 3rd (Parent/Teacher Conferences)
- March 10th
- April 16th



AFTER SCHOOL CHILD CARE



After school child care is available Monday through Friday at the school in the library. Students are escorted by a teacher to the library after school each day. Child care is offered until **4:30** each day. In the event that school is dismissed early for weather the students will need to be picked up at the time of dismissal or have an alternate plan.

This year the fees for after school childcare will be **\$4 hr. per child**. Students who remain in the program after 4:30 will be charged a late fee of \$1 per minute for every minute past 4:30. After School Care payments will be due by the **15th** of each month. Failure to make the payment will mean that your child will no longer be able to attend after school care, until the payment is received. The last payment (May) will be due by the last week of school.

Your child can attend at any time during the week. The students have time to complete homework, participate in a variety of activities, use the gym and the play ground. If you are interested in the after school program please ask about it at registration or call the school at 937-3125.

There will be a \$15.00 registration fee for After School Child Care for the 1st child and \$5 for each additional child per family to enroll. Sign up will take place during registration.

After School Care Hours—3:10 to 4:30

Northeast Nodaway R-V School District

2024-25 School Year Calendar

July						
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			

7/4 - 4th of July District Closed
7/5,12,19,26 - District Office Closed

August						
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

8/2,9,16- District Office Closed
8/5- New Teacher Orientation
8/6- Student Registration 1:00-6:00
8/12-15- Teacher Inservice
8/19- No School or Inservice
8/20- School Year Begins

September						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30					

9/2- Labor Day- No School
9/23- No School- 275 Conf PD Day

October						
	1	2	3	4	5	
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		

10/7- No School- Teacher Inservice
10/18- 1st Quarter Ends- 41 days
10/24- No School- Teacher Inservice
10/24- P/T Conferences 1:00-7:00
10/25- No School

November						
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30

11/4- No School- Teacher Inservice
11/27-11/29- Thanksgiving Break

December						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

12/2- No School- Teacher Inservice
12/20- 2nd Quarter Ends- 38 days
12/20- 1st Semester Ends- 79 days
12/23-12/31- Winter Break

January						
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

1/1-1/3- No School- Winter Break
1/6- Teacher Inservice
1/20- ML King Day- No School

February						
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9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	

2/3- No School- P/T Conferences 1:00-6:00
2/17- President's Day- No School

March						
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9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31					

3/7- 3rd Quarter Ends- 41 days
3/10- No School- Teacher Inservice

April						
	1	2	3	4	5	
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30			



4/16- No School- Teacher Inservice
4/17-21- No School- Spring Break

May						
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

5/11- Commencement
5/15- Last Day of School
5/15- 4th Quarter Ends- 44 days
5/15- 2nd Semester Ends- 85 days
5/26- Memorial Day- District Closed

June						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30					

6/6,13,20,27- District Office Closed

 Teacher Inservice No School
 Holiday/Vacation No School

8:03-3:10 full day (6.7333 hrs)

164 days x 6.7333 = 1104.2612

164 Student Days
177 Staff Days-Check out day will be the day following last student day.

Sixty (60) Inclement Weather Hours included
May 6-9, 12-15



Hamburger & Hotdog Supper With Chips and Cookies

Provided by: NEN Booster Club
When: During the NEN Open House on August 15th
Time: 5:00 - 7:00 PM
Where: Front Entrance of the NEN School
-Picnic tables will be provided for seating
Cost: Free Will Donation

Booster Club Supports MSHSAA Sanctioned Athletic Teams

Football	Basketball	Scholar Bowl
Softball	Cheerleading	Track
Band	Chorus	Baseball

The Northeast Nodaway Booster Club is an organization that supports all MSHSAA activities at the junior high and high school level. Those activities include band, chorus, football, basketball, track, baseball, softball, cheerleading, and scholar bowl. We do many things throughout the year to support our students, teams and our school. Below is a list of the many ways we support them on a regular basis but we also provide much more as needed and requested by the coaches. If you have a student in any of these activities, we invite you to come to our meetings. We are looking forward to a great year with our students and coaches!

- We provide meal or snack for all students before all "away" MSHSAA activities.
- We provide a NEN t-shirts each year for all students in a MSHSAA activity.
- Senior banners for the gym for each senior in a MSHSAA activity.
- Senior Night: We Coordinate the ceremony and provide flowers for parents, and a gift is given to all of the seniors in a MSHSAA activity. We also do a small senior night ceremony at the last home softball and baseball game, and put the seniors' numbers on the outfield fence.
- Homecoming: This past year we provided cash prizes for the best float, and best door decorations. We give gifts to all of the cheerleaders, basketball players, managers and coaches. We also provided pizza and pop for the homecoming dance.
- State Competitions: Provide snacks and drinks for the trip, MSHSAA state t-shirts are purchased for all students competing, and signs are hung in the school wishing the students' good luck.
- We provide t-shirts upon request for teams that would like game day shirts or warm ups.
- We assist with funding for camps and shootouts in the summer.
- We provided drinks and a small gift for each teacher during teacher appreciation week.



