

Welcome

Administrative Team



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By the end of the orientation you will be able to....

- Understand the North Point daily operational schedule.
- Understand school and CCPS policies specific to our Eagles.
- Access and apply key information to experience a successful year.



Do I need to register?

Registration

You must register IF:

- You are zoned for North Point, BUT did NOT attend a CCPS school last year or
- You were accepted into a CTE program, BUT did NOT attend a CCPS school last year

If you are required to register:

• Go to ccboe.com and follow the directions under the "Parents" tab for school registration

Students who attended a CCPS school last year and are zoned and/or accepted into a CTE program do not have to register.

You MUST be zoned to attend North Point and/or have been accepted into one of the 16 CTE programs to register.

Drop Off/Pick Up

Student Hours: **8:05 AM** – **2:50 PM**

School starts at 8:05. You are late if you are arriving at 8:05 or later.

Drop Off: Students may be dropped off after 7:15 AM at the main office circle to report to the cafeteria.

Pick Up: 2:50 PM in the main office circle.

At no time during the school day are students permitted to be dropped off or picked in the pool or tennis lots. This is a safety issue.

Transportation

- Bus transportation is provided for both zoned and CTE students.
- CTE students will catch a shuttle to NP from their zoned high school or ride a bus directly from their neighborhood.
- Students should be standing at their assigned bus stop five minutes before the scheduled bus arrival.
- Bus information available at www.ccboe.com/transportation



Know Your Bus Information

- On the CCPS website, under the "Parent" tab, go to **School Locator**.
- Enter your address in the search then accept.
- Search the schools listed for that address.
- Choose North Point first to check for direct service from home.
- The format will show: AM/PM buses.
- Follow the links to Transportation Help Tickets to complete Bus Stop Concerns.
- Important: If coming from another school zone, please check the High School and Elementary school you are zoned for AM and PM bus.
 - There will be a transfer bus from the zoned high school to North Point in the AM.
 - There may also be a transfer bus from North Point to the zoned elementary school in the PM.

Late Arrivals/Early Dismissals

- Students must report to the main office to sign in.
- An excuse note from the parent/guardian must be presented at the time of sign-in.



- Students must sign out in the main office.
- Parent/Guardian must come to the main office and present a picture ID to pick up a student.
- Only persons on the emergency card are permitted to pick up students (please keep emergency info up-to-date).
- If leaving during lunch, make arrangements for your child to meet you in the main office.

LUNCH

• Lunches are **no longer free** for all students.

Breakfast =
$$$1.50$$

Lunch =
$$$3.05$$



- Parents can use MyPaymentsPlus.com to add money to the meal account.
- Lunch shifts are part of students' 3rd block classes.
- Students have 30 minutes for lunch.
- Students/Parents may NOT have food delivered to the school via Uber Eats, Door Dash, etc.



Click to Apply Online for Free & Reduced Meals!

FARMS Application

- Apply online <u>MySchoolApps Home Page</u> found at ccboe.com
- The app offers English and Spanish options and is the quickest way to complete the application.
- Only one application needed per family, even if siblings attend different schools.

WHY:

- Family may be eligible for PEBT cash benefits.
- There are discounts on internet access available to approved families.
- Family may be eligible for ACT/SAT waivers.



What if my child forgets his/her lunch?

- The student can <u>purchase/charge</u> a school lunch with their ID number.
- Students may NOT leave school to purchase lunch.
- Food may NOT be ordered and delivered to the school.
- If you choose to drop off a lunch, please remember:
 - We do not provide refrigeration or microwaves for student use.
 - Please only drop off lunch for your child allergy concerns
 - Any food dropped off after your child's assigned lunch time will be held in the main office until the end of the school day.



FLIGHT

- •After the first two weeks, we will implement activity period called Flight in between first and second block.
- •This will replace our traditional one-hour lunch period.
- Each day students will receive academic support in one course.
- •We will implement a schedule where each day students will be assigned to attend Flight for one of their courses.
- •As we progress through the first grading period, we will add additional clubs and student activities during Flight.

FLIGHT

Objectives of Flight:

- •Teach students to take advantage of opportunities for academic support.
- Build relationships between students and staff.
- •Allow students to participate in extracurricular activities during the school day.

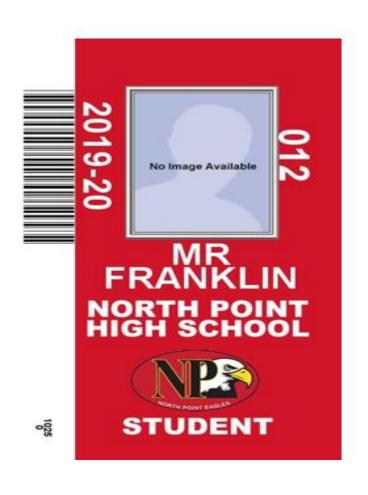


Lockers



- Lockers have been assigned. Information is available on StudentVue/ParentVue.
- Students should NEVER share lockers/combinations with others.
- Please remember that all non-laptop sleeves must be stored in student's lockers during the school day.
- Lockers for CTE, PE, and Music classes are issued in those classes. Students should place belongings in those lockers before the beginning of the school day.

