

FALL 2025

# WORTHINGTON

## COMMUNITY CLASSES & ACTIVITIES



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Early Childhood and Family Education Staff

## WELCOME

We're thrilled to kick off another exciting fall season! Our team has been working closely with a variety of talented agencies, local businesses, and community members to offer enriching and fun experiences for all ages. This catalog is packed with opportunities for everyone — from gymnastics and cooking, to theatre camp, archery, music, and much more!

At Community Education, we are committed to learning, growing, and building connections. We believe in creating opportunities that enrich the lives of all our community members. If you have ideas for new classes or activities you'd like to see offered, or if you're interested in sharing your skills as a class facilitator, please reach out to Soom Chandaswang — we'd love to hear from you!

Featured above is the Early Childhood staff. The Early Childhood Department is one of the five departments within Community Education and proudly serves over 350 children and their families. Our programs include an all-day preschool program for 4-year-olds, school readiness for 3-year-olds, family literacy to support both parents and children, and a variety of Early Childhood Family Education (ECFE) classes that are geared to help families support their child's development.

The Early Childhood team is passionate about creating inclusive, welcoming spaces where young children thrive. Their play-based approach nurtures social-emotional growth, early literacy, and meaningful family engagement. As ECFE Coordinator Melanie Kuhl shares, "This year, we look forward to building on our strong foundation and continuing to support families during these crucial early years."

Thank you for your continued support and partnership — let's make this fall one to remember!

Soom Chandaswang  
Enrichment Programs Coordinator

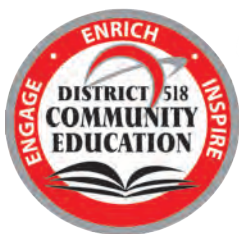
### Community Education Advisory Council Schedule FY26 (Meetings are open to the public)

The Community Education Advisory Council will meet 5 times during the school year 2025-2026. Meetings will be held in the large Community Education conference room 351. Meetings are scheduled for the 4th Monday of every other month at 4 p.m. and usually last about 1 hour.

#### Dates:

September 22, 2025  
November 22, 2025

January 26, 2026  
March 23, 2026  
May 18, 2026



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**POSITION OPEN**

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Carmen Johnson, Title IX Coordinator  
1117 Marine Ave, Worthington, MN 56187  
507-372-1103

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If you do not want yourself or your child's photo used for such purposes, please contact us via our webpage: [www.isd518.net/enrichment](http://www.isd518.net/enrichment) and fill out the Denial of Photo Use Form.

Once completed, mail the form to:  
Worthington District 518 Community Education  
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We invite you to become engaged in the community by enrolling in Worthington District 518 Community Education classes and activities. Programs are designed to enrich and inspire you to get the most out of life!

### OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Thursday • 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.  
Friday • 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

### OFFICE LOCATION

827 N. Crailsheim Road • Worthington, MN 56187  
Phone: (507) 376-6105  
Webpage: [www.isd518.net/enrichment](http://www.isd518.net/enrichment)

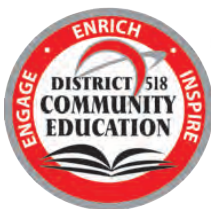
For your registration convenience, we offer Online Registration. This is one of many registration options for you.

### PAYMENT POLICY

Payment must accompany registration to ensure enrollment in a class. Registrations without payment will be put on hold until payment is received.

**Registrations/payments received the date the class begins will be charged an additional \$5 processing fee. All walk-ins and late registrations will be charged the \$5 processing fee.** Participants are strongly encouraged to register early. If you have any questions, please contact the Community Education office.





# ECFE Early Childhood Family Education

ECFE classes are held at the Community Education Building,  
827 N. Crailsheim Road, Worthington, MN 56187

Classes are open to all families in the  
Worthington School District with  
children 0-5 years of age and not  
yet in Kindergarten.

Parents and children attend together and  
will experience activities, parent discussion  
and circle time. Spend time with your  
child/children and create lasting memories!



**CHOOSE A CLASS:**  
**FALL SESSION**  
10 Sessions • September 23rd – December 9th  
No Class October 13 -17; November 24-28

## TUESDAY

1-5 year olds  
9:00—10:30 a.m.  
Class # 0108AF25

## TUESDAY

**SPANISH\***  
1-5 year olds  
10:30—12:00 p.m.  
Class # 0401AF25

## TUESDAY

**SPANISH\***  
1-5 year olds  
12:30—2:00 p.m.  
Class # 0401BF25

## TUESDAY

0-5 year olds  
6:00—7:00 p.m.  
Non-separating  
Class # 0101F25

## THURSDAY

1-5 year olds  
6:00—7:30 p.m.  
Class # 0108BF25

## FRIDAY

**INFANT CLASS**  
10:00—11:00 a.m.  
Non-separating  
Class # 0250F25

\*Classes are for Spanish speaking families

# HOW TO REGISTER FOR OUR CLASSES



## ONLINE

[www.isd518.net/enrichment](http://www.isd518.net/enrichment)



## CALL

507-376-6105



## STOP IN

Community Education Building  
827 N. Crailsheim Road, Worthington, MN 56187  
Monday-Thursday 8:00 a.m.—5:00 p.m.  
Friday 8:00 a.m.—4:30 p.m.



## ECFE Class Fees - Fall 2025

Use your annual income to calculate fees. **Please pay for classes when registering.**

Household Size	Tuition Donation \$0.00	Reduced 50% Off \$24.00	Full Tuition \$48.00
2	\$0-\$26,572	\$26,573-\$37,814	\$37,815 & above
3	\$0-\$33,566	\$33,567-\$47,767	\$47,768 & above
4	\$0-\$40,560	\$40,561-\$57,720	\$57,721 & above
5	\$0-\$47,554	\$47,555-\$67,673	\$67,674 & above
6	\$0-\$54,548	\$54,549-\$77,626	\$77,627 & above
7	\$0-\$61,642	\$61,543-\$87,579	\$87,580 & above
8	\$0-\$68,536	\$68,537-\$97,532	\$97,533 & above

If you have 1 child attending class at full tuition, 2nd child is reduced rate.

**REGISTER FOR SIBLING CARE WHEN YOU REGISTER FOR CLASSES (see below).**

Household size is the total number of people living in your home - parents and children.

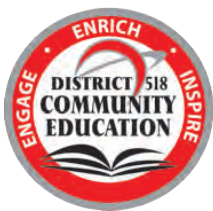
ALL FAMILIES ARE WELCOME. No one will be denied participation due to inability to pay.

District 518 residents have priority registration.

## Sibling Care Services

ECFE has experienced child care assistants available to care for your children who are not enrolled while you attend classes. These child care services are available according to the sliding fee scale.

# of Children in Sibling Care	Sibling Care Donation	Reduced 50% Off	Full Tuition
1	\$0.00	\$5.00	\$10.00
2	\$0.00	\$8.00	\$15.00
3	\$0.00	\$11.00	\$20.00



# Early Childhood Screening

**Do you have a child that is 2-5 years old?  
Has your child been to early childhood screening? If not, read on...**

Minnesota State Law requires that children age 3 1/2 - 4 years participate in a developmental early childhood screening. This screening is free. The purpose of the screening is to identify children who may benefit from district and community resources that are available to help in their development.



The screening will consist of the following components: fine/gross motor skills, language development, concepts, height/weight, vision, hearing, review of child's health history, and immunization record (these are not substitutes for comprehensive exams).

District 518 will be sending out letters of invitation to children who are in the appropriate age range. *If your child is 4 years of age and has not been screened or if you would like to check if your child is listed on our census, contact Melanie Kuhl, Early Childhood Screening Coordinator at (507) 727-1207 for more information. Early Childhood Screening Dates for this school year are:*

**October 15, 2025 | December 19, 2025**  
8:00 a.m. to 2:45 p.m. | 8:00 a.m. to 2:45 p.m.

**February 12, 2025 | April 28, 2026 | May 26, 2026**  
8:00 a.m. to 2:45 p.m. | 8:00 a.m. to 2:45 p.m. | 8:00 a.m. to 2:45 p.m.

**Held at the Community Ed Building**

**Family Fun**  
at Early Childhood

**Join us Saturdays**  
9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

Sept. 20      Nov. 8  
Oct. 11      Dec. 6

**GRANDPARENTS WELCOME!**  
Drop in, no registration required. Suggested donation \$1 per child.  
Activities for parents and children together.

*1-5 year old children*  
NOT YET IN KINDERGARTEN

# GYMNASTICS

## Tots Class (4 years & older)

This is a structured class with an emphasis on introducing gymnastics skills in a positive, safe & FUN environment. At this age, children will develop self-confidence while increasing their agility, strength, and flexibility. Skill development will include all the basic skills for beginner gymnastics. Repetition is extremely important. Gymnasts will be tested to move to the next level.

### WEDNESDAY

6101AF25

Wed., Sept. 3 - Oct. 15, 2025 7 ses.

4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. \$49

Worthington Gymnastics Facility

Instructor: Joni Reitmeier & Gymnastics Staff

## Beginner I

Gymnasts will be introduced to basic gymnastics skills and language in this class. Students will begin with rolls, cartwheels, and the basics on all the other events. Beginner skills will be taught on all apparatus such as vault, bars, balance beam, floor, foam pit, and trampolines. Gymnasts will be tested to move to the next level.

### MONDAY

6101BF25

Mon., Sept. 8 - Oct. 13, 2025 6 ses.

4:45 p.m. - 5:45 p.m. \$42

No Class: Sept. 1

Worthington Gymnastics Facility

Instructor: Joni Reitmeier & Gymnastics Staff

### WEDNESDAY

6101CF25

Wed., Sept. 3-Oct. 15, 2025 7 ses.

5:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. \$49

Worthington Gymnastics Facility

Instructor: Joni Reitmeier & Gymnastics Staff

## Parent & Child (Ages 18 mos. - 3 yrs.)

In this class, parents will participate with their children. It's great for bonding and getting to know your child's abilities! Our lesson plans have specifically selected movements and skills which will enhance your child's cognitive development. Gymnasts need to be 4 years old to move to the next class.

6123F25

Mon., Sept. 8 - Oct. 13, 2025 6 ses.

4:00 p.m. - 4:45 p.m. \$32

No Class: Sept. 1

Worthington Gymnastics Facility

Instructor: Joni Reitmeier & Gymnastics Staff

## Beginner II

Beginner 2 gymnasts will continue to perfect their beginner skills while being introduced to new skills and language at each event. Gymnasts will also need to be able to handle longer class time, be more independent, and follow multi-step directions. Gymnasts will be tested to move to the next level.

### MONDAY

6101DF25

Mon., Sept. 8-Oct. 13, 2025

5:45 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. 6 ses.