Join the Booster Club

**Northeast Nodaway
Preschool - 12th Grade**



**2024 - 2025
School Supplies**

<p>Preschool</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 composition notebook • 1 box of 24 Crayons • 1 box of markers • 1 package of Elmer's glue sticks • 1 bottle of glue (4 oz) • 1 pair of scissors • 2 containers of Play-Doh • Rest blanket, a rest cot will be provided • Gym shoes (labeled) & Art shirt (labeled) • 2 sets of extra clothes in a <u>labeled ziplock bag</u> (1 warm weather and 1 cold weather) 	<p>Kindergarten</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 box of 24 Crayola Crayons • 2 boxes of Crayola markers • 1 package of Elmer's glue sticks • 1 glue bottle • 1 pair of scissors • 1 package 4 Expo Fine Point Dry Erase Markers • 1 hard-sided supply box • 1 container of Play-Doh • Headphones *no earpods* (labeled) • Gym Shoes (labeled) & Art Shirt (labeled) • 1 set of extra clothes in a <u>labeled ziplock bag</u>
<p>1st Grade</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 box of Crayola crayons • 1 box of Crayola markers • 1 pkg Crayola colored pencils • 1 package 4 Expo Fine Point Dry Erase Markers • 2 Highlighters • 1 Soft sided pencil pouch/bag • 1 package Elmer's glue sticks • 1 pair of scissors • 2 fine point black Sharpies • 2 packs Sticky Notes, 3x3 • Art Shirt (labeled) & Gym Shoes • Headphones *no earpods* (labeled) 	<p>2nd Grade</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 pkg Crayola colored pencils • 1 pkg Crayola markers • 1 pkg Crayola crayons • 1 pkg Expo dry erase markers • 1 Expo dry eraser for marker board • 1 pkg of 8 Elmer's Glue Sticks • 1 pair of scissors • 3 - one subject notebooks • 4 different colored folders • Pencil pouch or box • 1 pkg sticky notes 3x3 • Art shirt (labeled) & Gym Shoes • Headphones *no earpods* (labeled)
<p>3rd Grade</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 pkg of 24 Crayola crayons • 1pkg Crayola regular markers • 1 pkg Crayola colored pencils • 1 pkg Expo dry erase markers • 1 pkg blue ink pens • 1 pkg of Elmer's glue sticks • 1 Sharpie, black • 1 pair of scissors • 2 wide-ruled composition notebooks • 1-Pencil Pouch • Art shirt (labeled) & Gym Shoes • Headphones *no earpods* (labeled) 	<p>4th Grade</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 box Crayola crayons (48 ct or larger) • 1 pkg Crayola markers • 2 pink or white erasers • 1 pkg Expo dry erase markers • 1 Elmer's glue bottle • 1 pkg Elmer's glue sticks • 1 composition notebook • 1 highlighter • 1 variety pack of pens • 1 pair scissors • Art shirt (labeled) & Gym Shoes • Headphones in a labeled ziploc bag or case

**Turn over for 5th & 6th grade and
7th - 12th grade supplies!**

5th Grade

- 1 box Crayola crayons (64 count)
- 1 pkg 12 Crayola colored pencils
- 1 pkg 8 Crayola markers
- 4 Expo dry erase markers
- 1 pair large Scissors
- 1 large Elmer's glue stick
- 2 pkg. of 4x6 note cards
- 1 pkg 3"x3" Post-it sticky notes
- 2 different colored highlighters
- One 3 subject **spiral notebook**
- 1 hardcover 3-Ring Binder
- 1 take home folder of choice
- Art shirt (labeled) & Gym Shoes
- Headphones in a labeled ziploc bag or case

6th Grade

- 1 pkg Crayola colored pencils
- 1 pkg Crayola markers
- 1 3-Subject notebook (college rule)
- 4 pocket folders - red, green, yellow, & blue
- 1 pkg 3"x3" Post-it sticky notes
- 1 pair large scissors
- 1 clear ruler
- 1 pkg Elmer's glue sticks (at least 6)
- Pencil pouch
- 1 Highlighter
- 1 pkg Expo dry erase markers
- Art shirt (labeled) & Gym Shoes
- Headphones in a labeled ziploc bag or case

Northeast Nodaway School Supplies Grades 7-12**7th & 8th Grade**

- **English**
 - 3 ring binder (1 inch)
 - Pencils
 - Blue & Black pens
 - 1 package loose leaf paper
- **Math**
 - 3 ring binder
 - Pencils
- **Science**
 - 3 ring binder
 - Pencils
 - Highlighters

9th - 12th Grade

- **English**
 - 3 ring binder (1 inch)
 - Pencils
 - Blue & Black pens
 - 1 package loose leaf paper
- **Science**
 - Pencils
 - 9th grade - small binder and composition book
 - 10th-12th - small binder
- **Algebra 1 & 2 and Geometry**
 - Notebook
 - Folder or small binder
 - Pencils
- **Pre-Calculus**
 - Notebook
 - 1.5 or 2 inch binder
 - Pencils

NEN Picture Day is August 22, 2024

for

**ALL PK-12th Grade Students (individual pictures),
Senior Composites,
and Junior High & High School Softball.**

Wagner Portrait Group will be taking our school pictures again this year. Orders must be placed online or you can call Wagner to place your order 1-800-444-7986. See details below.

CELEBRATE YOUR CHILD'S SCHOOL YEAR WITH A TIME-HONORED TRADITION

PICTURE DAY

IS COMING
SOON



We're proud to be touch-free!

Only online orders accepted.
(Please do not bring checks, cash, or order forms to school as they will no longer be accepted.)

**Northeast Nodaway County R-V
Picture Day Is:**

Thursday, August 22, 2024

To Order: WagnerPortraitGroup.com

Pre-Order Password: 5E3W7S5U

PRE-ORDER BEFORE PICTURE DAY TO RECEIVE:



- Best prices
- Free shipping to school
- Free gifts with purchase

Free gifts with all orders over \$30!

Can't order online?
Call us & we'll help!


WAGNER
PORTRAIT GROUP

314-567-5900
1-800-444-7986

We appreciate your express invitation to do business with us! By allowing us to photograph you, and/or you providing your phone number, you are consenting to receive calls and SMS/MMS msgs, including autodialed and automated calls and texts, to that number and also any number associated with your household/child(ren)'s personal information found in school records. This consent extends to Wagner Portrait Group Inc., their affiliates and subsidiaries. Msg & Data rates may apply. Terms & Conditions may be provided upon written request.





A+ Program

Would you like the opportunity to earn two years **TUITION FREE** at a Missouri public technical school or community college?

How about the chance to earn a scholarship to a Missouri four-year college of university?

If this sounds like something in which you would be interested in the A+ program might be for you!!!

What do I have to do?

- Enter into a written agreement with the high school prior to graduation
- Attend a designated school for three consecutive years
- Graduate with an overall GPA of 2.5 on a 4.0 scale
- Have at least a 95% attendance record overall for grades 9-12
- Perform 50 hours of district-supervised unpaid tutoring (12.5 of those hours may include job shadowing)
- Maintain a record of good citizenship and avoid the use of drugs and alcohol
- Score a proficient or advanced on the Algebra I End of Course Exam (or other qualifying exam in the field of mathematics)
- Apply for FAFSA (while enrolled in post-secondary and using A+ funds)
- Apply for selective service (males only)

What do I get?