Student ID Badges



- All students are required to wear their school-issued ID during the school day.
- IDs must be visible at all times.
- IDs must be worn above the waist on either a lanyard (provided) or clip.
- New students will receive student IDs in the fall after school pictures are taken.

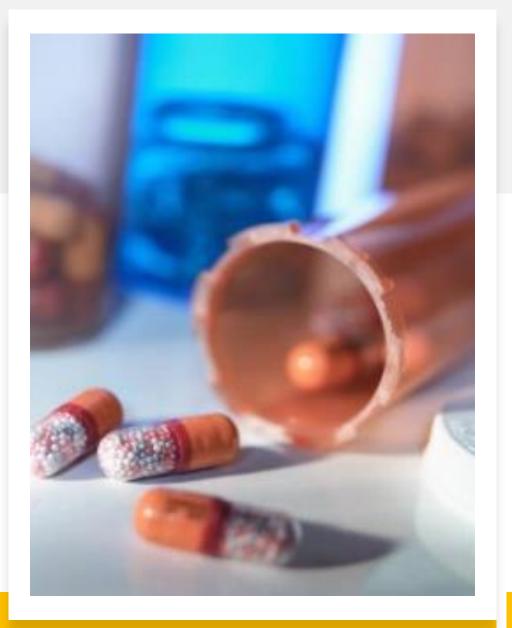
Agendas - Organizers



- All students are encouraged to utilize some form of organizing their academic and extra-curricular activities.
- Families can purchase hard-copy agendas, but also have access to the Microsoft 365 calendar.
- Agendas are used as an organizational tool.
- Write your child's name in it with permanent ink.
- Agenda books may be purchased directly at North Point; the cost is \$5.
- Tip: Please do not have your child write their locker combination in their agenda books.

Medication

- Students may not carry any type of medication with them (including Tylenol/Ibuprofen, etc.).
- All over-the-counter AND prescription medication MUST be brought to school by the parent and accompanied by a completed medications form (available from the nurse).
- The nurse must dispense all medications.
- Contact the school nurse should you have questions.
- Per CCPS Code of Conduct, possession of any form of medication carries disciplinary consequences.



Dress Code

See NPHS Student Handbook for a full description.

Keep it Professional!

- Shorts/dresses/skirts must be mid-thigh.
- Rips & tears cannot be above mid-thigh.
- Undergarments are not to be visible.
- Crop tops/strapless tops/spaghetti straps are not permitted.
- Headwear (hats/visors/skull caps/headbands/bandanas/shower caps/hoods) is not permitted.
- Clothing depicting/promoting drugs, alcohol, profanity, obscenity, racism, gang activity or violence is prohibited.

Dress for Success SOARR with Professionalism



The Real World Starts Here - Dress for It



CCPS Cell Phone Policy

- Once school begins the device must be powered completely off (not on vibrate or silent mode) & must remain in a non-visible, secure location, with the exception of lunchtime.
- During lunch or adult approved activities, use may not be disruptive or serve any inappropriate purposes, such as loud/explicit music or videos, recording, airdropping sending or posting inappropriate messages or images (via text or social media), or any type of cyberbullying.
- Cell phones or electronic devices with camera and/or video functions must not be used to take or transmit any image or video at any time, even if the use of the phone or device is otherwise permitted.

Cell Phones

Cell phones can be a major distraction to learning.

Technology is a valuable tool in the classroom when managed appropriately.

CCPS/NPHS issues laptops to all students for educational purposes.



Cell Phones Explained

Examples of Violations

- Making/receiving calls
- Texting
- Viewing/posting on social media
- Streaming video or music
- Gaming
- Video/Audio recording
- Taking photographs
- Possession of a phone during standardized tests (i.e., MCAP, AP, certification exams)

Acceptable uses with PERMISSION

- Adding assignments/school events to a calendar
- Photographing notes/assignments posted on the whiteboard
- Calculator (if appropriate & approved for the assignment)
- Using *StudentVue* app (school laptop is preferred)

Repeated violations can lead to consequences including loss of privilege to possess a phone during the school day.

North Point IS a One-to-One School

We are **NOT** a BYOD School

Purpose:

CCPS devices, issued through North Point High School are for educational use only including – official school system/school communication, accessing Synergy, accessing school appropriate websites for assignments, creating, and saving school assignments.