No class: Sept. 1 \$63

Wgtn Gymnastics Facility

Instructor: Joni Reitmeier & Gymnastics Staff

### WEDNESDAY

6101EF25

Wed., Sept. 3-Oct. 15, 2025 7 ses.

6:00 p.m. - 7:15 p.m. \$74

Worthington Gymnastics Facility

Instructor: Joni Reitmeier & Gymnastics Staff

## INTERMEDIATE

Gymnasts have accomplished and perfected all the basic skills on each event and understand the gymnastics language. Gymnasts also need to be ready to commit to two days a week and be able to handle longer class time. Gymnasts need to be self-motivated and independent when given more than one task. Gymnasts will be tested to move to the next level.

### TUESDAY

6101FF25

Tues., Sept. 2 - Oct. 14, 2025 7 ses.

4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. \$98

Worthington Gymnastics Facility

Instructor: Joni Reitmeier & Gymnastics Staff

### THURSDAY

6101GF25

Thurs., Sept. 4 - Oct. 9, 2025 6 ses.

4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. \$84

No class: Oct. 16

Worthington Gymnastics Facility

Instructor: Joni Reitmeier & Gymnastics Staff

## SWAGS Skills Building

This class is open to current members of our competitive SWAG team or those who have been invited by staff because they are at a place in their gymnastics where they are ready to learn competition-ready gymnastics. Gymnasts need to be ready to commit to two days a week and be able to handle longer class time

### TUESDAY

6101HF25

Tues., Sept. 2 - Oct. 14, 2025 7 ses.

5:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. \$123

Worthington Gymnastics Facility

Instructor: Joni Reitmeier & Gymnastics Staff

### THURSDAY

6101JF25

Thurs., Sept. 4 - Oct. 9, 2025 6 ses.

5:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. \$105

No class: Oct. 16

Worthington Gymnastics Facility

Instructor: Joni Reitmeier & Gymnastics Staff



# YOUTH WRESTLING (PREK - GRADE 6) FREE TO ALL PARTICIPANTS

Learn how to do specific wrestling moves, strategies to use in competition and how matches are scored. Information about wrestling tournaments in the area will be available, but participation in these events is the choice of individual participants. No special equipment needed; just wear comfortable clothing & clean shoes. Pre-registration is expected.

**An informational meeting for wrestlers and parents is Thursday, November 13, 6:30 p.m., at the High School Cafeteria.**

Practice begins Thursday, November 17. The wrestling program continues into February.

**(Beginner group – Less than 3 years' experience)** Mon. & Thurs., Nov 17 - Dec. 19, 2025. No class Nov. 27. 6:00 - 7:00 p.m. High School Wrestling Room

**(Advanced group)** Mon. & Thurs., Nov 17 - Dec. 19, 2025. No class Nov. 27. 7:00 p.m. - 8:15 p.m. High School Wrestling Room

**Pre-Register @ <https://www.isd518.net/community/community-education/>**

Scroll down and look for the link on the left side that says, "Go to online registration page".

**Follow us on Facebook @ Worthington Youth Wrestling.**

## CELEBRATION CHORUS



Celebration Chorus is an after school singing opportunity for third through fifth grade students. You will learn to sing music in two and three parts, make up some of your own accompaniments and perform out in the community. Come celebrate together in song!

7916F25

Tues., Sept. 16-Dec. 9, 2025

2:45 p.m. - 4:15 p.m.

12 ses.

No Class: Nov. 4

Intermediate School Music Room

\$50

Instructor: Debra Moe

## ARCHERY

Are you interested in a sport that offers a lifetime and many levels of competition (from local to national) for everyone? The Southwest Bowbenders Archery Club of Worthington is hosting a beginner class for anyone who might be interested in the sport of archery. This class will teach the basics of archery from safety to proper shooting form. It is a good start for anyone who would like to be involved in a competitive sport or is looking at bowhunting in the future.

Come out to see what archery is all about and what opportunities archery may have for you. Must be 3rd grade or older to participate. Southwest Bowbenders Archery Club is located 3/4 mile south of Hwy 59/60 at 27150 Plotts Avenue (Cty Rd 57).

Instructors are certified by USA Archery.

6103F25

Mon., Nov. 3 - Nov. 24, 2025

6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

4 ses.

SW Bowbenders Archery Club

\$25/person

Instructor: SW Bowbenders Archery Club





## INSTANT GUITAR FOR HOPELESSLY BUSY PEOPLE - ONLINE

In just a few hours you can learn enough about playing the guitar to give you years of musical enjoyment, and you won't have to take private lessons to do it. This crash course will teach you some basic chords and get you playing along with your favorite songs right away. Fee includes the online book, online follow-up lessons, a recording of the class, and an optional periodic question and answer session. Class is held online using Zoom and is partly hands-on instruction and partly lecture demonstration. Ages 13+.

2307F25

Tues., Sept. 30, 2025

6:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Online

1 ses.

\$69/person

Instructor: Craig Coffman



## INSTANT PIANO FOR HOPELESSLY BUSY PEOPLE - ONLINE



In just a few hours, you can learn enough secrets of the trade to give you years of musical enjoyment. Learn to play piano the way professionals do - using chords. The chord method is LOTS of fun and dramatically easier to learn than reading notes. Fee includes the online book, online follow-up lessons, a recording of the class, and an optional periodic question and answer session. Class is held online using Zoom and is partly hands on instruction and partly lecture demonstration. Ages 13+.

2308F25

Mon., Sept. 29, 2025

6:30 p.m. - 9:30 p.m.

Online- Zoom

1 ses.

\$69/person

Instructor: Craig Coffman

## ACRYLICS FOR YOUTH (Gr. 3-8)



Come learn the basics of acrylic painting! This in-person class is perfect for children who want to learn how to paint. During the session, your child will learn with step-by-step instruction on how to mix colors and apply different brushstrokes. Your child will have the opportunity to create their own masterpiece. No drawing or painting skills required. Supplies will be provided as part of the class fee.

2302F25

Fri., Oct. 17, 2025

10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Community Education - Room 361

Instructor: Souane Sounthala

1 ses.

\$25/person

## CREATE YOUR OWN STORY BOOK

Let your child's imagination soar in this fun and creative Storybook Writing class! Young authors will learn how to brainstorm ideas, develop characters, and craft a beginning, middle, and end. They'll illustrate their stories and leave with a finished, one-of-a-kind book they created themselves! Perfect for budding writers and artists.

4058F25

Thurs., Oct. 16, 2025

10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Community Education - Room 361

Instructor: Souane Sounthala

1 ses.

\$25/person



**Dakota Players** **Children's Theatre**  
*presents...*  
**You Look Marvelous!**

Auditions for Dakota Players' original musical production of "You Look Marvelous!" will be held Monday, August 18th at 8:00 a.m. at Memorial Auditorium.

No experience or advanced preparation is needed.



Register with Community Education to be a part of "You Look Marvelous!" Dakota Players Children's Theatre Camp August 18 - 22. Performance Friday, August 22, 7:00 p.m. Tickets for the performance are available at the Memorial Auditorium Box Office.



Up to 50 local youth, from Kindergarten through 8th grade, are assured roles in "You Look Marvelous!", a highly entertaining and clever retelling of the popular Hans Christian Andersen fable about the pitfalls of vanity and greed, and the outstanding truth of the statement, "There are no stupid questions."

**REHEARSAL SCHEDULE**  
**Monday Auditions 8:00 a.m. - NOON**  
 Select Characters  
**Tuesday 8:00 a.m. - NOON**  
 Select Characters  
**Wednesday 8:00 a.m. - NOON**  
 Full Company  
**Thursday 8:00 a.m. - NOON**  
 Full Company  
**Friday 8:00 a.m. - NOON**  
 Full Company  
 Dress Rehearsal



**Cost: \$30** - The cost for this activity includes all expenses associated with rehearsals, professional talent, rentals, and other related costs. Music CDs featuring the music tracks from the production, as well as t-shirts, are available for purchase. Tickets for the final productions are not included in this fee for the actors' family members. Scholarships are available upon request with Worthington District 518 Community Education.

## LATIN DANCING WITH KERMANN & KENDRA (14 TO ADULT)

Get ready to move, laugh, and connect! This fun class introduces you to popular Latin dance styles like the vibrant rhythms of salsa, bachata, cumbia, and more. Whether you come solo or with a partner, you will learn fundamentals, coordination, and will build confidence and flavor on the dance floor while enjoying a great workout and tons of good vibes. Let's dance!

Kermann and Kendra are a husband-and-wife duo originally from Haiti, now sharing their passion for Latin dance with the Worthington community. Kermann discovered his love for Latin dance while living in Mexico where he worked professionally as a Meneador "dancer" at a Latin dance bar. With infectious energy, he kept the dance floor buzzing and guests on their feet. Latin dance became their shared passion, and they've been spreading the joy through private lessons since 2020.



3027AF25  
 Tues. & Thurs., Sept. 2 - Oct. 9, 2025  
 6:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.  
 No class: Sept. 16 & 18  
 Community Education  
 Instructor: Kermann Laguerre

10 ses.  
 \$150/person

3027BF25  
 Tues. & Thurs., Oct. 14 - Nov. 13, 2025  
 6:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.  
 No class: Nov. 4 & 11  
 (will be held 5 & 12 instead)  
 Community Education  
 Instructor: Kermann Laguerre

10 ses.  
 \$150/person





Our mission is to promote creativity,  
community and healing through the arts

Creative Healing Space now has a home at 225 10th St.  
Join us for weekly workshops and events!  
Follow us on Facebook at Creative Healing Space Inc for  
updates.  
Or email us at [thecreativehealingspace@gmail.com](mailto:thecreativehealingspace@gmail.com) to  
sign up for our monthly Art Therapy Tuesday



## Fall 2025 Kids Library Programs



### STORY TIME

Wednesdays at 10 a.m.  
Starting Sept. 10, 2025  
Toddlers - Preschoolers  
Join us for stories,  
action verses & a craft.

### AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM

GRADE K-5  
Starts September 9 & 10, 2025  
Tuesdays and Thursdays 3:30 p.m. until 5:00 p.m.  
Join us for a movie, snacks, crafts,  
experiments & games.

### WII - U

GRADE 4-9  
Starts September 8, 2025  
Mondays 3:15 p.m. until 5:00 p.m.  
Snacks & beverages provided.  
Come challenge your friends!!

### JUST GURLZ

GRADE 5-9  
Starts September 10, 2025  
Wednesday, 3:15 p.m. until 5:00 p.m.  
Join us for art & crafts, cooking, experiments  
& more. Snacks & beverages provided.