FREE MONEY FOR COLLEGE!!

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Tuition and general fees up to 105% of the hours required for the program in which you are currently enrolled.

Housing and textbooks are NOT included

Some 4-year universities and colleges offer a scholarship (Northwest Missouri State University, UMKC, Missouri Western.)

Contact Mrs. Groomer for more information

agroomer@nen.k12.mo.us 660-937-3125

PUBLIC RELEASE

July 24, 2024

Northeast Nodaway announced its revised free and reduced price policy for school children unable to pay the full price of meals served in schools under the National School Lunch Program and the School Breakfast Program.

Local education officials have adopted the following family-size income criteria for determining eligibility:

Household Size	Maximum Household Income Eligible for Free Meals			Maximum Household Income Eligible for Reduced Price Meals		
	Annually	Monthly	Weekly	Annually	Monthly	Weekly
1	\$19,578	\$1,632	\$377	\$27,861	\$2,322	\$536
2	26,572	2,215	511	37,814	3,152	728
3	33,566	2,798	646	47,767	3,981	919
4	40,560	3,380	780	57,720	4,810	1,110
5	47,554	3,963	915	67,673	5,640	1,302
6	54,548	4,546	1,049	77,626	6,469	1,493
7	61,542	5,129	1,184	87,579	7,299	1,685
8	68,536	5,712	1,318	97,532	8,128	1,876
Each add'l member	+6,994	+583	+135	+9,953	+830	+192

Children from families whose current income is at or below those shown are eligible for free or reduced price meals. Applications are available at the school office. To apply, fill out a Free and Reduced Price School Meals Family Application and return it to the school. The information provided on the application is confidential and will be used only for the purpose of determining eligibility. Applications may be submitted any time during the school year. A complete application is required as a condition of eligibility. A complete application includes: (1) household income from all sources or Food Stamp/TANF case number, (2) names of all household members, and (3) the signature and last four digits of social security number or indication of no social security number of adult household member signing the application. School officials may verify current income or other information provided on the application at any time during the school year.

Foster children may be eligible regardless of the income of the household with whom they reside. Households with children who are eligible under the foster, Head Start, homeless, migrant, or runaway programs should contact the school for assistance in receiving meal benefits. Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) participants may be eligible for free or reduced price meals.

Children who are members of households currently certified as receiving Food Stamps, TANF or FDPIR are eligible for free meals. To complete an application, the household must provide the names of the children, a statement that the household receives the qualifying benefits, the Food Stamps/TANF/FDPIR case number, and the signature of the adult household member making application. When known by the school that members of a household are receiving assistance from Food Stamps, TANF or FDPIR, households will be notified of their children's eligibility for free school meals. If any children in the household were not listed on the eligibility notice or not listed on the application, the household should contact the school to have benefits extended to all children in the household.

If a family member becomes unemployed or if family size changes, the family should contact the school to file a new application. Such changes may make the children of the family eligible for these benefits.

Under the provisions of the policy, the Superintendent will review the applications and determine eligibility. If a parent is dissatisfied with the ruling of the determining official, they may wish to discuss the decision with the hearing official on an informal basis or he/she may make a request either orally or in writing to the Superintendent. Hearing procedures are outlined in the policy. A complete copy of the policy is on file in each school and in the central office where any interested party may review it.

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1. **mail:**
U.S. Department of Agriculture
Office of the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights
1400 Independence Avenue, SW
Washington, D.C. 20250-9410; or
2. **fax:**
(833) 256-1665 or (202) 690-7442; or
3. **email:**
Program.Intake@usda.gov
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**ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA FOR FREE AND REDUCED PRICE MEALS
EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2024**

Household Size	Maximum Household Income Eligible for Free Meals			Maximum Household Income Eligible for Reduced Price Meals		
	Annually	Monthly	Weekly	Annually	Monthly	Weekly
1	\$19,578	\$1,632	\$377	\$27,861	\$2,322	\$536
2	26,572	2,215	511	37,814	3,152	728
3	33,566	2,798	646	47,767	3,981	919
4	40,560	3,380	780	57,720	4,810	1,110
5	47,554	3,963	915	67,673	5,640	1,302
6	54,548	4,546	1,049	77,626	6,469	1,493
7	61,542	5,129	1,184	87,579	7,299	1,685
8	68,536	5,712	1,318	97,532	8,128	1,876
Each add'l member	+6,994	+583	+135	+9,953	+830	+192

Family/Household means a group of people who may or may not be related and who do not live in an institution or a boarding house, but who are living as one economic group. Students who are temporarily away at school should be counted as members of the family; however, students who are full-time residents of an institution are considered a family of one.

Gross Income means income before deductions for income taxes, employee's social security taxes, insurance premiums, charitable contributions, bonds, etc. It includes the following:

1. Monetary compensation for services, including wages, salary, commissions, or fees;
2. Net income from non-farm self-employment;
3. Net income from farm self-employment;
4. Social security;
5. Dividends or interest on savings or bonds or income from estates or trusts;
6. Net rental income;
7. Public assistance or welfare payments;
8. Unemployment compensation;
9. Government civilian employee or military retirement, or pensions, or veterans payments;
10. Private pensions or annuities;
11. Alimony or child support payments;
12. Regular contributions from persons not living in the household;
13. Net royalties; and
14. Other cash income. Other cash income would include cash amounts received or withdrawn from any source including savings, investments, trust accounts, and other resources which would be available to pay the price of a child's meal.

Income does not include any income or benefits received under any Federal program, which are excluded from consideration as income by any legislative prohibition.

In a household where there is income from wages and self-employment and the self-employment reflects a negative net income, consider that income as zero so as not to offset the wages earned.

In applying guidelines, the family's current rate of income should be used in determining eligibility.

Current Income is defined as income received during the month prior to application if such income is representative. Where the prior month's income was much higher or lower than usual, expected income for this year (12 months starting from the prior month) may be used; for example, self-employed people, farmers, and migrant workers.

