

611115 417		THESE AND	WEDNESS ***		5010 AV	C. 4 T. 1 D. D. 43 4
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
						1
2	3	4	5 245 EARLY DISMISSAL	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17 🗱	18	19	20	21	22
16				38		
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31	1	2 245 EARLY	3	4	





Important Phone Mumbers





First Student

(217) 920-1341

(217) 920-1347

(217) 920-1348



P 217-444-3400 F. 21 74443488



Lateness

Attendance

Mrs. Guthrie 217-444-3404



Receptionists

Mrs. Davis 217-444-3403



Nurse

Nurse Gabby 217-444-3408



Mr. Hightower 2174443474

Mr. Day 217444-3468

Ms. Mason 2174443482



Guidance Counselor

C. Helferich

HelferichC@danville118.org Secretary J. Curry-Varner



>EIGHTH > GRADE

Guidance Counselor

T.Ferber

FeberT@danville118.org Secretary J. Augustson



M.Parker ParkerM@danville118.org



Dean

J. Smith Smithj@danville118.org

Be the "I" in M D



Celebrating Our School Social Workers!

March 3-March 7th

We take a moment to recognize and appreciate our **dedicated school social workers** who make a difference in the lives of students, families, and staff every day. They provide essential support by promoting students' well-being, offering guidance through challenges, and helping to create a positive school environment.

School social workers play a crucial role in advocating for students, connecting families to resources, and fostering mental health awareness within our school community. Their dedication ensures that every

student has the support they need to succeed academically, socially,



Appreciating Our Custodian & Maintenance Staff!March 7th

We want to recognize our school custodian and maintenance staff! These individuals are the backbone of

We are so grateful for their **dedication**, **hard work**, **and positive attitude** in making our school a great place to learn and grow



Mr. Kizer



Jack Coon

Debbie Marsh





Thank you Ms. Hampton for all the amazing food.

AT NORTH RIDGE



FEBRUARY STUDENTS/EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH



Jamar Carter-8th Grade

Jamar is a polite, driven, responsible, and punctual student. He always does his best and works hard at meeting all of the PBIS expectations.



Sophia is an overall great students. She has great grades, always follows PBIS expectations, and is actively engaged in many after school activities. Sophia is one of the kindest, helpful, sweetest, and brightest students. She is a perfect example as to what an honor student should be. Lastly, she is always willing to help her teachers, classmates, and helps in her community; Sophia is an excellent student. She submits all work, is a leader and sets a positive tone in the classroom.

Sophia Wright-8th Grade



He is always hard working, kind, and very active in school activities. In addition, he does his best to meet PBIS expectations.



Emry Smith-7th Grade

Choyce is consistently working hard, using every minute of class time to the fullest, and is polite to both staff and students in the building. Choyce could easily join in with some of the drama her friends enjoy talking about, but she chooses to put her school work and her success first. She is a model student.

Choyce Brown- 7th Grade



Lisa goes above and beyond to be kind to the staff at North Ridge. She provides snacks in the lounge and is always willing to help out in any way she can. She is a great help in the classroom and always steps in and helps students be successful. She is great with the kids, dependable, and always willing to do more than is expected of her.

Lisa Montalvo- Teacher Assistant

NORTH RIDGE ATTENDANCE WINNERS





Citizens Police Academy

8 weeks on Thursday's,

6 PM- 9PM April 17th - June 12th (excluding June 5th) 2025

Danville Police Training Center, located at

1155 E Voorhees St in Danville.

For more information, please call 217-431-2250 or



The purpose of the classes are to inform you about your police department. There are no costs or fees to attend the academy.

What goes on at the Academy?

Patrol Operations/Traffic Enforcement

Criminal Investigations

Crime Scene (CSI)

Emergency Response Unit (SWAT)

Legal Issues

Canine (K-9),

Gang awareness / shooting investigations

Drug Enforcement







A tour of the Vermilion County Jail will be hosted by the Sheriff's Department. Each adult participant will also be provided an opportunity to ride on patrol with an on-duty Danville Police Officer.



The Citizens Police Academy is a program designed to build a better understanding between citizens and the police through education and positive interaction. The Academy offers classes on a variety of law enforcement topics over an nine week period.