[www.nclibrary.org](http://www.nclibrary.org)

FOR UPDATES AND MORE INFORMATION

CHILDREN'S DEPTMENT PHONE NUMBER 507-295-5346

## Worthington District 518 COMMUNITY EDUCATION YOUTH SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Worthington District 518 Community Education offers youth scholarships to enable more youth to participate in program offerings. As with most other school district activities, Community Education uses the USDA Free and Reduced Lunch application data to determine whether or not local youth are eligible. Children who qualify for Free or Reduced Lunch, will be able to enroll in most Community Education youth activities for the reduced fee.

To obtain these program scholarships, families should indicate their interest in applying for the reduced fee when enrolling their children in a Community Education class or activity. The Enrichment Programs Coordinator will determine whether any additional information is needed to determine if the child qualifies for this income-based program. For more information, parents can contact the Enrichment Programs Coordinator at the District 518 Community Education office at 507-376-6105.





# Start Early, Stay Healthy

**Prioritize Your Health,  
Starting Today for**



## Early Detection

Identify potential health issues before they become major concerns. Prevention is key!



## Peace of Mind

Regular check-ups, knowing that you are taking proactive steps towards your well-being.



## Establish Baseline

Establish a baseline of your health indicators, making it easier to spot abnormalities.



## Healthy Habits

Set a positive example for children and instill healthy habits from an early age.

## Birth through age 20 includes:

- Completed head to toe physical
- Checks on development and growth
- Hearing and Vision checks
- Immunizations
- Blood Test
- Time to discuss questions and concerns with your health provider

# Child and Teen Checkups



## Checkups are recommended:

- Between Birth and 1 month
- At 2, 4, 6, 9, 12, 15, 18, 24 and 30 months
- Every year starting at 3 years through 20
- More often if needed

☎ Main Number 507-295-5213

✉ [jmorales@co.nobles.mn.us](mailto:jmorales@co.nobles.mn.us)

☎ C&TC Contact at Nobles County 507-295-5365

Jenifer Morales



# CHILD AND TEEN CHECKUPS





## Comienza Temprano Mantente Saludable

Prioriza tu salud,  
a partir de hoy



### Detección Temprana

Identifique posibles problemas de salud antes de que se conviertan en preocupaciones graves. ¡La prevención es clave!



### Establecer una línea de base

Establezca una línea base de sus indicadores de salud, lo que facilitará la detección de anomalías.



### Tranquilidad de Espíritu

Revisiones periódicas, sabiendo que estás dando pasos proactivos hacia tu bienestar.



### Hábitos Saludables

Dar un ejemplo positivo a los niños e inculcarles hábitos saludables desde una edad temprana.

Desde el nacimiento hasta los 20 años incluye

- Examen físico completo de pies a cabeza
- Controles de desarrollo y crecimiento
- Controles de audición y visión
- Vacunas
- Análisis de sangre
- Tiempo para hablar sobre preguntas e inquietudes con su profesional de la salud

**Child and Teen  
Checkups**



Se recomiendan chequeos:

- Entre el nacimiento y 1 mes
- A los 2, 4, 6, 9, 12, 15, 18, 24 y 30 meses
- Cada año a partir de los 3 años hasta los 20
- Más a menudo si es necesario

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**CHEQUEOS MÉDICOS PARA NIÑOS Y  
ADOLESCENTES**



# NOBLES COUNTY INTEGRATION COLLABORATIVE

Adrian Ellsworth Fulda Heron Lake-Okabena Round Lake-Brewster Worthington  
827 N. Crailsheim Road, Worthington, MN | 507-376-3300 | [www.isd518.net/ncic](http://www.isd518.net/ncic)

*The mission of the Nobles County Integration Collaborative, a consortium of adjacent school districts, is to promote student success and community acceptance of cultural differences by providing opportunities for students, families and staff from diverse backgrounds to learn from and with one another.*

**Fall Programs 2025 – Call 507-376-3300 to register!**

*All NCIC programs are FREE and open to all NCIC member districts and their communities*

## Beats, Rhymes, and Inclusive Minds: A Professional Learning Course for Licensed Educators

**(3 SMSU Graduate Credits for Licensed Teachers & 6 CEU hours for attending)**

This professional learning course for educators from preschool to 12th grade introduces Hip Hop Pedagogy, a powerful framework for demonstrating how music, movement, art, and creative writing can engage students. Led by Kelly Thelen, a professor at Southwest Minnesota State University. Teachers will engage in creative and culturally sustaining methods that empower all learners. Open to all NCIC member districts.

Five Sessions:

Sept. 9, 2025, (Course Overview) 4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Sept. 16, 2025, 4:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.

Sept. 30, 2025, 4:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.

Oct. 14, 2025, 4:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.

Oct. 28, 2025 (Share Fair) 4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

**Students! Need some extra help with assignments? We are here to support your academic success!**

## Homework Help (6-12 Grade)

NCIC offers homework help to students in grades 6-12! We are here when you need time to study, help with assignments, or help understanding a subject that you are struggling with. Our staff is available in the Media Center every Wednesday after school until 4:30 p.m.



Location: NCIC Classroom RM 342

Day/Time: Wednesdays, 2:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

DISTRICT 518 COMMUNITY EDUCATION

## Out-of-School Time Programs



Join our 7th & 8th grade Odyssey and 9-12th grade Dynamic 507 program after school! These programs are focused on reinforcing academic success, college and career readiness, cultural competency and building equity, civic engagement, and leadership development. We provide snacks and beverages, and transportation when needed. To register or receive more information, call 507-376-3300.

### Odyssey (7-8 Grade)

Mondays

3:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

NCIC Room 342

Program Start Date: TBD

### Dynamic 507 (9-12 Grade)

Thursdays

4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

NCIC Room 342

Program Start Date: TBD

## Upcoming College Visit

NCIC is currently planning visits to colleges and universities this fall, either October 16 or 17. The exact time and location are TBD. Keep an eye on our Facebook page for updates! If you'd like more information or wish to register, please call the NCIC office at 507-376-3300.

## Kindness Retreat Leaders







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## 10th – 12th Grade Volunteers Wanted!

Youth Frontiers and NCIC are looking for energetic volunteers like you to serve as small group leaders at the Kindness Retreat! Join forces with fellow high schoolers to lead younger students in stimulating games and engaging discussions.

Date and Time are TBD

For additional information, please contact one of the Youth Development Leaders or call the NCIC office at 507-376-3300. In adjacent districts, please sign up with your school counselor.

## The Banquet Volunteer Opportunity!

We are seeking a group of 20 students to volunteer at the Banquet in December!

The Banquet meal ministry has been feeding the people of Sioux Falls and the surrounding communities since 1985. This opportunity is available to all students in grades 8th through 12th. Must be 14 and older to sign up.

For more information, call the NCIC office or register with your school counselor.

The Banquet; Sioux Falls, SD

Date/Time: TBD

## NCIC Summer Highlight: College Visit – Kansas City

On June 3-5, high school students from NCIC districts traveled to Kansas City to visit the University of Missouri and Kansas City Art Institute. The students took in some history at the National WWI Museum and Tour the Chiefs' Stadium at Arrowhead! It was a memorable and fascinating trip for students and staff.



DISTRICT 518 COMMUNITY EDUCATION



## Collaborative Equity Council/ Joint Powers Board Meeting Schedule

### 2025-2026 Meeting Dates:

**October 6, 2025**

**November 24, 2025**

**February 2, 2026**

**April 6, 2026**

**June 1, 2026**

The Collaborative Equity Council meeting begins at 5:30 p.m. in room 342. The Joint Powers Meeting begins immediately after the council meeting concludes.

## We Are Hiring!

**Cultural Liaison:** If you are passionate about educational equity and skilled in communication and organization, this role is your opportunity to help bridge cultures and make a lasting impact in our schools.

**Youth Development Leader:** If you love inspiring young minds, creating fun and engaging activities, and making a positive impact in your community, this is the perfect opportunity for you!



## FAMILY & COMMUNITY LIAISONS

If you are new to the Worthington area or have limited English skills, District 518 Family & Community Liaisons can help you find the resources and services you might be looking for. These bilingual liaisons are here to help establish and facilitate relationships between families, the community and the school. They can help you find information and resources. Liaisons are trained to know about the different programs available in the Worthington/Nobles County area.

Some of the services liaisons can connect you to are housing, employment, transportation, legal services, education including school registrations, health services, citizenship, financial assistance, and more.

The program asks clients to call ahead to make an appointment. Drop-ins will be accepted as staff time allows.



Si eres nuevo al área de Worthington o tu nivel de inglés es limitado, los Enlaces de Familias y la Comunidad del Distrito 518 te pueden ayudar a conseguir los recursos y servicios que estás buscando. Estos enlaces bilingües pueden ayudar a establecer y facilitar relaciones entre familias, la comunidad y las escuelas. Te pueden ayudar a conseguir información y recursos. Los enlaces están entrenados para tener información acerca de diferentes programas que hay en el área de Worthington y el Condado Nobles. Algunos de los servicios con los que te pueden conectar- vivienda, empleo, transporte, servicios

legales, educación (inscripciones escolares), servicios de salud, ciudadanía, ayuda económica, y más. Este programa solicita que llames para programar una cita. La atención sin cita dependerá del tiempo disponible del personal.

**Adry Stafford, Coordinator - Office 507.727.1227 or Cell 507.370.3682 (speaks Spanish)**  
**Liliana Perez - Office- 507.727.1123 or Cell 507.329.9156 (speaks Spanish)**  
**Sagrario Lopez - Office 507.727.1163 or Cell 507.804.0963 (speaks Spanish)**  
**Sak Promiseland - Office 507.727.1205 or Cell 507.329.1328 (speaks Karen)**

## DEFENSIVE DRIVER TRAINING MATURE DRIVER

Improve your driving skills, and if you're 55 or older, get a discount on your personal auto insurance. This course teaches basic crash prevention techniques and has a proven record of reducing traffic violations and incidents. The class consists of lectures, films, and discussions. There is no behind-the-wheel driving and there are no tests. According to Minnesota state law, people age 55 and older who complete a state-approved defensive driving course are eligible to receive a 10 percent, three-year discount on auto insurance. Contact your insurance agent for details. After you complete the course, you will receive a certificate of completion to give to your insurance company. Minnesota recently eliminated the requirement for an 8-hour course. The 4-hour course is the only one offered now.

7204CV25

Thurs., Aug 21, 2025  
1:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m.

1 ses.  
Room 353

7204EV25

Thurs., Oct. 9, 2025  
1:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m.

1 ses.  
Room 353

7204DV25

Sat., Sept. 27, 2025  
12:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m.

1 ses.  
Room 353

7204FV25

Sat., Nov. 8, 2025  
12:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m.

1 ses.  
Room 353

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**Community Education Room 353**





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# SPANISH LANGUAGE LEARNING!