Foster Children whose care and placement is the responsibility of the State, or who is placed by a court with a caretaker household, is categorically eligible for free meals and may be certified without an application. Whether placed by the State child welfare agency or a court, in order for a child to be considered categorically eligible for free meals, the State must retain legal custody of the child. Households with foster and non-foster children may choose to include the foster child as a household member, as well as any personal income earned by the foster child on the same household application that includes the non-foster children. Foster children on the DC list are free eligible. Foster children cannot extend eligibility to household members.

Institutionalized Children are considered a one-member family and only monies the child actually receives and controls shall be considered as income for determining eligibility.

Adopted Children for whom a household has accepted legal responsibility is considered to be a member of that household. If the adoption is a "subsidized" adoption, which may include children with special needs, the subsidy is included in the total household income.

Because some adopted children were first placed in families as foster children, parents may not be aware that, once the child is adopted, he/she must be determined eligible based on the economic unit and all income available to that household, including any adoption assistance, is counted when making eligibility determination.

LETTER TO PARENTS
FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS ABOUT FREE AND REDUCED PRICE SCHOOL MEALS

Dear Parent/Guardian:

Children need healthy meals to learn. Northeast Nodaway School District offers healthy meals every school day. Breakfast costs \$2.00-Elm./\$2.00 JH & HS; lunch costs \$3.20-Elm./\$3.30 JH & HS. Your children may qualify for free meals or for reduced price meals. Reduced price is \$0.30 for breakfast and \$0.40 for lunch. This packet includes an application for free or reduced price meal benefits, and a set of detailed instructions. Below are some common questions and answers to help you with the application process.

1. WHO CAN GET FREE OR REDUCED PRICE MEALS?
 - All children in households receiving benefits from the Food Stamp Program/Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP), the Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations (FDPIR) or Temporary Assistance/Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF), are eligible for free meals.
 - Foster children that are under the legal responsibility of a foster care agency or court are eligible for free meals.
 - Children participating in their school's Head Start program are eligible for free meals.
 - Children who meet the definition of homeless, runaway, or migrant are eligible for free meals.
 - Children may receive free or reduced price meals if your household's income is within the limits on the Federal Income Eligibility Guidelines. Your children may qualify for free or reduced price meals if your household income falls at or below the limits on this chart.

Household Size	Annually	Monthly	Weekly
1	\$27,861	\$2,322	\$536
2	\$7,814	3,152	728
3	47,767	3,981	919
4	57,720	4,810	1,110
5	67,673	5,640	1,302
6	77,626	6,469	1,493
7	87,579	7,299	1,685
8	97,532	8,128	1,876
For each add'l person add	+9,953	+830	+192

2. HOW DO I KNOW IF MY CHILDREN QUALIFY AS HOMELESS, MIGRANT, OR RUNAWAY? Do the members of your household lack a permanent address? Are you staying together in a shelter, hotel, or other temporary housing arrangement? Does your family relocate on a seasonal basis? Are any children living with you who have chosen to leave their prior family or household? If you believe children in your household meet these descriptions and haven't been told your children will get free meals, please call or e-mail 660-937-3125 or ksybert@nen.k12.mo.us.
3. DO I NEED TO FILL OUT AN APPLICATION FOR EACH CHILD? No. Use one Free and Reduced Price School Meals Application for all students in your household. We cannot approve an application that is not complete, so be sure to fill out all required information. Return the completed application to: Kristin Sybert, Northeast Nodaway R-V School District, 660-937-3125.
4. SHOULD I FILL OUT AN APPLICATION IF I RECEIVED A LETTER THIS SCHOOL YEAR SAYING MY CHILDREN ARE ALREADY APPROVED FOR FREE MEALS? No, but please read the letter you got carefully and follow the instructions. If any children in your household were missing from your eligibility notification, contact Kristin Sybert, Northeast Nodaway R-V School District, 660-937-3125 or ksybert@nen.k12.mo.us immediately.
5. MY CHILD'S APPLICATION WAS APPROVED LAST YEAR. DO I NEED TO FILL OUT A NEW ONE? Yes. Your child's application is only good for that school year and for the first few days of this school year. You must send in a new application unless the school told you that your child is eligible for the new school year.
6. I GET WIC. CAN MY CHILDREN GET FREE MEALS? Children in households participating in WIC may be eligible for free or reduced price meals. Please send in an application.
7. WILL THE INFORMATION I GIVE BE CHECKED? Yes. We may also ask you to send written proof of the household income you report.

8. IF I DON'T QUALIFY NOW, MAY I APPLY LATER? Yes, you may apply at any time during the school year. For example, children with a parent or guardian who becomes unemployed may become eligible for free and reduced price meals if the household income drops below the income limit.

9. WHAT IF I DISAGREE WITH THE SCHOOL'S DECISION ABOUT MY APPLICATION? You should talk to school officials. You also may ask for a hearing by calling or writing to: Brenda Dougan, Northeast Nodaway School, P.O. Box 206, Ravenwood, MO 64479, 660-937-3125, bdougan@nen.k12.mo.us

10. MAY I APPLY IF SOMEONE IN MY HOUSEHOLD IS NOT A U.S. CITIZEN? Yes. You, your children, or other household members do not have to be U.S. citizens to apply for free or reduced price meals.

11. WHAT IF MY INCOME IS NOT ALWAYS THE SAME? List the amount that you normally receive. For example, if you normally make \$1000 each month, but you missed some work last month and only made \$900, put down that you made \$1000 per month. If you normally get overtime, include it, but do not include it if you only work overtime sometimes. If you have lost a job or had your hours or wages reduced, use your current income.

12. WHAT IF SOME HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS HAVE NO INCOME TO REPORT? Household members may not receive some types of income we ask you to report on the application, or may not receive income at all. Whenever this happens, please write a 0 in the field. However, if any income fields are left empty or blank, those will also be counted as zeroes. Please be careful when leaving income fields blank, as we will assume you meant to do so.

13. WE ARE IN THE MILITARY. DO WE REPORT OUR INCOME DIFFERENTLY? Your basic pay and cash bonuses must be reported as income. If you get any cash value allowances for off-base housing, food, or clothing, or receive Family Subsistence Supplemental Allowance payments, it must also be included as income. However, if your housing is part of the Military Housing Privatization Initiative, do not include your housing allowance as income. Any additional combat pay resulting from deployment is also excluded from income.

