

SCHOOL PLEDGE

Right now, today, this very moment,
I am capable of giving myself,
the gift of absolute self-assurance,
self-belief, and powerful non-stop confidence in myself.

I AM COLLEGE BOUND!



DETROIT EDISON PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY

primary

“TO THROUGH AND BEYOND COLLEGE”



Dear Parents:

Thank you for all your support this year, especially with the switch over to virtual learning. We could not have got to the end without you. Also, please stay on the watch for your student's teacher to inform you about summer school. As always, be safe and we will see you next year!

Be healthy and safe,
Primary Academy

DATE	ANNOUNCEMENT
Tues June 16th	Breakfast and Lunch Distribution 11:00-1:00
Thurs June 18th	Breakfast and Lunch Distribution 11:00-1:00 Kindergarten Drive By promotional parade: 1p.m.

Principal Office Hours:

M/ W: 10am-12pm & 3pm-4pm.

T/T: 2pm-4pm & 5pm-6pm.

F: 11am-12pm & 3pm-4pm

Announcements:

- Staff office hours: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday.
- 9am- Noon; 3:30p.m.- 4:30p.m.
- Please join teacher mini lessons at 9am
- **June 29th:** Summer School Begins
8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.
- **August 31st:** First Day of School 2020-2021 School Year

Detroit Edison Public School Academy Virtual Parent meeting

Join us for a virtual parent meeting to discuss building re-entry for the start of the new year, summer school and get feedback from families!

Thursday, June 18th

4:00 PM

Please join our meeting from your computer, tablet or smartphone.

<https://www.gotomeet.me/TamaraCollins>

You can also dial in using your phone.

United States: +1 (408) 650-3123

Access Code: 406-972-589

New to GoToMeeting? Get the app now and be ready when your first meeting starts:

<https://global.gotomeeting.com/install/406972589>



ATTENTION DETROIT FAMILIES

FOOD DISTRIBUTION WILL CONTINUE

We are committed to continue to serve the children of our community through this challenging time. **Food will be available for drive up pickup at all of our locations on Tuesdays & Thursdays. Meals are for ANY youth up to age 18 and young adults with special needs up to age 26.**

Detroit Edison Public School Academy (DEPSA) - 1903 Wilkins; 48207

New Paradigm College Prep - 4001 29th St.; 48210

New Paradigm Glazer Academy - 2001 LaBelle St.; 48238

New Paradigm Loving Academy - 1000 Lynn St.; 48211

University Yes Academy - 14669 Curtis St.; 48235

UPDATED SCHEDULE
Tuesdays & Thursdays
11AM-2PM



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MEALS FOR KIDS

YMCA OF METROPOLITAN DETROIT

The YMCA of Metropolitan Detroit — in partnership with the Michigan Department of Education — will support our communities efforts to provide healthy meals for youth up to age 18 & up young adults with special needs up to age 26.

Simply pull up your vehicle during the designated time. Children do not need to be present. Parents & youth may receive up to 4 meals per child, depending on availability.



