# **EMPLOYEE BENEFITS ENROLLMENT GUIDE**

## Logging into Employee Center

Lawson ESS is located in Employee Center and can be used with Google Chrome, Mozilla Firefox, Safari, Microsoft Edge, and other browsers. Lawson ESS is NOT available on Smartphones, iPad or other tablets. Upon completion of your enrollment, you will be prompted to email yourself and print out a confirmation page. We recommend that you do both. Please make sure that a printer is available before you begin the enrollment process. This is your only opportunity to print the confirmation page and have proof of what you elected.

- Go to www.neisd.net and click the **LOGIN** tab on the upper right side of your screen.
- Click on the LOGIN link that is below the statement "Login using your active directory credentials."
- Next you will click on MyNEISD tab.
- On the left side of the screen you will see a shaded box with Quick Links, select the Employee Center.
- Log into **NEISD PROD** with your same credentials using @neisd.net

#### Username/Password:

- You will need to use your full email address to log in and the password that you previously created.
- If you need assistance with your username and password, contact the HELP desk at 210-356-4357. Use prompts 1 and 8.

### **Dependents**

- Social Security numbers are **required** for all dependents. Any dependent missing the social security number may be removed from coverage.
- Supporting documentation is **required** for dependents with different last names than yours. You may send a copy of birth certificate, marriage certificate or other supporting documentation to the Employee Benefits office.
- Dependents with different last names other than yours will be removed and do not have coverage until our office receives the required supporting documentation.
- Ensure the dependent status is correct. Your biological child will be listed as "Natural Child." If your child has a child and you are providing coverage, this dependent will be listed as "Child of a Dependent Child."

## Benefits Enrollment

- Under Manage My Benefits, select Open Enrollment.
- The benefit enrollment process will begin on the screens that follow.
- The Dependent screen will prompt you to add dependents or make changes to any existing dependents you intend to cover under your NEISD benefits. **Note:** this step only creates the dependents profile. It does not enroll your dependents in any benefits.
- Follow the instructions on each screen to enroll. You will select the plan you want to enroll in or waive participation for each benefit offered.
- Once you have enrolled or waived each benefit, review the summary page and make changes if necessary.
- If changes are necessary, select the **MAKE CHANGES** option at the bottom of the page. If no changes are necessary select **OK** and confirm your elections.
- After confirming your elections, you will be prompted to email and print your confirmation page. It is **VERY IMPORTANT** that you print a confirmation page for your records. Make sure that there are no error messages on your confirmation page. This will be your only opportunity to print your confirmation page.
- If you **Exit** before you complete open enrollment process, your benefit choices **WILL NOT** be saved. You will need to come back and complete the open enrollment process at any point within the designated open enrollment dates.
- If you need to make changes to your **OPEN ENROLLMENT** elections, you may do so by logging back into **Employee**Center and repeat the process. You will need to re-print the Confirmation Page after making your open enrollment changes and saving your elections.

\*\*\*Cost per pay period is based on 12 monthly or 26 bi-weekly deductions, 10 month employees actual deduction will differ from amount displayed.\*\*\*