Elementary Youth - Middle School - Adult

- ▶ Classes for the whole family!
- ▶ All classes are held live weekly on Zoom - link to be sent via email 24-48hrs before the first class.
- ▶ Participants will receive access to a portal with recorded lessons & electronic handouts, included with tuition.
- ▶ Cost of course:  
Youth & Middle School \$145/participant.  
Adult \$120/participant.



*Scan me to enroll!*

**REGISTER ONLINE:**

**[HTTP://WWW.ISD518.NET/ENRICHMENT](http://www.isd518.net/enrichment)**

*More information and full course description found online when registering!*

## **Elementary Youth KG-5th**

¡Vamos a Viajar! (Let's Travel!)

Wednesdays 4:15 – 5:00p.m. CST

10/15, 10/22, 10/29, 11/5, 11/12,  
11/19, (skip 11/26), 12/3, 12/10

## **Middle School 6th-8th grade**

Spanish Prep: Ignite your Language Journey!

Mondays

Time option 1 3:30 – 4:15p.m. CST

Time option 2. 4:45 – 5:30p.m. CST

10/20, 10/27, 11/3, 11/10, 11/17, (skip 11/24), 12/1, 12/8, 12/15

## **Adult -- Age 18+**

### **Adult Conversational Spanish: Beginner Part 1**

Mondays – 6:00p – 7:00p CST  
10/20, 10/27, 11/3, 11/10, 11/17, (skip  
11/24), 12/1

Tuesdays – 6:00p – 7:00p CST  
10/21, 10/28, 11/4, 11/11, 11/18, (skip  
11/25), 12/2

Wednesdays – 6:00p – 7:00p CST  
10/22, 10/29, 11/5, 11/12, 11/19, (skip  
11/26), 12/3

### **Adult Conversational Spanish: Beginner Part 2**

Mondays  
6:00p – 7:00p CST  
10/20, 10/27, 11/3, 11/10, 11/17,  
(skip 11/24), 12/1

Tuesdays  
6:00p – 7:00p CST  
10/21, 10/28, 11/4, 11/11, 11/18,  
(skip 11/25), 12/2

### **Adult Conversational Spanish: Intermediate Part 1**

Wednesdays  
6:00p – 7:00p CST  
10/22, 10/29, 11/5, 11/12, 11/19,  
(skip 11/26), 12/3

### **Adult Conversational: Spanish for Travelers**

Thursdays  
6:00p – 7:00p CST  
10/23, 10/30, 11/6, 11/13, 11/20,  
(skip 11/27), 12/4

Program offered in collaboration with Worthington Community Education.  
Questions call 507-376-6105



## PHO FOR BEGINNERS



Have you had pho before? Do you want to know how to make it? Known as a popular street food in Vietnam, pho has become a globally loved comfort food. This dish allows for customizability with its various add ins and alternative proteins. In this class, the chef will teach you how to make a traditional beef pho starting with making beef stock from scratch! No cooking experience is needed to join this class. At the end of this class, you will leave feeling more confident with pho making and you will also have an opportunity to enjoy a bowl of pho.

1274F25

Wed., Sept. 10, 2025

1 ses.

5:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

\$35/person

Community Education - Room 361

Instructor: Champa Thepmontry

## CRAB RANGOON & SHRIMP ROLLS

Get ready for a hands-on culinary experience where you'll learn to make two irresistible Asian-inspired appetizers: crispy Crab Rangoons and fresh or fried Shrimp Rolls. In this fun and interactive class, participants will explore the ingredients, folding techniques, and cooking methods that bring these popular dishes to life. Whether you're a beginner or a home chef looking to expand your skills, you'll leave with the knowledge (and recipes!) to recreate these crowd-pleasers at home.

1276F25

Wed., Sept. 24, 2025

1 ses.

5:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

\$35/person

Community Education - Room 361

Instructor: Champa Thepmontry



## ASIAN FRIED NOODLES (QUA MI)



Join us for a sizzling and savory experience in our Asian Fried Noodles Cooking Class! In this hands-on class, you'll learn how to prepare Asian Fried Noodles or Qua Mi, a Laotian-inspired dish of East and Southeast Asia. You'll explore essential techniques like wok cooking, sauce balancing, and noodle preparation.

Whether you're a beginner in the kitchen or looking to expand your culinary skills, this class will give you the confidence to whip up your favorite takeout-style meals at home. You'll leave with recipes, tips, and a belly full of delicious noodles!

1277F25

Wed., Oct. 8, 2025

1 ses.

5:30-7:30 p.m.

\$25/person

Community Education - Room 361

Instructor: Champa Thepmontry

## HOMEMADE EGG ROLLS

Get ready to learn the basics of making crunchy egg rolls from scratch. During this interactive cooking class, you will learn how to prepare egg rolls by using fresh, high-quality ingredients, and smart cooking techniques. Chef Champa will begin by teaching you how to prepare various fillings to tuck into your egg roll wrappers. Then, you will learn the secrets of preparing a light and aromatic sauce to enjoy with the egg rolls. Class size is limited, so get your registration in early!

1275F25

Wed., Oct. 22, 2025

1 ses.

5:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

\$35/person

Community Education - Room 361

Instructor: Champa Thepmontry





**Southwest Adult Basic Education, South Region**  
**ABE/EL Class Schedule**  
**For more information call**  
**507-727-1278 or 507-376-6105**



## **FREE Adult English Language and GED classes!**

### **Adrian**

Adrian High School - Room 302  
 Mon, Wed 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

### **Butterfield**

Adrian High School - Room 302  
 Mon, Wed 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

### **Fairmont**

CER-Southern MN Ed. Campus,  
 Room 210  
 GED: Wed 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.  
 & Tues, Thurs 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.  
 English Language: Wed 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

### **Jackson**

JCC High School  
 Mon, Thurs, Fri 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

### **Madelia**

Madelia High School  
 Family Literacy: Wed, Fri 12:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.  
 English Language: Tues, Thurs 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

### **Mountain Lake**

Mountain Lake Elementary School  
 Tues, Thurs 5:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

### **St. James**

Armstrong School/Community Education  
 Family Literacy: Mon, Tues, Thurs 11:15 a.m. - 2:45 p.m.  
 English Language: Mon, Thurs 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

### **Windom**

Windom Elementary School  
 Tues, Thurs 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

### **Worthington (FREE in-person and virtual options available)**

English Levels 1-4	Mon, Wed, Thurs, Fri	8:45 a.m. - 10:45 a.m.
English Level 5 & 6	Mon, Wed, Thurs	8:45 a.m. - 10:45 a.m.
Citizenship	Tues	8:45 a.m. - 10:45 a.m.
Workforce Readiness	Tues	8:45 a.m. - 10:45 a.m.
GED Tutor	Thurs	9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
English Level 1 & 2	Mon, Wed, Thurs, Fri	11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
English Level 3 & 4	Mon, Wed	11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
Citizenship	Thurs	11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
GED	Tues	11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
English Level 1 & 2	Mon, Tue, Wed, Thurs	6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.
English Level 3 & 4	Tues, Thurs	6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.
English Level 5 & 6	Mon, Wed	6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.
GED	Mon, Wed	6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.
Citizenship	Tues, Thurs	6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.
English For Professionals	Mon	6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Distance Learning opportunities such as Rosetta Stone,  
 Burlington English, and GED Academy are also available.  
**Call 507-727-1278 for more information or to sign up.**



**ABE is seeking volunteers to assist in the classrooms.**  
**Call for more information.**



# Helping Hand Pregnancy Center



[www.helpinghandworthington.org](http://www.helpinghandworthington.org)

**The most OPTIMISTIC  
PLACE in Worthington!**

Helping Hand is a non-profit, Christian based, pregnancy center that assists many families in the community with counseling, providing education and information about positive pregnancy options, healthy relationships, prenatal care and parenting classes and assists with community referrals. Helping Hand works with families to be able to assist in providing needed maternity and newborn items (diapers, clothing, strollers, etc.). Call for an appointment.

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## WORTHINGTON NOON KIWANIS

**NEW MEMBERS ARE WELCOME**

**JOIN OUR MEETINGS AT THE WORTHINGTON PIZZA RANCH  
TUESDAYS • 12:00 P.M. - 1:00 P.M.**

We are a service club that meets weekly throughout the year.  
Each meeting includes time for lunch, socializing,  
networking, and a presentation about a community topic.  
We do occasional community or youth service projects also.



## SMOC HEAD START PRESCHOOL

1077 Pleasant Ave, Worthington, MN 56187

You can reach us at / Nos pueden contactar  
(507) 727-1759 / (507) 360-6105



**Services in Murray,  
Nobles, Rock &  
Pipestone County**



English Application

**REGISTER NOW FOR OUR 2025-2026 SCHOOL YEAR**

**What is Early Head Start & Head Start?**

- Early Head Start (EHS) and Head Start (HS) are comprehensive early education programs for eligible children from birth to age 5 and pregnant women.
- Head Start recognizes the role of parents as their child's first and lifelong educators and engages parents as equal partners.



Aplicación en  
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**REGISTRESE AHORA PARA NUESTRO AÑO ESCOLAR 2025-2026**

**¿Qué es Early Head Start y Head Start?**

- Early Head Start (EHS) y Head Start (HS) son Programas integrales de educación temprana para niños elegibles desde el nacimiento hasta los 5 años de edad y mujeres embarazadas.
- Head Start reconoce el papel de los padres como los primeros y educadores de por vida de sus hijos e involucra a los padres como socios iguales.

**Servicios en los  
Condados de  
Murray, Nobles,  
Rock e  
Pipestone**



## Need help finding child care?

Visit Minnesota's child care search site

[www.parentaware.org](http://www.parentaware.org)

Interested in providing  
child care?  
Child Care Aware  
can support you



## Need help paying for child care?

### Early Learning Scholarships

Apply online to see if your family is  
eligible for money to help pay for  
your child's early learning program.

<https://earlylearningscholarshipshub.mn.gov>



For more information contact:

Region 8 Child Care Aware

Southwestern Minnesota Opportunity Council, Inc.

1106 3rd Avenue, PO Box 787

Worthington MN 56187

507-376-4195 or 800-658-2444

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# FOCUS ON FITNESS



## Group Exercise Classes:

Ages 10-11 must have a guardian/adult (18yrs +) IN class

Ages 12-13 must have permission from the instructor

Ages 14 + allowed to participate in class

**Group Exercise Classes are INCLUDED IN YOUR MEMBERSHIP**

## Personal Training

Entrenamiento Personal

Make your Workout WORK FOR YOU!

Personal Training OPTIONS:

Half Hour Sessions  
45 Minute Sessions  
One Hour Sessions

6 Session Package  
8 Session Package  
12 Session Package

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Opciones de capacitación personal:

Sesiones de media hora  
Sesiones de 45 minutos  
Sesiones de una hora

6 Paquete de sesiones  
8 Paquete de sesiones  
12 Paquete de sesiones

## TRAINING PLANS TAILORED TO YOU!

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We offer a one time, one-on-one meeting with one of our certified personal trainers to establish your fitness goals and create an individualized exercise program to help you achieve a better, healthier you!