BIRMINGHAM FAMILY YMCA

400 E Lincoln St, Birmingham, 48009
• Mon. Wed. & Fri: 1:00-1:30pm

BOLL FAMILY YMCA

1401 Broadway, Detroit, MI 48226
• Mon. Wed. & Fri: 2:15-2:45pm

BRIGHTMOOR ARTISANS

22735 Fenkell Avc, Detroit, 48223
• Tues. Thurs. & Fri: 1:30-2:00pm

CENTER FOR SUCCESS

1600 E. Grand Blvd, Detroit, 48211
• Tues. Thurs. & Fri: 12:30-1:00pm

DETROIT RIVERFRONT CONSERVANCY

Cullen Plaza 1340 Atwater Detroit, 4820
• Tues. Thurs. & Fri: 1:30-2:00pm

DOWNRIVER FAMILY YMCA

16777 Northline Rd, Southgate, 48195
• Tues. Thurs. & Fri: 11:30-12:00pm

FARMINGTON FAMILY YMCA

28100 Farmington Rd, Farmington Hills, 48334
• Mon. Wed. & Fri: 12:00-12:30pm

IGLESIA EDIFICANDO VIDAS

7373 Michigan Ave, Detroit, 28210
• Tues. Thurs. & Fri: 2:30-3:00pm

JEFFERSON OAKS

22001 Republic Ave, Oak Park, 48237
• Tues. & Thurs. 3:45-4:15pm

LAKESHORE FAMILY YMCA

23401 E. Jefferson Ave, St Clair Shores, 48080
• Mon. Wed. & Fri: 2:30-3:00pm

LIVONIA FAMILY YMCA

14255 Stark Rd, Livonia, MI 48154
• Tues. Thurs. & Fri: 12:30-1:00pm

MACOMB FAMILY YMCA

10 N River Rd, Mt Clemens, 48043
• Mon. Wed. & Fri: 1:30-2:00pm

NORTH OAKLAND FAMILY YMCA

3378 E. Walton Blvd., Auburn Hills, 48326
• Mon. Wed. & Fri: 12:00-12:30pm

SOUTH OAKLAND FAMILY YMCA

1016 West 11 Mile Road, Royal Oak, 48067
• Tues. Thurs. & Fri: 11:30-12pm

KULICK COMMUNITY CENTER

1201 Livernois Street, Ferndale, 48220
• Mon. Weds. & Fri: 3:45-4:15

YMCA HEALTHY LIVING KITCHEN

PEACHES & GREENS

8838 3rd Ave, Detroit, MI 48202
• Mon. Tues. Wed. Thurs. & Fri: 10:00-4:00pm

Everyone is welcome. Financial Assistance is available. The YMCA of Metropolitan Detroit strengthens communities through youth development, healthy living and social responsibility.



Congratulations!

**KINDERGARTEN
DRIVE BY PROMOTIONAL
PARADE**



**1PM
June 18, 2020**

Meet in the high school parking. Cars will parade around the primary circle.



PLEASE JOIN US

3RD GRADE VIRTUAL TRANSITION MEETING.

Wednesday, June 17, 2020

9 am or 5pm

PURPOSE: TO GIVE YOU
IMPORTANT INFORMATION AND ANSWER ANY
QUESTIONS YOU MAY HAVE ABOUT YOUR CHILD
MOVING ON TO THE ELEMENTARY ACADEMY

Please join our meeting from your
computer, or by phone.

9am Link: meet.google.com/wwd-tfkz-nce

5pm Link: meet.google.com/ebe-pbzq-jtk

You can also dial in using your phone.

9am : +1 661-527-2787 (PIN: 188066344)

5pm: +1 224-475-1043 (PIN: 382466387)

PROTESTING SAFELY

WHAT TO WEAR



Nondescript, solid color, layered clothing; cover identifying tattoos



Goggles & mask



Emergency contacts written down



Heat resistant gloves



Tie your hair up

WHAT TO BRING



Water for drinking & tear gas



Snacks



Cash/change & ID



Washcloth



Ear plugs



Bandages & first aid supplies



Protest signs

~~DON'T BRING~~



Cell phone without first turning off Face/Touch ID, going on airplane mode, and disabling data.



Jewelry

Anything you don't want to be arrested with



Contact lenses



Wayne Metro CARES

Relief & Recovery Services

In an effort to respond to the immediate needs of Wayne County residents, Wayne Metro is implementing our CARES Relief & Recovery Services. Through this new initiative, residents may qualify for assistance in the following areas:



Food & Income Support

Distributing food, formula, diapers, wipes & Personal Protection Equipment.

Water & Energy Assistance

Providing residents with financial assistance towards energy & water utilities.



Emergency Plumbing Repair

Provide plumbing repairs that will resolve the immediate emergency with access to water services.



Rent & Mortgage Assistance

Providing rental assistance & help towards mortgage payments.



