

Northwood Elementary Weekly Update 9/5/25

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Pathway to the Future

"We believe that all students at Northwood will be prepared for the future in a safe, nurturing environment that inspires academic and social learning in order to be critical thinkers and active citizens in a global community."

Hello Northwood Families,

Thank you to our parents that joined us for our first PTA Meeting! We reviewed our budget, our annual audit, and shared some upcoming events. Here are two other opportunities for parents at Northwood:

- We are hiring a daily one hour Noon Duty for the student lunch period. If you are interested in part time work, this can be a great way to support your student's school and make some money. If you are interested in being a Noon Duty, please email me at ewitter@busd.net.
- Reminder that we are looking for one parent representative for our School Site Council. The School Site Council is an oversight committee that includes parents and staff. This is a great way to learn a lot about Northwood and to give input on our current and future programs. We meet on the third Monday of the month at 3:30pm (total of five or six meetings). If you are interested in participating in our School Site Council, please email me at ewitter@busd.net.

Here are more notes from the week:

Back to School Night: 9/11 at 5:30pm

Please join us for Back to School Night that is happening on Thursday, 9/11, at 5:30pm. This is a parent-only event. Please see this [Back to School Night flier](#) for more information.

Drop Off / Pick Up - Please Be Courteous with Neighbors

One of our neighbors has reported that their driveway has been blocked multiple times during drop off / pick up at Northwood. If you are parking for drop off / pick up, please be sure to only park in legal parking spots/areas.

Thursday Flag Assembly - Please Stand Closest to Lakewood Drive

Thank you to the parents that have been joining us for our weekly Flag Assembly. We're having a little trouble with classes trying to transition around parents. To avoid that issue, we are requesting parents to stand on the side of the students that is closest to Lakewood Drive.

Free Virtual Tutoring Available for Grades 2-5

Our district is partnering with Step Up Tutoring to offer students in grades 2-5 with free 1:1 virtual tutoring in either reading or math. Step Up is prepared to take on 300 BUSD students, however registration is on a first come/first serve basis. Please see this [flier to register for Step Up Tutoring](#).

Yours respectfully,

Eric Witter
Principal
Northwood Elementary School

Northwood Family Resources

[2025-2026 School Calendar](#)

[Meal Application](#) (please complete - it impacts our school funding)

[Meal Menus](#)

[Bell Schedule](#)

[Northwood Family Handbook](#)

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1-408-923-1901

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