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¡Ofrecemos una reunión única, uno-en-uno con uno de nuestros entrenadores personales certificados para establecer sus objetivos de fitness y crear un programa de ejercicio individualizado para ayudarlo a lograr un mejor, más saludable usted!

pricing options here



## Active Teens

Adolescentes Activos



Active teens: youth ages 13-15 years will learn how to correctly use the strength and cardio equipment in the Fitness Center. By passing this program, the student will receive their Active Teens pass allowing them to use the Fitness Center.

**Member: \$20 Non-Members: \$25**

Adolescentes activos: los jóvenes aprenderán cómo usar correctamente el equipo de fuerza y cardio en el gimnasio. Al aprobar este programa, el estudiante recibirá su pase que le permitirá usar el gimnasio.

**Please contact the Fitness & Wellness Director: Trista Jacobs with any questions: [trista.jacobs@ymcaworthington.org](mailto:trista.jacobs@ymcaworthington.org)**





WORTHINGTON  
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# COME OUT AND PLAY!

## Fall Sports



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SPORT LEAGUES

HOMESCHOOL  
PHYSICAL EDUCATION

ADULT SPORT  
LEAGUES

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- Free group exercise classes
- Open gym & swim times
- Child Watch (6 mo–8 yrs)
- Discounted program rates
- Women's, Men's & Family locker rooms

### Insurance Sponsored Memberships

Silver Sneaker, Renew Active,  
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### HOURS OF OPERATION

#### MONDAY-FRIDAY

5:30 am – 9:30 pm

#### SATURDAY

8:00 am – 5:00 pm

#### SUNDAY

1:00 pm – 5:00 pm

1501 College Way  
Worthington, MN 56187  
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(507) 376-6197



## DIVE INTO YOUR POTENTIAL WORTHINGTON STINGRAYS COMPETITIVE SWIM TEAM



### Flexible. Fun. For Everyone.

#### PRACTICE: Mon, Tues, Thurs evenings by age group

If your child can safely swim 25 yards of a competitive stroke and is looking for a fun, challenging, and supportive environment—come check out the Worthington Stingrays Swim Team!

Our team is open to swimmers ages 5–18 and offers a flexible, inclusive program where athletes can grow at their own pace. Whether your child is new to swim team or looking to take their skills to the next level, we focus on technique, training, and character development—all while promoting the YMCA core values of caring, honesty, respect, and responsibility.

The season runs October through February or March, depending on whether swimmers qualify for the Regional Meet. Meets are held on Saturdays, and while not all are mandatory, swimmers must attend at least 3 meets to be eligible for Sectionals—with the chance to qualify for the State Meet from there.

### “Test the Waters” Meet

**Monday, September 29th from 6:30 pm – 8:00 pm**

Open to all youth ages 5–18, this is a fast-paced, station-style event designed for current swimmers and those curious about joining the team. Participants will race, practice starts, try different strokes, and team up for fun relays—all in a high-energy, low-pressure environment. Swimmers must be able to independently swim one length of the pool on their front and back. Come make a splash and see what swim team is all about!

### FREE EVENT!



### BLENDED LEARNING LIFEGUARD TRAININGS

#### Requirements:

- Age: Must be 15 by the last day of class
- Pre-Test: Complete 2 physical skills on day one
- Course Completion: Must attend all sessions, pass ALL final skill assessments, and score 80%+ on one written exam
- Online Work: Modules must be done before the first in-person session — failure to do so may result in not passing
- Need Help? Contact the Worthington Area YMCA to schedule a pre-test with our Aquatics Director before starting online work



#### FALL TRAININGS:

August 29, 30, 31 (last day to register August 22)  
October 16, 17, 18 (last day to register October 9)



### ADULT & PEDIATRIC FIRST AID/CPR/AED TRAINING

#### Have you ever wanted to learn how to save a life?

The Worthington Area YMCA offers American Red Cross Adult & Pediatric CPR/AED/First Aid certification courses. This blended learning class combines online modules (to be completed before the in-person session) with hands-on skills practice. Participants will learn how to provide immediate care to someone who is injured or ill and determine when advanced medical help is needed. Failure to complete online modules prior to class may result in not passing.

Scan for more information on upcoming courses





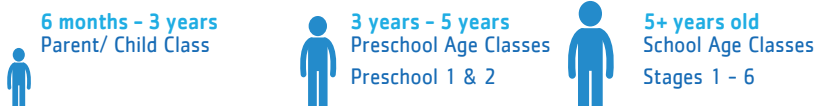
# STRONG SWIMMERS CONFIDENT KIDS

Location: Worthington Area YMCA / City of Worthington Indoor Aquatic Center

Fee: Member \$34 per session/ Non-Member \$64 per session

Registration for Fall Swim Lessons Opens Monday, August 4th

## WHAT AGE GROUP IS MY STUDENT?



## WHICH STAGE IS THE STUDENT READY FOR?

Is the student comfortable working with an instructor without a parent in the water? Respond to verbal cues and jump on land?	NOT YET	PARENT / CHILD
Will the student go underwater voluntarily?	NOT YET	PRESCHOOL 1 & STAGE 1
Can the student do a front and back float on their own?	NOT YET	PRESCHOOL 2 & STAGE 2
Can the student swim 15 yards on their front and back?	NOT YET	STAGE 3
Can the student swim 15 yards of front crawl and back crawl?	NOT YET	STAGE 4
Can the student swim front crawl, back crawl, and breaststroke for 25 yards?	NOT YET	STAGE 5
Can the student swim front crawl, back crawl, and breaststroke for 50 yards?	NOT YET	STAGE 6

## FALL GROUP SWIM LESSONS

September Tuesday & Thursday Evenings

**Fall Session 1: September 9 - October 2**

5:00 - 5:30 PM	Stage 1	Preschool 2	
5:35 - 6:05 PM	Stage 3	Stage 2	
6:10 - 6:50 PM	Stage 4	Stage 5	Stage 6

REGISTER HERE!



**Questions? Contact Me!**

Erin Jans  
Aquatics Director  
p: 507-727-1674  
e: Erin.Jans@ymcaworthington.org

Ready to sign up? Head to [www.ymcaworthington.org](http://www.ymcaworthington.org) and click "Register" to get started!

October Monday & Thursday Evenings

**Fall Session 2: October 6 - 30**

5:00 - 5:30 PM	Stage 2	Stage 3	
5:35 - 6:05 PM	Preschool 2	Stage 1	
6:10 - 6:40 PM	Parent/ Child	Preschool 1	

November Monday & Thursday Evening

**Fall Session 3: November 3 - December 1**

5:00 - 5:30 PM	Preschool 1	Stage 2	
5:35 - 6:05 PM	Stage 1	Stage 3	
6:10 - 6:50 PM	Stage 4	Stage 5	Stage 6

## Private & Semi-Private Swim Lessons



### Private Lessons

Private lessons are for children and adults, 3 years of age and older. Lessons are subject to availability of instructors.

**Member: \$80**  
**Non-Member: \$135**

These lessons are designed to give participants individualized attention in order to improve or master their swimming skills. Each session includes 5, 30 minute lessons.

### Semi - Private Lessons

Semi-private lessons are for children and adults, 3 years of age and older, where two or three participants share the same time slot with one instructor. Lessons are subject to availability of instructors.

**Member: \$60**  
**Non-Member: \$115**

Semi-private lessons are available for 2 or 3 participants. These lessons are great for families with children in the same stage. Each session includes 5, 30 minute lessons.

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Saturday, October 11 - 7:00 pm



**GALES OF NOVEMBER: A MUSICAL MASTERPIECE**  
50TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE EDMUND FITZGERALD  
Sunday, November 9 - 3:00 p.m.



**TALES FROM THE CHARRED UNDERBELLY OF THE YULE LOG**  
HUMOROUS HOLIDAY MERRIMENT & MAGICAL MUSIC  
Sunday, December 7 - 3:00 p.m.



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Saturday, January 17 - 7:00 p.m.



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Saturday, March 14 - 7:00 p.m.



**PAMELA MCNEILL: JANIS, STEVIE, DOLLY AND ME**  
JANIS JOPLIN, STEVIE NICKS & DOLLY PARTON TRIBUTE  
Saturday, April 25 - 7:00 p.m.



**THE CLEVERLYS**  
UNIQUE COMEDY & OZARK MOUNTAIN BLUEGRASS SHOW  
Sunday, May 3 - 3:00 p.m.



**RAGAMALA DANCE**  
WORLD FAMOUS BHARATANATYAM DANCE COMPANY  
Saturday, May 9 - 7:00 p.m.



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[jill@centerforactiveliving.com](mailto:jill@centerforactiveliving.com)

# Fall 2025

## AUGUST

August 15&16 7:00 p.m.  
August 18 2:00 p.m.  
August 22  
August 25 5:30 p.m.

Moonglow, Performance, Memorial Auditorium  
Moonglow, Performance, Memorial Auditorium  
High School Marching Band, State Fair  
Art Club Meeting, All are welcome, South Building at Ecumen Meadows

## SEPTEMBER

September 12 & 13  
September 19  
September 22 5:30 p.m.

King Turkey Day, Downtown Worthington  
Homecoming  
Art Club Meeting, All are welcome, South Building at Ecumen Meadows

## OCTOBER

October 20 7:00 p.m.  
October 27 5:30 p.m.  
October 30 7:00 p.m.

MS/HS Choir Concert, HS  
Art Club Meeting, All are welcome, South Building at Ecumen Meadows  
MS/HS Indoor Band Concert, HS

## NOVEMBER

November 3 6:30 p.m.  
November 3  
November 6 & 7 7:30 p.m.  
November 15 7:00 p.m.  
November 24 5:30 p.m.

Concert Choir, Big S Choral Festival, Pipestone, MN  
Opening Holiday Art Show and Sale  
HS Fall Play, Memorial Auditorium  
Worthington Area Symphony Orchestra -  
Classical Treasures, Memorial Auditorium  
Art Club Meeting, All are welcome, South Building at Ecumen Meadows



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Dear District 518 Communities,

As we settle into starting another school year, I wanted to take this opportunity to introduce myself as your new Superintendent for Worthington Public Schools.

This community shaped me; I'm a proud 1999 graduate of Worthington Schools. I understand the impact educators and a supportive community can have, and it is my goal and intention to make that same investment in every one of our students, ensuring they have the same future opportunities I was so fortunate to receive.

I have dedicated 21 years to education, all within the St. Cloud School District. I spent 13 years as a teacher, activities director, and coach, followed by 7 years in building leadership as a middle school assistant principal and principal. Most recently, I served as the Executive Director of Operations. This extensive experience, coupled with a core value of loyalty, is what I'm excited to bring back home to Worthington.