If you would like to attend, please call 217-431-2250 or

Email: jlong@danvillepd.org





AFTER-SCHOOL

PROGRAM

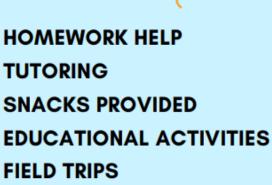


MORNING PROGRAM 7:45-8:45

> AFTER SCHOOL 3:45-5:45

*TRANSPORTATION WILL BE PROVIDED

TUTORING **STEM**





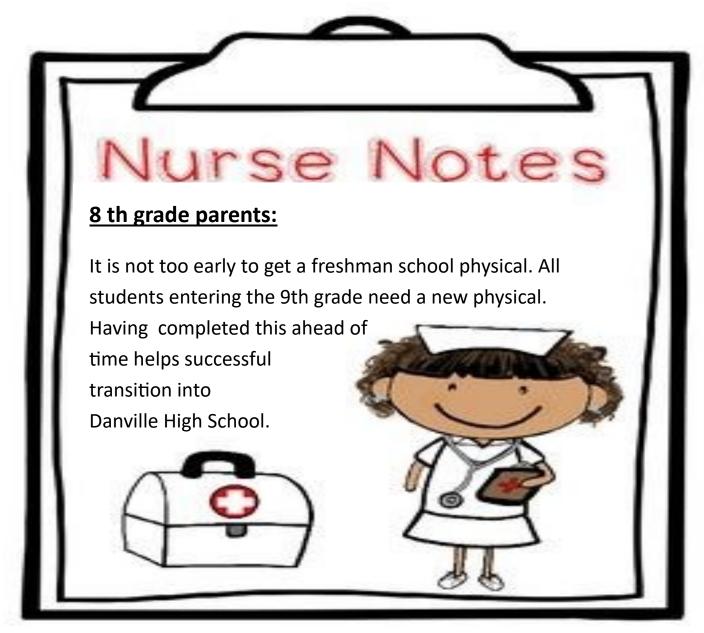
START DATE: MARCH 24TH LIMITED SPOTS AVAILABLE!

SCAN THE QR CODE TO ENROLL YOUR STUDENT.

QUESTIONS? CALL THE PROJECT SUCCESS OFFICE 217-446-3200



17-446-3200





Please know, our school-based health clinic, Southern Illinois Healthcare Foundation, better known as SIHF, is always available for our D118 students. SIHF is perfect for physicals, vaccines, illnesses and minor injuries.

For more information you may contact them at 217-920-0168.



ies. Along with other echinoderms (think sea urchins and sand dollars), their entire bodies are technically classed as heads.







ParentView gives you direct access to the status of your child's bus. Whether deciding the best time to meet at the stop, or seeking detailed delay notifications, ParentView gives you the information you need to plan your day and stay connected.



INSTANT DISTRICT NOTIFICATIONS



PARENT SUPPORT



KNOW WHERE THE BUS IS



DISTANCE NOTIFICATIONS

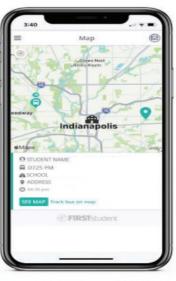


VIEW TRACKING STATUS



MULTIPLE KIDS -

District Code: U93R

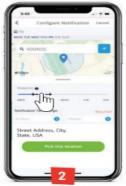


How it works

ParentView tracks the bus on the map and allows you to set up a customizable geofence around your pick-up/drop-off location, so you can be alerted when the bus is close. Getting started with FirstView is simple. First download the app from Google Play or the App Store, register for an account, and enter the required code(s). To start tracking:



Choose Your Student's Route



Drop a Pin and Set Up the Geofence



Set Up Alert Notification Hours



Track the Bus and Receive Alerts

NOTE: Many of our systems and tools integrate heavily with data gathered from your District, allowing us to provide accurate reporting and a customized approach. Because these systems rely on unique information about your students and routes, they will not be fully functional on day one. FirstView' typically requires one to three months to integrate and sort your data effectively.











North Ridge Athletics

Check out our Facebook page:

North Ridge Athletics

ALL UPDATES WILL BE POSTED HERE

All athletes MUST have a new sports physical



REGISTER ONLINE BEFORE THE DATE OF TRYOUTS TO REGISTER SCAN THE QR CODE ABOVE OR GO TO...

https://schools.snap.app/northridge



FALL

- Softball
- Baseball
- Cross Country
- Cheerleading
- Girls Basketball

WINTER

- Boys Basketball
- Girls Volleyball

SPRING

Track & Field

If you have questions or need help with registration, please contact our athletic director, Taryn Owens.

owenst@danville118.org

217.444.3426 ROOM 609



Track & Field 2025

All athletes participating in track and field need a pair of running shoes (non-spikes). Running shoes provide cushioned support to help minimize injury. *Basketball shoes are not recommended*.

Track spikes are considered **optional**. Some athletes may choose to compete in spikes. However, athletes *MUST* have running shoes (non-spikes) for practice. We do not always practice on spike-friendly surfaces. In addition, continually running in spikes may lead to injury, as they do not provide the support running shoes do.

KNOW BEFORE YOU BUY:



Running Shoes (Required):

A cushioned running shoe is made to feel comfy and soft when you run. It has special foam or gel inside to help protect your feet and legs from hard impacts.



Sprinter Spikes (Optional):

Sprinter spikes typically have no cushion in the heal and have a distinct round look on the heal. Some brands will include sprint in the name of the shoe.