14. WHAT IF THERE ISN'T ENOUGH SPACE ON THE APPLICATION FOR MY FAMILY? List any additional household members on a separate piece of paper, and attach it to your application. Contact Kristin Sybert, Northeast Nodaway R-V School District, P.O. Box 2060, Ravenwood, MO 64479, 660-937-3125 or ksybert@nen.k12.mo.us to receive a second application.

15. MY FAMILY NEEDS MORE HELP. ARE THERE OTHER PROGRAMS WE MIGHT APPLY FOR? To find out how to apply for the Food Stamp Program/SNAP or other assistance benefits, contact your local assistance office or call 1-855-373-4636.

If you have other questions or need help, call 660-937-3125.

Sincerely,
 Kristin Sybert

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1. mail: U.S. Department of Agriculture
 Office of the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights
 1400 Independence Avenue, SW
 Washington, D.C. 20250-9410; or
2. fax: (833) 256-1665 or (202) 690-7442; or
3. email: ProgramIntake@usda.gov

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HOW TO APPLY FOR FREE AND REDUCED PRICE SCHOOL MEALS

Please use these instructions to help you fill out the application for free or reduced price school meals. You only need to submit one application per household, even if your children attend more than one school in Northeast Nodaway School District. The application must be filled out completely to determine the eligibility your child(ren) for free or reduced price school meals. Please follow these instructions in order! Each step of the instructions is the same as the steps on your application. If at any time you are not sure what to do next, please contact Kristin Sybert, Northeast Nodaway R-V School District, 660-937-3125 or ksybert@nekl.k12.mo.us.

PLEASE USE A PEN (NOT A PENCIL) WHEN FILLING OUT THE APPLICATION AND DO YOUR BEST TO PRINT CLEARLY.

STEP 1: LIST ALL CHILDREN, INFANTS, AND STUDENTS UP TO AND INCLUDING GRADE 12

Tell us how many infants/toddlers, children not in school, and elementary/middle/high school students live in your household. They do NOT have to be related to you to be a part of your household.

- Who should I list here? When filling out this section, please include ALL members in your household who are:
- Children age 18 or under AND are supported with the household's income;
 - In your care under a formal foster arrangement through a court or state/local agency, or qualify as homeless, migrant, or runaway youth;
 - Students attending Northeast Nodaway, regardless of age.

- A) List each child's name. Print each child's name. Use one line of the application for each child. When printing names, write one letter in each box. Stop if you run out of space. If there are more children present than lines on the application, attach a second piece of paper for a second application if completed electronically with all required information for the additional children. This also applies to adults in Step 3. "MI" is short for middle initial. Print the first letter of each child's middle name in the box.
- B) Building name/Grade. If child is a student, list building name and grade.
- C) Do you have any foster children? If any children listed are foster children, mark the "Foster Child" box next to the child's name. If you are ONLY applying for foster children, after finishing STEP 1, go to STEP 4. Foster children who live with you may count as members of your household and should be listed on your application. If you are applying for both foster and non-foster children, go to step 3. Note: Adopted children are not considered foster children. A foster child is a minor child who has been taken into state custody and placed with a state-licensed adult, who cares for the child in place of their parent or guardian.
- D) Are any children homeless, migrant, or runaway? If you believe any child listed in this section meets this description, mark the "Homeless, Migrant, Runaway" box next to the child's name and complete all steps of the application. Homeless, Migrant, Runaway status must be confirmed with the appropriate program staff. If the school district cannot confirm your student's homeless, migrant, or runaway status, then the school district will contact you to complete an income-based application. You may choose to provide income information now in order to prevent the school district from potentially needing to contact you later.

STEP 2: DO ANY HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS CURRENTLY PARTICIPATE IN SNAP, TANF, OR FDIPIR?

If anyone in your household (including you) currently participates in one or more of the assistance programs listed below, your children are eligible for free school meals:

- The Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
- Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)
- The Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations (FDPIR)

If no one in your household participates in any of the above listed programs:

- Write a case number for SNAP, TANF, or FDIPIR. You only need to provide one case number. If you participate in one of these programs and do not know your case number, contact State number 1-855-373-4636.
- Go to STEP 4.

STEP 3: LIST ALL HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS AND INCOME FOR EACH MEMBER

How do I report my income?

- Use the lists titled "Sources of Income for Adults" & "Sources of Income for Children," printed on the back side of the application form to determine has income to report.
- Report all amounts in GROSS INCOME ONLY. Report all income in whole dollars. Do not include cents.
- Gross income is the total income received before taxes and deductions.
- Many people think of income as the amount they "take home" and not the total, "gross" amount. Make sure that the income you report on this application has NOT been reduced to pay for taxes, insurance premiums, or any other amounts taken from your pay.

Write a "0" in any fields where there is no income to report. Any income fields left empty or blank will also be counted as a zero. If you write "0" or leave any fields blank, you are certifying (promising) that there is no income to report. If local officials suspect that your household income was reported incorrectly, your application will be investigated.

- Mark how often each type of income is received using the check boxes to the right of each field.

(Information follows on the reverse side.)

3.A. REPORT INCOME EARNED BY ADULTS

Who should I list here?

- When filling out this section, please include ALL adult members in your household who are living with you and share income and expenses, even if they are not related and even if they do not receive income of their own.
- Do NOT include:
 - People who live with you, but are not supported by your household's income AND do not contribute income to your household.
 - Infants, children and students already listed in STEP 1.

1) List adult household members' names. Print the name of each household member in the boxes marked "Names of Adult Household Members (First and Last)." Include college students on taxes (all declared dependents on taxes (all college students are considered adults). Do not list any household members you listed in STEP 1.

2) List earnings from work. List all total gross income from work in the "Earnings from Work" field on the application. Total gross income from work in the "Earnings from Work" field on the application. This is usually the money received from working at jobs. If you are a self-employed business or farm owner, you will report your net income.

What if I am self-employed? Report income from that work as a net amount. This is calculated by subtracting the total operating expenses of your business from its gross receipts or revenue.