Our work here within the Worthington School District will be guided by four key beliefs:

- \* Positive Outcomes for All Students: Focusing on rich educational experiences that empower every learner.
- \* Clear Communication & Transparency: Ensuring open and honest dialogue.
- \* Strong Collaboration: Working hand-in-hand with students, families, staff, and community partners.
- \* Safe & Secure Schools: Creating an environment where every student feels valued, respected, and supported, both physically and emotionally.



Worthington Schools are a vital part of our community, dedicated to Educational Excellence. I am thrilled to embark on this journey with this community, building upon the strong, existing foundation.

With Gratitude and Excitement,

- Joel Heitkamp  
Worthington School District 518 Superintendent

## DISTRICT 518 SCHOOLS FOR THE 2025-2026 YEAR

**DISTRICT 518 COMMUNITY EDUCATION** - Preschool

**PRAIRIE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL** -

Kindergarten – Grade 2 and Early Childhood Special Education

**INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL** - Grades 3 – 5

**WORTHINGTON MIDDLE SCHOOL** - Grades 6 – 8

**WORTHINGTON HIGH SCHOOL** - Grades 9 – 12

**LEARNING CENTER**- Grades 7 – 12

**VIBE** - Virtual Instruction by Excellence – Online

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## IMPORTANT CONTACTS

### DISTRICT OFFICE

Phone: 507-372-2172  
Fax: 507-372-2174  
[www.isd518.net](http://www.isd518.net)

### PRAIRIE ELEMENTARY

Phone: 507-727-1250  
Fax: 507-727-1255  
[www.isd518.net/pe](http://www.isd518.net/pe)

### INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL

Phone: 507.727.1275  
Fax: 507.727.1176  
[www.isd518.net/schools/is](http://www.isd518.net/schools/is)

### WORTHINGTON MIDDLE SCHOOL

Phone: 507-376-4174  
Fax: 507-372-1424  
[www.isd518.net/ms](http://www.isd518.net/ms)

### WORTHINGTON HIGH SCHOOL

Phone: 507-376-6121  
Fax: 507-372-4304  
[www.isd518.net/hs](http://www.isd518.net/hs)

### LEARNING CENTER

Phone: 507-372-1322  
Fax: 507-372-1361  
[www.isd518.net/lc](http://www.isd518.net/lc)

### COMMUNITY EDUCATION

Phone: 507-376-6105  
Fax: 507-376-6703  
[www.isd518.net/commed](http://www.isd518.net/commed)

### SPECIAL EDUCATION

Phone: 507-372-2983  
Fax: 507-372-2980

### DEPT. OF TEACHING & LEARNING

Phone: 507-727-1247

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## REGISTRATIONS

Kindergarten - 12<sup>th</sup> grade

FAMILY & COMMUNITY LIAISONS TAKE CARE OF REGISTRATIONS FOR DISTRICT 518, AND THEY ARE **AVAILABLE TO REGISTER STUDENTS THROUGH SUMMER.**

Offices are located at  
Community Education  
827 N Crailsheim Rd  
Worthington

For more information or to schedule an appointment, please call 507-376-6105. You can text or email Adry at 507-370-3682 or [adry.stafford@isd518.net](mailto:adry.stafford@isd518.net)

Documents needed to register a new student:

- Birth certificate
- Immunization records
- Power of attorney (if applicable)
- Information from previous school (if transferring)



**WORTHINGTON**  
DISTRICT 518



## INSCRIPCIONES

Kínder a 12°

FAMILY & COMMUNITY LIAISONS (ENLACES PARA FAMILIA Y COMUNIDAD) SE ENCARGAN DE LAS INSCRIPCIONES DEL DISTRITO 518 Y ESTÁN **DISPONIBLES PARA INSCRIBIR A ESTUDIANTES DURANTE EL VERANO.**

Las oficinas se encuentran en  
Community Education  
827 N Crailsheim Rd  
Worthington

Si necesitan más información o agendar una cita, pueden llamar al 507-376-6105. Mensaje de texto o correo electrónico a Adry al 507-370-3682 o [adry.stafford@isd518.net](mailto:adry.stafford@isd518.net)

Documentos necesarios:

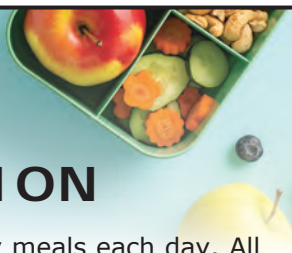
- Acta de nacimiento
- Registro de vacunas
- Carta de poder legal (si aplica)
- Información de la escuela anterior (si vienen de otra escuela)



**WORTHINGTON**  
DISTRICT 518



# FREE & REDUCED LUNCH INFORMATION



Our school offers healthy meals each day. All students can get one breakfast and one lunch free of charge each day at school. Although no application is required to receive this free meal benefit, filling out the Application for Educational Benefits is still important! Your student (s) may qualify for other benefits like reduced fees at school. Your application may also help the school qualify for education funds, discounts, and other meal programs.

If you believe your student(s) may qualify for free or reduced lunch service, please visit the District 518 website at [www.isd518.net](http://www.isd518.net) and locate the link for the "Free and Reduced Lunch Application" under the Resources section.

Questions or need assistance? Contact Tracy Kunkel at 507.372.2172. Additional language assistance also available by contacting Adry Stafford at 507.370.3682. Applications are available at any school office.

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Nuestras escuelas ofrecen comidas saludables todos los días y todos los estudiantes pueden comer un desayuno y almuerzo gratis todos los días en la escuela. Aunque no se necesita llenar una solicitud para recibir dicho beneficio, es importante llenar la solicitud para los Beneficios de Alimentación, porque es posible que su estudiante pudiera calificar para otros beneficios como cuotas reducidas de las actividades escolares. Su solicitud también podría ayudar a que la escuela califique para fondos educativos, descuentos y otros programas de alimentación.

Si usted piensa que su estudiante calificaría para el beneficio de comidas gratis o a precio reducido, visite la página web del Distrito 518 [www.isd518.net](http://www.isd518.net) y bajo la sección Resources encuentre el enlace "Free and Reduced Lunch Application".

Para ayuda en español y otros idiomas, comuníquese con Adry al 507.370.3682. Solicitudes disponibles en la oficina de cualquier escuela.

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# TROJAN ACTIVITY PASSES

On sale August 1st in the High School Office.

## Students of District 518

- Students K-4 will receive passes for Free Entrance into Sporting and Fine Arts Events  
(Students K-6 must be also accompanied by an adult)
- Students 5 – 12 will use their Student ID for free entrance into Sporting and Fine Arts Events

## Students not from District 518

- K-6 Pass (unlimited) \$25.00
- 10 Punch Pass \$30.00
- Gr. 7-12 Pass (unlimited) \$50.00

**Adult 10 Punch Pass** \$55.00

**Adult Pass (unlimited)** \$80.00

**Golden Age Pass (65+) (unlimited)** FREE

**Family Pass (unlimited)** \$200.00

*Activity Passes are not honored at tournaments.*

# TROJAN ACTIVITY PASSES

Boletos de entrada De venta el 1° de agosto en la oficina de la High School

## Estudiantes del Distrito 518

- Los estudiantes de Kindergarten al 4° grado recibirán boletos de entrada GRATIS a los eventos deportivos y de bellas artes. (los estudiantes del Kindergarten al 6° grado deben estar acompañado por una persona adulta)
- Los estudiantes del 5° al 12° grado usarán sus ID para entrada gratis a los eventos deportivos y de bellas artes.

## Lo estudiantes que no son del Distrito 518

- Kindergarten al 6° grado (entradas ilimitadas) 25 dólares
- Boleto de 10 entradas 30 dólares
- 7° al 12° grado (entradas ilimitadas) 50 dólares

**10 entradas para adultos** 55 dólares

**Entradas ilimitadas para adultos** 80 dólares

**Entradas para personas de la tercera edad (65 años en adelante) entradas ilimitadas** GRATIS

**OJO:** Estas entradas no se aceptan en los torneos.



**FIRST  
DAY OF  
SCHOOL**

AUGUST  
**25**

WMS  
WHS  
LC

PRAIRIE  
IMS

AUGUST  
**26**

**LAST  
DAY OF  
SCHOOL**

MAY  
**29**

## HOLIDAYS AND BREAKS

### FALL BREAK

OCT. 16 & 17  
NOV. 27 & 28

### WINTER BREAK

DEC. 22 - JAN. 2

### SPRING BREAK

APR. 2-6

## FIRST SEMESTER

### FIRST QUARTER

AUG. 25-  
OCT. 30

### SECOND QUARTER

NOV. 3-  
JAN. 16

## SECOND SEMESTER

### THIRD QUARTER

JAN. 20  
MAR. 20

### FOURTH QUARTER

MAR. 24-  
MAY 29

## NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS

**AUG. 29**

**SEPT. 1**

LABOR DAY

**OCT. 3**

WMS ONLY CONFERENCES

**OCT. 31**

TEACHER INSERVICE

**NOV. 21**

IMS ONLY CONFERENCES

**DEC. 5**

PE ONLY CONFERENCES

**JAN. 18**

TEACHER INSERVICE

**FEB. 16**

PRESIDENT'S DAY

**FEB 27**

WMS ONLY CONFERENCES

**MAR. 6**

PE ONLY CONFERENCES

**MAR. 13**

IMS ONLY CONFERENCES

**MAR. 16**

KINDERGARTEN ROUND UP

**MAR. 23**

TEACHER INSERVICE

**MAY 25**

MEMORIAL DAY

PE - PRAIRIE ELEMENTARY  
IMS - INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL  
WMS - WGTN MIDDLE SCHOOL

### WEATHER MAKE-UP DAYS

**JAN. 19**

**FEB. 16**

**JUNE 1-5**

\*PLUS 5 E-LEARNING DAYS

### EARLY DISMISSALS

NOV. 26 FEB. 13 MAY 29

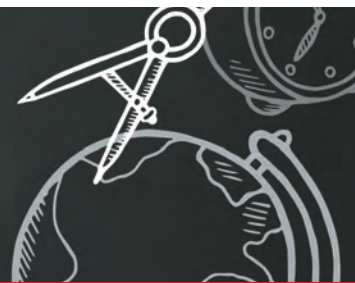
### GRADUATION DAY

LC MAY 28 WHS MAY 29





# PRAIRIE ELEMENTARY & INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL CONFERENCES



## PRAIRIE ELEMENTARY CONFERENCES

Thursday, August 21st from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m.

## INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL CONFERENCES

Wednesday, August 20th from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m.