Property Tax Assistance

Offering Property Tax Assistance, which can help reduce property taxes.

Funeral Assistance

Providing financial assistance towards burial and cremation services.



Who Qualifies?

- 200% of Poverty
- Layoff, Decrease in Hours, Recipient of Unemployment
- Child in Head Start or have a child receiving free or reduced lunch
- Receipt of benefits through the Michigan Department of Health and Human Service (MDHHS).
- Benefits to include but not limited to: SNAP, TANF, SDA, Medicaid and childcare benefits
- Current enrollee in other assistance programs (Ex. WRAP, MEAP, HUD programs) that currently have income guideline restrictions

How to Get Help

Please visit

www.waynometro.org/CARES or call the **Wayne Metro CONNECT Center at (313) 388-9799**.

The CONNECT Center hours are Monday-Friday, from 9:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. and Saturday from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Programs will vary based on community.

200% Federal Poverty Chart

Number of Household Members	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Income Limit	25,520	34,480	43,440	52,400	61,360	70,320	79,280	88,240	96,600	100,980



Wayne Metropolitan
Community Action Agency

www.waynometro.org/CARES • (313) 388-9799

Re- Enrollment Status

Hello parents, I am proud to announce we have heard back from all families, when it comes to our student's re- enrollment status! Thank you for your continuous support in making this happen!

Grade	Count	Percentage
Pre- K	61/68	89%
Kindergarten	91/92	98%
1st Grade	80/80	100%
2nd Grade	100/100	100%
Primary Academy:	332/340	97%

ELA and Math Submissions

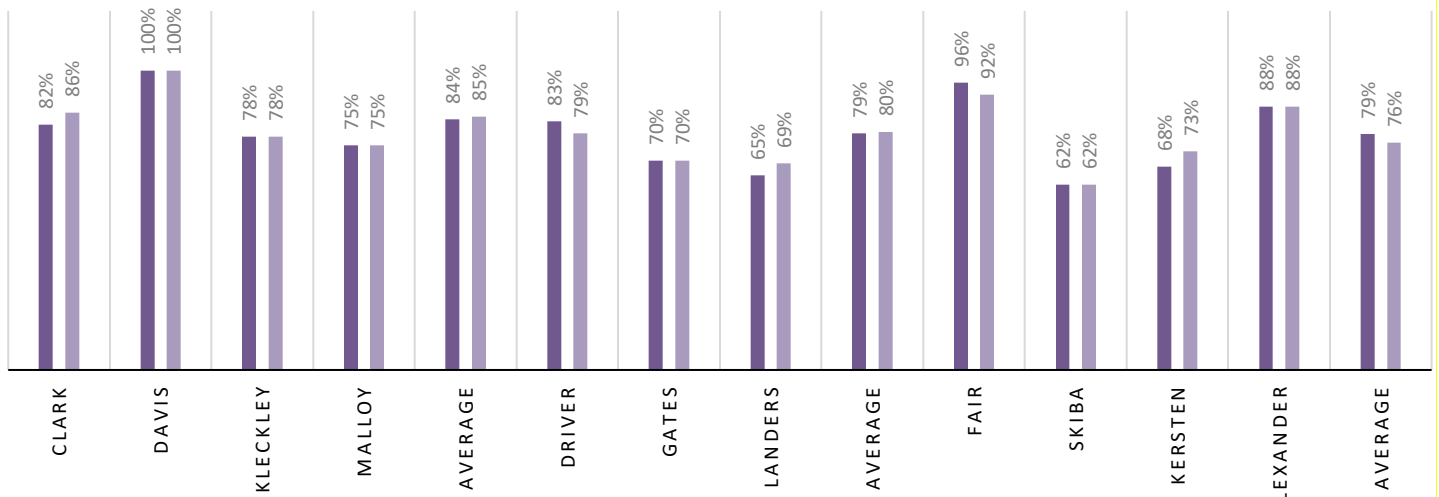
The expectation is for students to complete online work every day and submit for teacher feedback. Please make and take the time now to push students on expectations with quality of work and accountability with turning in every day. The goal is for each class to attain a 95% return rate on homework at the end of the week. Here are the results of last week's submissions!