3) List income from public assistance/child support/alimony. List all income that applies in the "Public Assistance/Child Support/Alimony" field on the application. Do not report the cash value of any public assistance benefits NOT listed on the chart. If income is received from child support or alimony, only report court-ordered payments. Informal but regular payments should be reported as "other" income in the next part.

4) List income from pensions/retirement/all other income. List all income that applies in the "Pensions/Retirement/All Other Income" field on the application.

5) List total household size. Enter the total number of household members in the field "Total Household Members (Children and Adults)." This number MUST be equal to the number of household members listed in STEP 1 and STEP 3. If there are any members of your household that you have not listed on the application, go back and add them. It is very important to list all household members, as the size of your household affects your eligibility for free and reduced price meals.

6) Provide the last four digits of your Social Security Number. An adult household member must enter the last four digits of their Social Security Number in the space provided. You are eligible to apply for benefits, even if you do not have a Social Security Number. If no adult household members have a Social Security Number, leave this space blank and mark the box to the right labeled "Check if no Social Security Number."

3.B. LIST INCOME EARNED BY CHILDREN

List all income earned or received by children. List the combined gross income for ALL children listed in the box marked "Child Income." Only count foster children's income if you are applying for them together with the rest of your household.

- What is Child Income? Child income is money received from outside your household that is paid DIRECTLY to your children. Many households do not have any child income.

STEP 4: CONTACT INFORMATION AND ADULT SIGNATURE

All applications must be signed by an adult member of the household. By signing the application, that household member is promising that all information has been truthfully and completely reported. Before completing this section, please also make sure you have read the statements on the back of the application.

Provide your contact information. Write your current mailing address in the fields provided if this information is available. If you have no permanent address, that is okay. Sharing a phone number, email address, or both is optional, but helps us reach you quickly if we need to contact you.

Print and sign your name and write today's date. Print the name of the adult signing the application and that person signs in the box "Signature of adult."

Mail Completed Application to:
 Northeast Nodaway School, 126 South High School Avenue, Ravenwood, MO 64479

Share children's racial and ethnic identities (optional). On the back of the application, we ask you to share information about your children's race and ethnicity. This field is optional and does not affect your child's eligibility for free or reduced price school meals. This information is requested solely for the purpose of determining the State's compliance with Federal civil rights laws, and your response will not affect consideration of your application, and may be protected by the Privacy Act. By providing this information, you will assist us in assuring that this program is administered in a nondiscriminatory manner.

Please return the application directly to your child's SCHOOL. DO NOT mail, fax, or email completed applications or questions about applications to the USDA Office of the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights or your child's eligibility for free or reduced-price meals will be delayed.

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Complete one application per household. Please use a pen (not a pencil).

Date Received by LEA (LEA use only): _____

STEP 1 List ALL children, infants, and students up to and including grade 12. Attach another sheet of paper if you need space for more names.

List ALL children in the household. Do not forget to list infants, children attending other schools, children not in school, and children not applying for benefits. This includes children not related to you in your household.

Child's First Name	MI	Child's Last Name	Building Name	Grade	Foster Child	Homeless, Migrant, Runaway
					<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
					<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
					<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
					<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
					<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

If you checked any of these boxes, please refer to the Application Instruction's Step 1: Part C & Part D.

Check all that apply

STEP 2 Do any household members (including you) participate in: SNAP, TANF, or FDIPIR?

NO → Go to STEP 3. YES → Write case number here and proceed to STEP 4. CASE NUMBER (NOT EBT NUMBER): _____ Write only one case number in this space.

STEP 3 List ALL household members and income for each member (before taxes and deductions)

A. All Adult Household Members (Anyone who is living with you and shares income and expenses, even if not related, including you.)

List all Adult Household Members not listed in STEP 1 (including yourself) even if they do not receive income. For each Household Member listed, if they receive income, report total gross income (before taxes and deductions) for each source in whole dollars (no cents) only. If they do not receive income from any source, write '0'. If you enter '0' or leave any fields blank, you are certifying (promising) that there is not income to report.

Name of Adult Household Members (First and Last)	Earnings from Work			Public Assistance, Child Support, Alimony			Pensions, Retirement, Social Security, SSI, VA Benefits, All Other Income		
	How often received? Weekly	Every 2 Weeks	2x Month	How often received? Weekly	Every 2 Weeks	2x Month	How often received? Weekly	Every 2 Weeks	2x Month
	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
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	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Total Household Members (Children and Adults): Last four numbers of Social Security Number (SSN) of primary wage earner or other adult household member (if Applicable): X X X X

B. Child Income

Sometimes children in the household earn or receive income.

Include the TOTAL income (before taxes and deductions) received by ALL children listed in STEP 1 here.

Child Income			How often received?		
Weekly	Every 2 Weeks	2x Month	Weekly	Every 2 Weeks	2x Month
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Check if no Social Security Number

Please see back of application for list of income sources.

STEP 4 Contact information and adult signature. RETURN COMPLETED FORM TO YOUR CHILD'S SCHOOL: Northeast Nodaway R-V School District, 126 South High School Avenue, Ravenwood, MO.

"I certify (promise) that all information on this application is true and that all income is reported. I understand that this information is given in connection with the receipt of federal funds, and that school officials may verify (confirm) the information. I am aware that if I purposely give false information, my children may lose meal benefits, and I may be prosecuted under applicable State and Federal laws."

Print Name of Adult Signing the Form: _____ Signature of Adult: _____ Today's Date: _____

Mailing Address (if Available): _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ Daytime Phone and Email (optional): _____

DO NOT FILL OUT THIS SECTION. THIS IS FOR SCHOOL USE ONLY.

ANNUAL INCOME CONVERSION: WEEKLY X 52, EVERY 2 WEEKS X 26, TWICE A MONTH X 24, MONTHLY X 12 (USE ONLY IF MULTIPLE FREQUENCY)

Food Stamps/Temporary Assistance Household size: _____ Per: Week Every 2 Weeks Twice a Month Month Year

Eligibility: Free Reduced Denied Reason: _____

Error Prone Application: Yes No (Optional - See FAQs) Determining Official's Signature: _____ Date withdrawn: _____

Confirming Official's Signature (For Verification purposes only): _____ Date Approved/Denied: _____ Date: _____

SOURCES AND EXAMPLES OF INCOME

For additional information on income, please refer to the instructions that accompany this application.