Conference times are assigned and have been sent to Prairie Elementary and Intermediate School families. If you have not received a conference date and time, please contact the Prairie Elementary or Intermediate School office.

### MEET YOUR STUDENT'S TEACHER!

- See where the classroom is located and drop off supplies.
- Learn more about your teacher and the upcoming school year.

### HAVE YOUR PICTURE TAKEN!

- Have your picture taken in the gym by Rickers Photography Studio.
- Plan to do this before or after your scheduled conference time.

### LEARN ABOUT YOUR BUS!

- Get information from the bus company including your bus number and schedule.
- Make any necessary changes to information that would affect bussing.

### LEARN ABOUT IPADS AND FIELD TRIPS!

- Fees will be collected for iPad insurance and field trips.
- Fees may be paid ahead of time using Campus Parent Portal.

### SEESAW

- Receive school announcements including weather cancellations.
- Check student work.
- See activities information.
- Communicate with teachers.
- Sign up by using a QR code provided by your student's teacher.

## 2025 - 2026 SCHOOL STARTING DATES

### PRAIRIE ELEMENTARY

School Starts Tuesday, August 26

### INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL

School Starts Tuesday, August 26

### WORTHINGTON MIDDLE SCHOOL

School Starts Monday, August 25

### WORTHINGTON HIGH SCHOOL

School Starts Monday, August 25

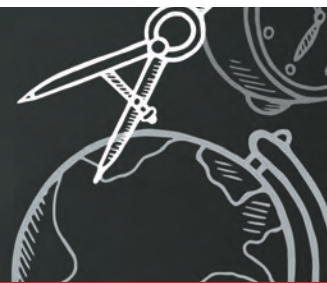
### LEARNING CENTER

School Starts Monday, August 25

### COMMUNITY EDUCATION EARLY CHILDHOOD PRESCHOOLS

School Starts Wednesday, September 3

# CONFERENCIAS DE LAS ESCUELAS INTERMEDIA Y PRIMARIA PRAIRIE



## ESCUELA PRIMARIA PRAIRIE

**Conferencias- Jueves 21 de agosto de 8:00 a.m. a 8:00 p.m.**

## ESCUELA INTERMEDIA

**Conferencias- Miércoles 20 de agosto de 8:00 a.m. a 8:00 p.m.**

El horario de las conferencias fue programado y se envió a las familias de la escuela Intermedia y de la escuela primaria Prairie, si no ha recibido la fecha para su conferencia, por favor comuníquese a la oficina de su respectiva escuela.

### ¡CONOZCAN AL MAESTRO (A) DE SU ESTUDIANTE!

- Visiten el salón y traigan sus útiles escolares
- ¡Conoce más acerca de tu maestro (a) y del próximo año escolar!

### ¡TOMEN SU FOTOGRAFÍA ESCOLAR!

- Ve al gimnasio a que el estudio de fotografía Rickers te tome tu fotografía
- Planea hacerlo antes o después de tu conferencia

### ¡OBTEN LA INFORMACIÓN DE TU AUTOBUS!

- Obtén la información incluyendo el número y horario de tu autobús.
- Provee información y has cualquier cambio necesario que pueda afectar tu transporte.

### ¡CONOCE ACERCA DE IPADS Y VIAJES DE EXCURSIÓN!

- Se deben pagar las cuotas por el seguro de iPad y viaje de excursión
- Pueden pagar en línea utilizando el portal para padres

### SEESAW

- Reciban los avisos de la escuela incluyendo cancelaciones por mal clima.
- Puede revisar el trabajo de su estudiante
- Puede ver información de las actividades
- Comunicarse con los maestros
- Registrarse usando un código QR proporcionado por el maestro (a) de su estudiante.

## FECHA DE INICIO DEL AÑO ESCOLAR 2025-2026

### PRAIRIE ELEMENTARY

Las clases inician el martes 26 de agosto

### INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL

Las clases inician el martes 26 de agosto

### WORTHINGTON MIDDLE SCHOOL

Las clases inician el 25 de agosto

### WORTHINGTON HIGH SCHOOL

Las clases inician el 25 de agosto

### LEARNING CENTER

Las clases inician el 25 de agosto

### COMMUNITY EDUCATION EARLY CHILDHOOD PRESCHOOLS

Las clases inician el miércoles 3 de septiembre



# WHS • LEARNING CENTER • WMS

# BACK TO SCHOOL

## OPEN HOUSE & PICTURE DAY

**WORTHINGTON HIGH SCHOOL**  
Tuesday, August 12th | 10 a.m. – 6 p.m.

**LEARNING CENTER**  
Tuesday, August 12th | 9 a.m. – 6 p.m.

**WORTHINGTON MIDDLE SCHOOL**  
Thursday, August 14th | 10 a.m. – 6 p.m.



### STUDENTS WILL RECEIVE:

- Schedule
- iPad and time to sign for device and pay \$20 insurance fee
- School picture by Rickers Photography Studio\*
- Locker number and combination code
- Opportunity to walk the halls and find where classes are located

\*\*Learning Center photos will be taken at later date

### WHILE YOU ARE HERE:

- Set up Parent Portal and Schoology to have access to important information
- Check on your lunch account & receive help with Free and Reduced Lunch forms
- Learn about field trips
- Get bussing information
- Talk to the school nurse about immunizations and other health records

### WHAT IS PARENT PORTAL?

- Receive important calls and alerts
- Complete necessary paperwork
- Check your student's grades and attendance
- Pay fees online and check lunch account
- Sign up at [www.isd518.net/portal-application-english](http://www.isd518.net/portal-application-english)

### WHAT IS SCHOOLOGY?

- Receive school announcements including weather cancellations
- Check student work
- See activities information
- Communicate with teachers
- Sign up by contacting your student's teacher.

Back to School Open House/Picture Day is an important day to prepare for the school year. Please make every effort for your student to attend. If unable to attend, parents/guardians will need to visit their student's school to complete paperwork at a later date.

# WHS • LEARNING CENTER • WMS REGRESO A CLASES

JORNADA DE PUERTA ABIERTA Y DÍA DE FOTOGRAFÍA

**WORTHINGTON HIGH SCHOOL**  
Martes 12 de agosto de 10 a.m. a 6 p.m.

**LEARNING CENTER**  
Martes 12 de agosto de 10 a.m. a 6 p.m.

**WORTHINGTON MIDDLE SCHOOL**  
Jueves 14 de agosto de 9 a.m. a 6 p.m.



## ESTOS DÍAS LOS ESTUDIANTES:

- Recibirán el horario de clases
- Recibirán, firmarán y pagarán los 20 dólares del seguro del iPad
- Se tomarán la fotografía con el fotógrafo del estudio Rickers
- Recibirán el número y combinación del casillero
- Tendrán la oportunidad de recorrer los pasillos y localizar las aulas de clases

\*\* Los estudiantes del LC se tomarán las fotos en otra fecha

## DURANTE LA JORNADA DE PUERTA ABIERTA PODRÁS:

- Configurar el portal del padre de familia y Schoology para tener acceso a información importante.
- Revisar tu cuenta de alimentación y recibir ayuda con los formularios para comidas gratis o a precio reducido.
- Enterarte de los viajes de excursión
- Obtener información del transporte
- Conversar con la enfermera escolar sobre las vacunas y otros registros de salud

## ¿PARA QUÉ SIRVE EL PORTAL DEL PADRE DE FAMILIA?

- Para recibir llamadas y alertas importantes
- Para llenar el papeleo necesario
- Para revisar las calificaciones y asistencia del estudiante
- Para pagar las cuotas en línea y revisar la cuenta de alimentación
- Inscribirse en [www.isd518.net/portal-application-español](http://www.isd518.net/portal-application-español)

## ¿PARA QUÉ SIRVE SCHOOLOGY?

- Para recibir los anuncios escolares incluyendo las cancelaciones debido al clima
- Revisar el trabajo del estudiante
- Ver la información de las actividades
- Comunicarse con los profesores
- Inscribirse con el profesor del estudiante

La jornada de regreso a clases a puerta abierta y día de fotografía es un día importante para prepararse para el año escolar. Haga todo lo posible para que el estudiante participe, si no se puede participar, después los padres o tutores tendrán que venir a la escuela para hacer el papeleo.





# Alternative Learning Schedule

Schedule Variations  
Information for grades PreK-12

## Late Start

- \* A late start schedule will be used for in-person classes
- \* Buses will run
- \* Attendance will be taken

## Early Dismissal

- \* Schools will have a shorter schedule of classes until students are sent home for the day
- \* There will be no in-person classes or learning from home
- \* Buses will run
- \* No evening classes

## No School/Snow Day

- \* There will be no in-person classes or learning from home
- \* Buses will not run
- \* Attendance will not be taken
- \* This may be made up at a later date

## Buildings Closed

- \* No one will be allowed to enter ISD 518 buildings or offices except for essential personnel

## Learn from Home

- \* There will be no in-person classes for the day
- \* Students will learn from home according to school plan  
PreK-2nd- Learning Packets and SeeSaw  
3rd-5th- Learning Packets  
6th-12th- check Schoology
- \* Classes could start later than normal
- \* Teachers will be available from 7:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.
- \* Buses will not run
- \* Attendance will be taken

## Distance Learning

- \* There will be no in-person classes for multiple days in a row
- \* Students will learn from home according to school plan  
PreK-2nd- Learning Packets and SeeSaw  
3rd & 4th- SeeSaw  
5th-12th- check Schoology
- \* Virtual classes for 5th-12th may be required
- \* Teachers will be available from 7:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.
- \* Buses will not run
- \* Attendance will be taken



# Horario de Aprendizaje Alternativo

Información de posibles cambios al horario de clases de PreKínder a grado 12

## Entrada Tarde a Clases

- \* Se utilizará el horario de entrada tarde a clases, para clases presenciales
- \* Habrá transporte
- \* Se tomará la asistencia

## Salida Temprana de Clases

- \* Las escuelas tendrán un horario de clases más corto hasta que los estudiantes sean enviados a casa
- \* No habrá clases presenciales o aprendizaje en casa
- \* No habrá clases en la tarde

## No Hay Clases/Mal Clima

- \* No habrá clases presenciales, ni aprendizaje en casa
- \* No habrá transporte
- \* No se tomará la asistencia
- \* Este día de clases se podría recuperar después

## Las Escuelas Están Cerradas

- \* Nadie podrá entrar a las escuelas u oficinas del Distrito 518, a excepción del personal esencial