- All submissions are due every Thursday, please submit in a timely manner!

ELA AND MATH ONLINE RESULTS

6.12.20

■ ELA ■ Math



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EXTENDED LEARNING

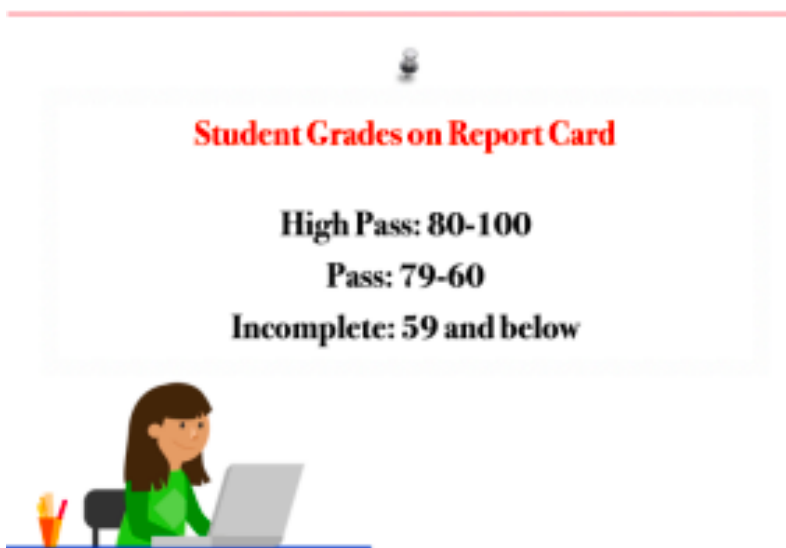
New Paradigm For Education is dedicated and committed to provide continuity of services to all of our students and families. NPFE has created an Extended Learning Plan created with the various needs of our families in mind, specifically, the accessibility to electronic devices and the internet, continuity across grade levels, and the instruction aligned to the learning targets for each grade level. This plan affords each family the opportunity to obtain quality instruction with the appropriate support, both academically and emotionally. New Paradigm For Education values the relationships with students and families in our communities. As part of this support and to help pupils feel safe and valued, NPFE's extended learning plan was developed with the whole-child in mind and a commitment to the children we serve.

Please copy and paste this link in your browser and check it out: <https://sites.google.com/npfeschools.org/npfe-extendedlearning>

Grading for Quarter 3 & 4

As part of our school plan presented to the state, grades for Quarter 3 and 4 will be presented following 'No Harm' grading guidelines. Please review the following:

- As your child completes assignments on Google Classroom, they are receiving their grades and feedback from the teacher. Teachers are placing grades into PowerSchool for ELA and Math.
- When students receive their report card for quarter 3 and quarter 4, they will see the following instead of a letter grade:
 - **High Pass:** Student performance on assignments ranged in percentage from 100% - 80%
 - **Pass:** Student performance on assignments ranged in percentage from 79% - 60%
 - **Incomplete:** Students performance on assignments in percentage was 59% or below, or student was missing assignments.



NPFE Virtual Summer School

We are providing virtual summer school to our students this year! To best support all students and their learning during the pandemic, beginning June 29th, students will attend summer school in one of the following categories:

- **Virtual Online Learning (June 29th – Aug, 15th):** Students who participated in the virtual learning platform less than 60% of the time and all 3rd Graders
 - a. Will receive live instruction and intensive support
 - b. Teachers will lead live instruction and check student homework.
 - c. Students will create and submit daily journals
- **Additional Online Work (June 29th – July 23rd):** Students who are close to meeting end of the year benchmarks and benefit from remaining in engaged in learning during the summer.
 - a. Will have a teacher who supports in checking weekly homework, reviews online data and provides students with feedback.
 - b. Students will create and submit daily journals
- **High-Performing Students (July 6th – August 15th):** Students performing on or above grade level who would like to receive extra support over the summer.
 - a. Will receive one hour of homework daily
 - b. Homework will be checked once a week
 - c. Students will create a daily journal and submit at the end of their summer school term
- **New to New Paradigm Students (July 6th – August 15th):** New students joining our network for the first time
 - a. Will receive a Chromebook to work on math and literacy content
 - b. Have homework provided and checked once a week

Letters will go out to families soon. We are encouraging ALL students to attend summer school on some level to combat the level of learning loss due to our time away from the school building due to Covid-19.

This Week's Coach Corner

6 Summer Planning Tips for Parents From: blog.edmentum.com

As the school year winds to a close and your child gazes longingly toward the summer months, it is a good time to begin thinking about how to keep him or her learning over the summer in the midst of fun activities that you may have planned. We compiled a list of general tips for you to keep in mind as the summer approaches!

- 1. Check in with your child's teacher** Before the school year ends, check in with your child's teacher to see where he or she stands academically. There may be skills that your child has not quite mastered or areas of weaknesses that could be further strengthened. Ask your child's teachers what they'd recommend doing to work on those skills over the summer months. We recently published a blog all about parent-teacher conferences.
- 2. Keep a schedule** One of the more difficult aspects of the summer months is the lack of a schedule that the school day provides. If your child is not enrolled in a summer program during the day, it can be easy for him or her to fall out of a normal routine. Sit down with your child before the summer begins to set clear expectations of how his or her days should look. Help your child make a clear schedule of what her or she will do throughout the day and when to wake up and go to bed. While the schedule doesn't need to be elaborate or finely detailed, it can at least establish some clear expectations of what your child should do each day. Check out some examples on Pinterest!
- 3. Keep up the learning** Going along with the schedule idea, set clear times within the day when there can be learning and review. Online courses, like Study Island for Home (K-12) and Reading Eggs (pre-K-6), can provide quality, age-appropriate content for your child that can match what he or she learns during the school year. Within the schedule that you set up, creating 15- to 30-minute blocks of time where your child has focused learning will make a difference in the long run if done consistently! Check out our Marzano-validated best practices for online learning.
- 4. Take educational outings** Learning doesn't have to be restricted to the home! Take educational outings to such destinations as to your local history, science, or art museum. Learn something new and let your child explore a topic of interest. Even vacations and trips can cultivate learning; engage your child by asking him or her to research the area you will be visiting and its local history.
- 5. Read, read, read** Cultivate a love of reading by taking regular trips to the library. Let your child choose books and get recommendations from the children's or youth librarian. Read alongside your child and encourage a love of reading by exposing him or her to many great books. Reading a lot of books can also help your child beat the summer slide. One psychology study has shown that children who are given access to books over the summer perform 35-40% better on reading achievement tests than those without access to books. Check out our post on creating a literacy-rich home for further inspiration!
- 6. Have fun together!** Lastly, have fun together! It is summer, after all. There are all sorts of amazing benefits to playtime that your children can gain from, so be sure to let those summer days be filled with fun in the sun.

Dive into a good book!

BOOK of the week



To end the school year strong, let's celebrate Juneteenth!

Parents/ Guardians, this Friday June 19, 2020 is Juneteenth. The celebration of the freeing of slaves. Please read and educate our fellow scholars on the importance of this holiday, especially during such a trying time in our community. This is the day that we need to come together and celebrate each other. I have included a book for the kids to read and an article with the history. It has been a pleasure providing newsletters this year, have a great summer!

<https://www.juneteenth.com/history.htm>



The logo for MAP Skills features the word "map" in a lowercase, blue, sans-serif font with a slight shadow effect. To its right, the word "SKILLS" is written in a larger, uppercase, black, sans-serif font. The background of the logo is a light blue and green gradient with a subtle pattern of dots.

