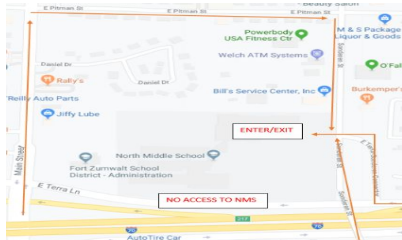




**IMPORTANT NOTE: ARRIVING AT NMS:**

Current work on the roads surrounding NMS will not allow access to our building via E. Terra Rd. You can access NMS through our Sonderen Road entrance. See map below for a diagram.



**Letter from the Principal**

NMS Community, we hope you are having a restful summer, and we look forward to welcoming you to the 2019-2020 school year at North Middle. We hope to answer all of your questions and address any concerns as we prepare for the year. Please contact us for any questions. The phone number at NMS is (636) 379-2604; my direct email is [dburkhart@fz.k12.mo.us](mailto:dburkhart@fz.k12.mo.us). Our website is <http://nms.fz.k12.mo.us/>. You can also follow us on twitter at [NMS@fznmcougars](https://twitter.com/NMS@fznmcougars). We hope to see you soon for registration/schedule pick-up!

Damon Burkhart

**IMPORTANT DATES**

\*6th Grade Welcome BBQ/Open House:

**August 7, 5:30-8:00 pm**

\*First Day of 19-20 School Year:

**August 14, 7:20 am - 2:20 pm**

\*7th/8th Grade Open House:

**August 22, 5:30-7:30 pm**

**SUPPLY LIST**

School supply list for the 2019-2020 school year are listed on our NMS website. Please visit the website [here](#) and check "Latest News." You can purchase most of your supplies now. You may have a few additional items to purchase at a later date, required by your child's team or elective courses. There will also be a hard copy of the supply list available during schedule pick-up.

**NMS CLINIC NEWS**

**Incoming 8th Grade Students...**

As a reminder, the state of Missouri requires students entering 8th grade to be updated with MCV and TDAP vaccinations. Please notify the NMS nurse, Jayne Green, with any questions. \*You may contact the St. Charles County Health Department at 636-949-1857 regarding any immunization clinics they may be holding throughout the summer.

**Fort Zumwalt School District Annual Notifications**

Be on the lookout for an email that includes our annual parent notifications. The packet will be shared prior to the school year and will include federal, state, and district notifications and policies.

**Registration/Schedule Pick-Up for 2019-2020**

Schedule pick-up will begin on July 31. Online registration will be opening soon and you will receive information on how to get started with the process. Please notify NMS with questions or concerns.

**Schedule Pick-Up/Registration Days:**

July 31: 7:30 am - 4:30 pm (6th Grade)

August 1: 7:30 am - 4:30 pm (7th/8th Grade)

August 5: 1:00 pm - 7:00 pm (All Grades)

\*Don't forget to prepare for your school photos during schedule pick-up!

**FORMS**

When you arrive, we will have a few forms that are optional and are not included in online registration. These forms include:

Free/Reduced Lunch Form, Parent Volunteer Form, EScip Form

You can also print these forms in advance by clicking on our website [here](#).

**INFORMATION**

We will also have information available that is specific to NMS, including:

Parent/Student Handbooks, Bus Schedules, Supply List, NMS Activity/Event List

**PAYMENT**

Each student will need to pay for any dues associated with an elective class (\$10 for Tech.Ed, and \$15 for FACS - 7th/8th Grade only). In addition, we are encouraging the purchase of Chromebook Device Protection (see above). You will also have the option to purchase spirit wear and a yearbook. Please note that purchasing photos and adding funds to your child's lunch account will require separate payment.

**1:1 Chromebooks**

We will continue our 1:1 Chromebook Launch for the 2019-2020 school year. Each student will be issued a Chromebook for personal use. 6th grade students will receive new devices and 7th/8th grade students will have their devices checked back out to them upon the start of the year. Much of our curricular materials and resources have been moved to online formats and we are excited to provide students with an sustainable opportunity that will ultimately assist in supporting their readiness for further education.

**Requirements:**

\*An internet usage agreement is required and is part of online registration. In addition, a signed student expectations sheet will be required.

\*In order for your child to bring home his/her Chromebook, FZSD is requiring the purchase of "Device Protection." If not purchased, students will only be able to access at school and will be fully responsible for any damage.

\*Device protection is \$15 and can be purchased online, or in person at schedule pick-up.

\*Please note that personal devices are discouraged and will not allow access to curricular and other instructional materials. Personal access to district WiFi will not be available.

\*Chromebooks will be distributed on one of the first few days of school to students who have turned in the required signed forms. Students will be allowed to bring home their device beginning immediately, granted device protection has been purchased.

\*Distribution will occur in Social Studies classes, and details will be covered by teachers.

\*While we will attempt to make some minor accommodations, it is the expectation that students arrive each day with their devices charged and ready for use.

Please notify us at NMS with any questions about the Chromebook program. Additional information is included in the online registration and will be available at schedule pick-up.

[Click here for FZ One FAQs](#)