Sources of Income		Pensions/Retirement/ All other sources of income	Examples of income for Children
<p>Earning from Work</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Salary, wages, cash bonuses, tips, commissions Net income from self-employment (farm or business) <p>If you are in the U.S. Military:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Basic pay and cash bonuses (do NOT include combat pay, FSSA, or privatized housing allowances) Allowances for off-base housing, food, and clothing 	<p>Public Assistance/Alimony/Child Support</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Unemployment benefits Workers' compensation Supplemental Security Income (SSI) Cash assistance from State or local government Alimony payments Child support payments Veterans' benefits Strike benefits 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Social Security/Disability (including railroad retirement and black lung benefits) Private Pensions or disability benefits Income from trusts or estates Annuities Investment income Earned interest Rental income Regular cash payments from outside household 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A child has a regular full or part-time job where they earn a salary or wages A child is blind or disabled and receives Social Security benefits A parent is disabled, retired, or deceased, and their child receives Social Security benefits A child has a regular full or part-time job where they earn a salary or wages A child has a regular full or part-time job where they earn a salary or wages

OPTIONAL

Children's ethnic and racial identities. This information is kept confidential and may be protected by the Privacy Act of 1974.

We are required to ask for information about your children's race and ethnicity. This information is important and helps to make sure we are fully serving our community. Responding to this section is optional and does not affect your children's eligibility for free or reduced price meals.

Ethnicity (check one): Hispanic or Latino (a person of Cuban, Mexican, Puerto Rican, South or Central American, or other Spanish Culture or origin, regardless of race) Not Hispanic or Latino

Race (check one or more): American Indian or Alaska Native Asian Black or African American Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander White

Return this completed form to your child's school. *Do not mail, fax, or email completed applications to the U.S. Department of Agriculture Office of the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights.

Use of Information Statement

The Richard B. Russell National School Lunch Act requires that we use information from this application to see who qualifies for free or reduced price meals. We can only approve complete forms. We may share your eligibility information with education, health, and nutrition programs to help them deliver program benefits to your household. Inspectors and law enforcement may also use your information to make sure that program rules are met.

Please be sure to provide the last four numbers of the Social Security number of the adult household member who signs the application. If the adult does not have one, 'Check if no Social Security Number'. Applications for a foster child do not need to list a Social Security number. Applications for children in households receiving Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) or Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) or Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations (FDPIR) do not need to list a Social Security number.

Some children qualify for free meals without an application. Please contact your school to get free meals for a foster child, and children who are homeless, migrant, or runaway.

The contact information below is solely to file a complaint of discrimination

In accordance with federal civil rights law and U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) civil rights regulations and policies, this institution is prohibited from discriminating on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex (including gender identity and sexual orientation), disability, age, or reprisal or retaliation for prior civil rights activity. Program information may be made available in languages other than English. Persons with disabilities who require alternative means of communication to obtain program information (e.g., Braille, large print, audiotape, American Sign Language), should contact the responsible state or local agency that administers the program or USDA's TARGET Center at (202) 720-2600 (voice and TTY) or contact USDA through the Federal Relay Service at (800) 877-8339.

To file a program discrimination complaint, a complainant should complete a Form AD-3027, USDA Program Discrimination Complaint Form which can be obtained online at: <https://www.usda.gov/sites/default/files/documents/USDA-OASCR%20P-Complaint-Form-0508-0002-508-11-28-17Fax2Mail.pdf>, from any USDA office, by calling (866) 632-9992, or by writing a letter addressed to USDA. The letter must contain the complainant's name, address, telephone number, and a written description of the alleged discriminatory action in sufficient detail to inform the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights (ASCR) about the nature and date of an alleged civil rights violation. The completed AD-3027 form or letter must be submitted to USDA by:

* MAIL: U.S. Department of Agriculture
Office of the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights
1400 Independence Avenue, SW
Washington, D.C. 20250-9410

FAX: (833) 256-1665 or (202) 690-7442; or
EMAIL: Program.intake@usda.gov

* Do not mail applications to this address, only complaints of discrimination.

Return completed form to your child's school.

This institution is an equal opportunity provider.

INCOME ELIGIBILITY GUIDELINES
(EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2024 THROUGH JUNE 30, 2025)

Household Size	FREE MEALS - 130%					REDUCED PRICE MEALS - 185%				
	Annually	Monthly	Weekly	Every Two Weeks	Twice a Month	Annually	Monthly	Weekly	Every Two Weeks	Twice a Month
1	\$19,578	\$1,632	\$377	\$753	\$816	\$27,861	\$2,322	\$536	\$1,072	\$1,161
2	26,572	2,215	511	1,022	1,108	37,814	3,152	728	1,455	1,576
3	33,566	2,798	646	1,291	1,399	47,767	3,981	919	1,838	1,991
4	40,560	3,380	780	1,560	1,690	57,720	4,810	1,110	2,220	2,405
5	47,554	3,963	915	1,829	1,982	67,673	5,640	1,302	2,603	2,820
6	54,548	4,546	1,049	2,098	2,273	77,626	6,469	1,493	2,986	3,235
7	61,542	5,129	1,184	2,367	2,565	87,579	7,299	1,685	3,369	3,650
8	68,536	5,712	1,318	2,636	2,856	97,532	8,128	1,876	3,752	4,064
For each add'l person, add	+6,994	+583	+135	+269	+292	+9,953	+830	+192	+383	+415

REQUEST FOR INFORMATION

(Complete one form per family)

Please answer the question below by checking the appropriate box. The following information is a request adopted by the General Assembly in 2010 requiring school districts to determine whether or not all children in a family have health insurance.

Does each child in your family have healthcare insurance?

YES

NO

MO HealthNet (Medicaid) is considered healthcare insurance.

If NO is checked the school district will provide the Does Your Child Need Healthcare Coverage form for the family.

Completion of this form is not a condition of determining meal eligibility. The Free and Reduced Price Meals Family Application will be reviewed regardless of your response to this Request for Information.

Submit this request with your Free and Reduced Price School Meals Family Application or return to your school/school district.