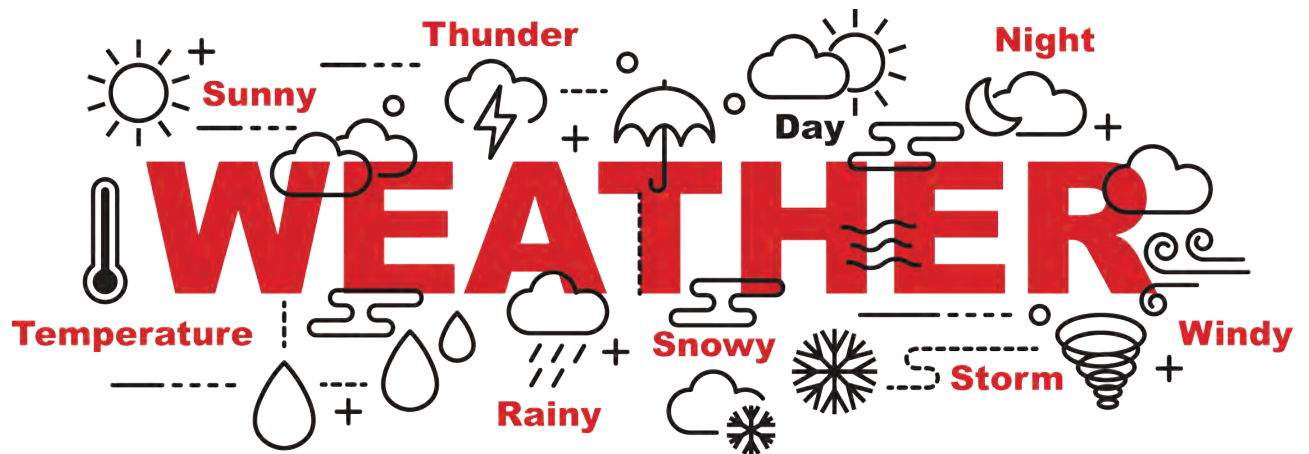
## Aprendizaje desde Casa

- \* En este día no habrá clases presenciales
- \* Los estudiantes tendrán aprendizaje en casa de acuerdo con el plan de estudio escolar
- \* PreK a 2º- Paquetes de Aprendizaje y SeeSaw
- \* 3º a 5º- Paquetes de Aprendizaje
- \* 6º a 12º- consulten Schoology
- \* Las clases podrían iniciar más tarde de lo normal
- \* Maestros/profesores estarán disponibles de 7:30 a.m. a 3:30 p.m.
- \* No habrá transporte
- \* Se tomará la asistencia a clases

## Aprendizaje a Distancia

- \* No habrá clases presenciales por varios días seguidos
- \* Los estudiantes aprenderán desde casa de acuerdo con el plan de estudio escolar
- \* PreK a 2º- Paquetes de Aprendizaje y SeeSaw
- \* 3º a 4º- SeeSaw
- \* 5º a 12º- consulten Schoology
- \* Se podría exigir que los estudiantes del 5º al 12º grado asistan clases virtuales
- \* Maestros/profesores estarán disponibles de 7:30 a.m. a 3:30 p.m.
- \* No habrá transporte
- \* Se tomará la asistencia a clases





In the event of ISD 518 schools closing, having late starts, or being dismissed early due to weather, ISD 518 will notify the following news stations:

## RADIO

95.1 FM • 93.5 FM  
104.3 FM • 730 AM

## TV

KELO TV • KSFY TV  
WORTHINGTON CABLE 3

Also, check our social media pages on Facebook and Instagram for weather related updates.

## WAMBO

WAMBO is an organization of parents and music educators whose mission is to promote, encourage and maintain an enthusiastic interest in the music programs of District 518 throughout the community.

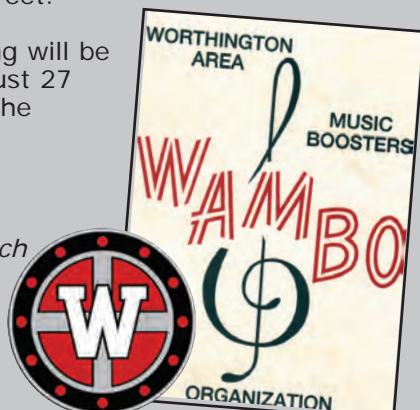
People can sign up for WAMBO at the WAMBO table at most of the music concerts.

- Individuals \$30
- Businesses \$60

People can also send in their membership fee to the WAMBO mailbox at the High School, 1211 Clary Street.

Annual meeting will be Tuesday, August 27 5:15 p.m. at the High School.

Meetings are held the 4th Tuesday of each month at 5:15 p.m. at the High School. Come join us!



## TROJAN SPORTS BOOSTER

Membership for the sports booster club is  
**Family \$30**  
**Business \$60**

The Worthington Trojan Sports Boosters endeavors to support WHS student athletes, coaches, athletic programs, and school spirit.

The membership money can be mailed or turned in to  
**WHS Office,**  
**1211 Clary St.**  
**Worthington, MN 56187**

# STUDIO3

WGTN-TV (Studio 3) facilitates awareness, encourages involvement and promotes student and community participation through locally originated cable television. Studio 3 works for and is governed by the City of Worthington and District 518 Schools.

We have been working towards getting ready for our future. Cable television continues to make changes, and we know that some do not have cable in their homes any longer. We have 2 YouTube Channels that will have our Worthington and District 518 events on - city council meetings, school board meetings, concerts, Prom, Homecoming, Graduation and more. We will be doing less Facebook Live events and more live YouTube events for the coming school year. This is how to find us:



Community Feature Stories

Trojan News

District 518 Features

School Features

Worthington City Council Meetings

District 518 School Board Meetings

Focus Forward – Chamber Highlights

Special School Events

Nobles Co. Historical Society

Worthington Music – WASO, City Band

District 518 Music Programs

Church Services

 Webpage: [wgtntv3.isd518.net](http://wgtntv3.isd518.net)

 Facebook: Search for WGTN-TV3

 Phone Number: 507.727.1158

 Email: [Studio3@isd518.net](mailto:Studio3@isd518.net)



 YouTube 

@worthingtonisd518events

We will be using the YouTube Channel for all live events - Homecoming, Graduation, Prom, Music Concerts, and more.

Our sports including Trojan Volleyball, Football, Soccer (b/g), Wrestling, and Basketball (b/g) games will be livestreamed on Hudl. You can watch the link on our school website [www.isd518.net](http://www.isd518.net) or subscribe. Most of our home and away games will be shown on Hudl. The recorded game will stay on the page for 24-48 hours and then deleted. Once the respective sports season has concluded, they will be re-added.

Trojan News

School Features

Prairie Elementary & Intermediate

School Concerts

WMS & WHS Concerts

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# 4 Easy Ways To Register

## 1. MAIL-IN:



Checks payable to  
District 518 Community Education  
827 N. Crailsheim Road  
Worthington, MN 56187  
Send registration form & payment.

## 2. PHONE-IN:



Have a catalog handy!  
Call (507) 376-6105  
Monday - Thursday, 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.  
Friday, 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.  
You may use your credit, debit card or  
e-check to pay.

## 3. DROP-OFF:



District 518 Community Education Office  
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Friday, 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

## 4. ONLINE:



You may register & pay via our website:  
[www.isd518.net/enrichment](http://www.isd518.net/enrichment)

## REGISTER ON TIME TO SAVE MONEY

Persons interested in enrolling in a Community Education class may register by these four easy methods. Most programs have limited enrollment and are filled on a first-paid, first-served basis. Registrants may miss the first session of a class, but must be registered before the second session is held in order to participate in the class. *Payment Policy: Payment must accompany registration to ensure enrollment in a class. Registrations without payment will be put on hold until payment is received. Registrations/ payments received the date the class begins will be charged an additional \$5 processing fee. All walk-ins and late registrations will be charged the \$5 processing fee. Participants are strongly encouraged to register early. If you have questions, please contact the Community Education office.*

Each class has a minimum required enrollment. If this minimum is not met one week prior to a class starting, the class will be canceled and enrollment fees returned.

## CONFIRMATION

Once your fee is paid you are officially registered. Plan to attend the first session as scheduled. You will be notified only if the class is canceled.

## ENROLLMENT CANCELLATION

Please notify the Community Education office during office hours at 376-6105 prior to the start of a class to cancel from a class and request a refund.

## INCLEMENT WEATHER

Weather related changes will be announced on 730 AM and US95 by 4:00 p.m. on the day of the class.

## UCARE DISCOUNTS

A UCare discount of \$15 per class is available. Please ask about this program!

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### REGISTRATION FORM

Class Name \_\_\_\_\_ Class # \_\_\_\_\_

Fee \_\_\_\_\_ Start Date \_\_\_\_\_ Level \_\_\_\_\_

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UCare ID # \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (Home) \_\_\_\_\_ (Cell) \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Check(s) Enclosed ☐ Mastercard ☐ Visa ☐ Discover ☐

Card # \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date \_\_\_\_\_

FOR YOUTH Classes ONLY

Parent's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Student's Grade \_\_\_\_\_

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# King Turkey Day

September 12 -13, 2025

12 y 13 de Septiembre, 2025

Downtown Worthington

En el centro de Worthington

**Turkey Race featuring Paycheck vs Ruby Begonia**

**Carreras de Pavos Paycheck contra Ruby Begonia**

Food Vendors, Free Inflatables, Free Pancakes,  
Featured Speaker, Daily Music, Grand Parade, Free Kids  
Activities, Vendor Fair, Beer Garden, and more!

Vendedores de comida, inflables gratis, panqueques gratis,  
orador destacado, musica diaria, gran desfile, actividades  
gratuitas para niños, feria de vendedores, jardin de cerveza y  
mucho más.



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## CLASSICAL TREASURES

SAT., NOV. 15<sup>TH</sup>

7:00 p.m.

FEATURING THE  
BREMEN TOWN MUSICIANS  
COMPOSED BY  
DR. CHRISTOPHER STANICHAR



## MEMORIAL AUDITORIUM

714 13TH STREET WORTHINGTON, MN 507-376-9101

ADULTS - \$15 • STUDENTS - \$5



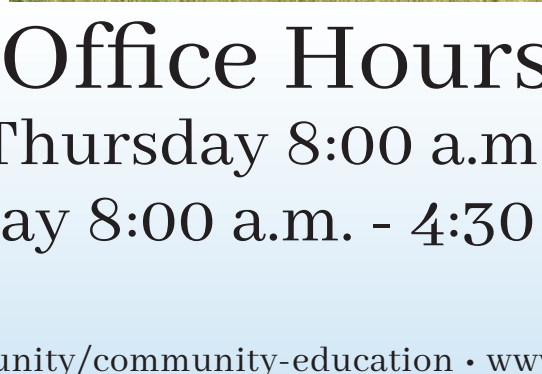
This activity is made possible by the voters of Minnesota through a grant from the SW MN Arts Council,  
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Adult Basic Education • Family & Community Liaisons  
Early Childhood Family Education • Enrichment Programs  
Nobles County Integration Collaborative



## Office Hours

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FIND US ONLINE

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