These are typically used for the 100m, 200m, 400m, and hurdles. They can also be used for jumps.



Distance Spikes (Optional):

Distance spikes typically have noticeable cushioning in the heal and work well for all distances. The distance spike may also be called a cross country or XC spike.

These are typically used for the 400m, 800m, and 1600m. They can also be used for jumps and sprints.



The North Ridge Builders Club has been busy with our second semester of school and community service projects.

In February, we made Valentines for Veterans. The valentines were delivered to the veterans at our local VA Illiana Health Care System. We would like to thank all our club members who helped make the beautiful valentines!

State testing will be held at the end of March and the beginning of April. We will be counting and delivering peppermints to the teachers to distribute to the students during testing. We will also start planning for Earth Day activities in April and Teacher Appreciation Week in May.

We are still collecting General Mills Box Tops for Education through their app. Please add the app to your phone and start scanning your receipts. Contact Mrs. Delzell if you need information about how to use the app or if you need a list of eligible Box Top products. Money collected from the General Mills Box Tops for Education Program is used to help fund our school and community projects.

The Builders Club continues to oversee the NRMS recycling program.

Our next meetings are:

Wednesday, March 5, 2025, at 8:15 A.M.

Spring Break- March 17th-March 21st No School

Wednesday, March 26, 2025, at 8:15 A.M.

Wednesday, April 2, 2025, at 8:15 A.M.

Wednesday, April 16, 2025, at 8:15 A.M.

Wednesday, April 30, 2025, at 8:15 A.M. (Extra meeting to plan for Teacher Appreciation Week)

*If you have questions, all club information and news is posted in our Builders Club Google Classroom. You may also contact Mrs. Delzell and/or Mrs. Leemon at North Ridge.

We are still recruiting new members, especially 7th graders, for next year. Please contact us if your child is interested in joining the Builders Club. As always, thank you for your support!



STUDENTS MUST FOLLOW PBIS BEHAVIOR EXPECTATIONS REGULARLY TO ATTEND:

BE SAFE BE KIND BE RESPONSIBLE

CRITERIA: PASSING ALL CLASSES, NO DISCIPLINE REFERRALS STARTING FEBRUARY 20TH, CANNOT HAVE MULTIPLE UNEXCUSED ABSENCES OR MULTIPLE TARDIES TO CLASSES, CANNOT HAVE MULTIPLE TEACHEREASE BEHAVIOR LOGS

STUDENTS WILL HAVE TO HAVE A SIGNED PERMISSION SLIP TO ATTEND







MEN'S BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT



COME WATCH TEAMS FROM ALL OVER THE COUNTRY COMPETE FOR THE CHAMPIONSHIP

MARCH 17-22, 2025

MARY MILLER GYMNASIUM
DANVILLE AREA COMMUNITY COLLEGE

😲 2000 E. Main St. Danville, IL 61832



THE NORTH RIDGE RED PEPPERS & ADVANCED BAND PRESENT

CANDLELIGHT & CADENZAS COFFEE HOUSE

CONCERT FUNDRAISER
MARCH 28, 2025
5:30 PM



NORTH RIDGE MIDDLE SCHOOL CAFETORIUM
FEATURING GUEST ARTISTS
\$10 ADMISSION
DESSERTS AND COFFEE INCLUDED



BE SAFE

IF YOU FEEL SICK STAY HOME

(IT'S NOT PERSONAL)

Fever 100° or higher, vomiting or diarrhea in the last 24 hours, lice, having a known infectious illness or rash, eye drainage that cannot be maintained properly, having an ER visit within the past 24 hours.

Cold/flu season is among us. If you are not sure when to keep your student home, please call the school nurse at the number below.

A BETTER YOU

Is It a Cold ... or the Flu? *

Uh oh. You're getting that achy feeling in your joints, your throat is scratchy, and you can't seem to get warm. There's no doubt you're getting sick, but is it a cold or the flu—and does it even matter? "The flu generally comes on more quickly and body aches are a prominent feature," says Matt Nimer, a physician assistant specializing in family medicine at University of Utah Health Care. "The flu can cause other health issues, so it helps to know the difference." Here's a quick guide.

Symptoms	Cold	Flu	
Body aches	Not usually	Almost always, often severe	
Congestion, runny nose, sore throat, sneezing	Almost always	Sometimes	
Exhaustion	Sometimes, but never extreme	Almost always, usually extreme	
Fever	Not usually	Almost always	
Headache	Sometimes	Usually	
Location of symptoms	Above the neck	Entire body	
Typical duration	About a week	One to three weeks	

Doc or Not?

"If you think you have a cold, in most cases it's OK to treat symptoms and wait it out for a week," Nimer says. But if your condition worsens or you think you have the flu, visit your doctor right away. "There are prescription medications that help, but they need to be taken within 48 hours of symptom onset."