Printed name of parent/guardian: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

BLUE JAY ALERTS!



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Sign up for **BLUE JAY ALERTS!** and get important information about the Northeast Nodaway R-V School District sent as text messages directly to your mobile phone or pager.

EMERGENCY INFORMATION
SCHOOL CLOSINGS
EARLY DISMISSALS
SCHOOL EVENT REMINDERS

Sign-up is easy...and it's free. Just go through the simple 2-step sign-up process on the NW Cellular website and select the school(s) you wish to receive information for based on the types of events listed above.

Please go to our website at www.nenr5.com; Click on Parent Resources at the top of the page; then click on the "Bluejay Text Alerts" button and you will be directed to the sign up page.

School Alerts are available to anyone on ANY carrier. You only need the ability to receive text messages. For customers of Northwest Missouri Cellular, incoming text messages are always free and you do not need to be signed up for a text messaging package to receive these alerts.

Note: School Alerts! is a free service sponsored by Northwest Missouri Cellular. This is a SPAM-free application. Your name and personal contact information are protected and will remain private. Please check your cell phone plan for any text message fees your wireless provider may charge. For customers of Northwest Missouri Cellular, incoming text messages are free. You may change your message preferences or unsubscribe at any time.



NORTHEAST NODAWAY

FALL/WINTER SPORTS SCHEDULES FOR 2024-25

Junior High, Junior Varsity & Varsity Girls Softball Game Schedule 2024-2025

Date	Time	Opponent	Team	Location	Bus Time
9/3/2024	5:00	Stewartsville with Osborn	JV - V	Home	
9/9/2024	5:30	Albany	JV - V	Away	3:30
9/10/2024	4:00	Platte Valley	JH - JV - V	Away	2:50
9/16/2024	4:30	North Andrew	JH - JV - V	Home	
9/17/2024	4:00	DeKalb	JH - JV - V	Home	
9/19/2024	4:00	Stewartsville with Osborn	JH - JV - V	Away	2:00
9/21/2024	TBD	JH & V - Stanberry Invitational Tournament	JH - V	Away	TBD
9/24/2024	5:00	Plattsburg	JV - V	Home	
9/26/2024	4:30	Stanberry	JH - JV - V	Home	
9/28/2024	TBD	V - North Andrew Tournament	V	Away	TBD
9/28/2024	TBD	JH - East Harrison Tournament	JH	Away	TBD
9/30/2024	5:00	East Buchanan	JV - V	Away	2:20
10/1/2024	4:00	Platte Valley	JH - JV - V	Home	
10/3/2024	5:00	DeKalb	JH - JV - V	Away	2:20
10/7/2024	4:00	Worth County	JH - JV - V	Away	2:30
10/8/2024	4:30	Bishop LeBlond	JV - V	Away	2:10
10/10/2024	5:00	East Harrison -- Senior Night --	V	Home	

JH Basketball Schedule 2024-2025

Date	Time	Opponent	Location	Bus Time
10/21/2024	5:30	King City	Home	
10/23/2024	5:30	Union Star	Away	3:40
10/29/2024	5:30	North Nodaway	Away	4:00
10/31/2024	5:30	Platte Valley	Away	4:20
11/4/2024	5:30	St. Gregory Barbarigo	Home	
11/5/2024	5:30	Stanberry	Away	4:10
11/7/2024	5:30	Worth County	Home	
11/11-14	TBD	King City Tournament	Away	TBD
11/18-23	TBD	Northeast Nodaway Tournament	Home	TBD

Varsity Basketball Schedule

2024-2025

Date	Time	Opponent	Team	Location	Bus Time
11/21/2024	5:00	HS GIRLS ONLY- Maryville Jamboree	V-Girls	Away	3:55
11/26/2024	6:00	Albany	V	Home	
12/2-7	TBD	PVI Tournament - TBD	V	Away	TBD
12/9/2024	6:00	King City	V	Home	
12/10/2024	6:00	Worth County	V	Away	4:40
12/12/2024	6:00	Stanberry	V	Away	4:50
12/16/2024	6:00	Gilman City	V	Home	
12/17/2024	6:00	North Nodaway	V	Away	4:40
12/20/2024	6:00	DeKalb	V	Home	
1/7/2025	6:00	Nodaway Valley	V	Home	
1/10/2025	6:00	Rock Port	V	Away	4:10
1/13-18	TBD	Stanberry Invitational Tournament	V	Away	TBD
1/21/2025	6:00	Platte Valley	V	Away	5:00
1/24/2025	6:00	Mound City -- Homecoming--	V	Home	
1/27-31	TBD	King City Tournament	V	Away	TBD
2/4/2025	6:00	Union Star	V	Home	
2/7/2025	6:00	East Atchison	V	Away	4:10
2/11/2025	6:00	North Harrison	V	Away	4:10
2/14/2025	6:00	Stewartsville/Osborn -- Senior Night--	V	Home	
2/18/2025	6:00	South Holt	V	Away	4:10

Game Schedule

VARSIY FOOTBALL

2024-2025

<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Home/Away</u>
8/23/2024	Worth County Jamboree	7:00 PM	Home
8/30/2024	Platte Valley	7:00 PM	Away
9/6/2024	Mound City	7:00 PM	Home
9/13/2024	North Andrew	7:00 PM	Home
9/20/2024	Albany (Homecoming)	7:00 PM	Home
9/27/2024	St. Joseph Christian	7:00 PM	Away
10/4/2024	Stanberry	7:00 PM	Away
10/11/2024	Pattonsburg	7:00 PM	Home
10/18/2024	King City	7:00 PM	Away
10/25/2024	Princeton (Senior Night)	7:00 PM	Home

Game Schedule

JH/JV FOOTBALL

2024-2025

<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Home/Away</u>
9/9/2024	Princeton	5:00/6:00 PM	Home
9/16/2024	North Andrew	4:00/5:30 PM	Home
9/23/2024	Albany	5:00/6:30 PM	Home
9/30/2023	St. Joe Christian	5:00/6:00 PM	Away
10/7/2024	Stanberry	5:00/6:00 PM	Away
10/14/2024	Pattonsburg	5:00/6:00 PM	Home