MAP Skills is a suite of web-based assessments that quickly and easily measure students' K–8 essential building block skills leading to college and career readiness. In Mathematics, Language Usage, and Vocabulary, MAP Skills measures K–8 skills. In Reading, MAP Skills measures grade 1-8 skills associated with comprehension, as well as reading comprehension at 8 levels of text complexity. It does not address K-2 emergent literacy skills such as fluency, decoding, or phonics. MAP Skills identifies which specific skills have been mastered, or still need work, and provides links to free instructional resources that the student can review on their own.

We will be starting Map Skills at home May 1, 2020 to give students additional practice in key areas for support. The teachers will be reaching out supplying parents and students their codes to log into Map Skills. Please ensure you are taking the time to utilize this additional practice for your student. Please reach out to your child teacher if you have any questions.

Check out the resources below!

- [Comcast Internet Essentials](#) (IE) program. Comcast is providing 2 months of IE for free. Click the Link for More information.
- [Access from AT&T program](#). AT&T is providing 2 months of IE for free. Click the Link for More information.
- If you need tech please fill out this link, <http://npfeschools.org/technology-request-form/>. Tech pick up is every Thursday @ ECE from 11am – 1p.m. You have to present you're ID.
- **Grief Support:** <https://grievewell.com/resources/other-local-services/>
- <https://childrengrieve.org/find-support/9-find-support/28-programs-in-michigan>



Stay connected to New Paradigm on Twitter! Learn up to date information on our school by connecting on Twitter @NPFENetwork

THE COOL KIDS

*Everyone in Primary is a cool kid this week!
Enjoy spirit week, and finish the school year strong!*



ARE YOU READY TO ENROLL?

Hello Parents/Guardians, if you know anyone that wants to go to DEPSA or if you have a student yourself that would love to join us. The 2020-2021 school year applications are ready!



Pandemic EBT Program

Families with children who received free or reduced-cost lunches at school qualify for new program

The Pandemic Electronic Benefit Transfer Program (P-EBT) provides temporary funding to address emergency food needs for families affected by the pandemic.

P-EBT food assistance benefits will go to Michigan families with students ages 5-18 that are eligible for free or reduced-price school meals. This includes families currently receiving Food Assistance Program benefits, as well as those not currently enrolled in the program. No application is necessary for eligible families to receive P-EBT benefits.



Families currently receiving Food Assistance Program (FAP) benefits will receive additional benefits on their Bridge Card:

Eligible families currently receiving food assistance benefits will be issued additional benefits directly on their Bridge Card. These additional food assistance benefits can be used the same way as families would typically use their Bridge Card to purchase food items. P-EBT benefits can also be used to participate in the Double Up Food Bucks program.

- **March and April combined benefits: \$193.80 per eligible student will be loaded on the family's Bridge Card by the end of April.**
- **May and June combined benefits: \$182.40 per eligible student will be loaded on the family's Bridge Card on a later date. Issuance schedule for these benefits still to be announced.**

Families not currently receiving Food Assistance Program (FAP) benefits will receive an EBT card in the mail:



Eligible families not currently receiving food assistance benefits will receive in the mail a pre-loaded Electronic Benefits Transaction (EBT) card issued under the name of the oldest student in the household. Benefits for all eligible school-aged children in the home will be loaded onto this one EBT card. Prior to receiving the card, families will get a letter from MDHHS describing how to use their EBT card, how to set up their PIN, and other information about food assistance benefits. This EBT card can be used to purchase food items only, in-person, at any SNAP retailer. The P-EBT card may look different from the Bridge Card, but the card and benefits can be used the same way as the Bridge Card.

- **March and April combined benefits: Families will receive an EBT card in the mail by the end of the first week in May. The card will come pre-loaded with \$193.80 per eligible student.**
- **May and June combined benefits: \$182.40 per eligible student will be loaded on the family's EBT card on a later date. Issuance schedule for these benefits still to be announced.**



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