Expectations:

- CCPS/NPHS device brought to school every day fully charged before school begins
- Used as the official electronic device in all classrooms
- ➤ Use programs only approved and/or pre-loaded by CCPS students may not download programs
- Smartphones/cellphones may <u>not</u> be used as a substitute for your CCPS laptop – tests/quizzes, assignment completion/submission*
- ➤ Use CCPS Office 365 account to save assignments, projects, notes

CCPS Laptop Sleeves

- CCPS policy states that all book bags and backpacks must be placed in lockers upon entering the building at the start of the school day.
- No book bags and/or backpacks will be permitted in classrooms.
- Laptops are to be carried in a laptop sleeve.
- CCPS will provide one for each student.
- If lost or damaged, students will purchase a new laptop sleeve.
- Hand-sized bags are permitted during the day. Examples include pencil pouches, clutches, etc.



Student Services Counselors



School Counselors are assigned alphabetically regardless of grade level.

CTE Admissions Officer: Jennifer Condo College & Career Advisor: Christina Jones Pupil Personnel Worker (PPW): Monica Cherry \cdot A – C

• **D-**G

• H – J

Vondella McKithen

Antonine Cook

9th - Ms. Tucker

10th – Ms. Johnson

11th - Ms. McKithen

12th - **Ms. Wynn**

• K - N

 $\cdot O - R$

• **S** – **Z**

Felicia Johnson

Mekaila Tucker

Yewande' Wynn

Student Schedules

- NPHS is on a **block** schedule and classes are approximately 80 minutes long.
- Students will have 8 classes over the A-day/B-day schedule.
- Students will receive information on the first day regarding schedule changes. No changes will be made this evening.
- All requests for schedule changes must be submitted within the first two weeks of school (before end of business on September 12, 2022).
- Schedules are available through Synergy and you may use this time to locate your classes.

Student Schedule

Period	Semester 1	Semester 2
HR	HOME	ROOM
1	English 1	Algebra 1
2	Biology	Financial Literacy
3	Spanish 1 C Lunch	World History A Lunch
4	PE 9	AVID 9

Parent Conferences

- Communicate directly with teachers via phone and/or email.
- Contact school counselors to arrange a parent-teacher conference (appointments for both in-person and virtual are required).
- The time around interims and report cards are in-demand times for conferences.
- Please do not wait to schedule a conference if there is a concern.
- Conferences are held Tuesday-Thursday at either 7:45 AM or 2:50 PM.





Attendance

Students with poor attendance often struggle due to missed instruction.

- Missing one day on a block schedule is essentially missing two days of instruction.
- Absence notes are due no later than three days following the absence.
- Missed work or assignments may not be accepted for unlawful absences.
- After 5, 10, & 15 days of absences (lawful or unlawful) parents will be notified.
- At 15 absences, students may be placed on an Attendance Contract.
- After 21 absences, students & parents may be required to attend an Attendance Conference at the Board of Education.

Contact Mrs. Cherry, PPW, with attendance concerns.

Synergy



- Synergy is the CCPS information system.
- Parent access codes are valid from one year to the next.
- Synergy will allow parents to check grades and attendance as well as email staff.
- Once you receive an access code for your child, it can be used for all of your children in CCPS.
- If you are new to CCPS, you have to create a User ID and password for registration. If assistance is needed, please visit the Main Office tonight.

Athletics

Contact Information

- Go to <u>www.ccboe.com/schools/northpoint</u>
- Click on Athletics.
- Click on North Point Athletics Website.
- There is a \$6 charge at the gate for all of our regular season games.
- Online ticket link: www.northpointathletics.com
- Cash or pre-purchased tickets only.
- In-season athletics can attend games during the season they participate.

Athletic Director

- Andrew Shattuck
- ashattuck@ccboe.com



Team Work: Parent Tips

- Monitor your child's attendance and performance through ParentVUE.
- Reach out to teachers and counselors to address concerns.
- Hold your child accountable.
- Enforce the dress code/bookbag and cell phone policies.
- Use ParentVUE, NewsBlast, Website to stay informed.

- Get involved volunteer, PTSO, Boosters.
- Monitor social media activity.
- Don't wait until the end of the quarter to reach out for help.



Questions

Find a North
Point staff
member to help
you.



Please use this opportunity to: **Get Involved!**

Clubs/Organizations Housekeeping:

- SkillsUSA
- FBLA
- Educators Rising
- Key Club
- SGA
- Class of 2025
- It's Academic
- Best Buddies
- And dozens more!

- Walk through your child's schedule.
- Purchase agenda books and gym uniforms (GYM).
- Assistance with logging in to StudentVUE/ParentVUE (Main Office).
- Complete FARMS application.



Welcome to North Point!

