



Most Commonly Asked Questions About Starting School on the Lynn Campus...

We are here to help you!

When is the first day of school?

Middle School students (grades 5-8), will report for the first full day of school on Tuesday, September 6th.

Kindergarten through 4th Grade students will report for the first full day of school on Wednesday, September 7th.

Early Childhood students (grades Preschool-PreK) will attend an Open House/Parent Orientation on Thursday, September 8th OR Friday, September 9th. Refer to the schedule you will receive from your child's teachers to know what day you are expected.

What time is Drop-Off & Pick-UP?

Drop-Off is between 7:45am-8:00am. All student who are not in their classroom by 8am will be marked tardy, with the exception of our Early Childhood students.

Pick-Up is promptly at 2:30pm. Any child who is still at school after 2:45pm will be sent to our *After School Adventure Club (ASAC)* and parents/guardians will be charged the ASAC fee of \$8/hour.

How do I drop my child off on the first day Of school?

All drop-off and pick-up times will be the same for ALL students.

- ❖ All families entering the parking lot for carpool should enter the parking lot just after the school sign, turn left, and proceed to drive around the building following the carpool lanes to the front of the building. Then, pull forward and let your child off in front of the building. Be sure to have children exit the car from the right side, to avoid walking in front of cars.
- ❖ When our *Preschool/Pre-K* families arrive for their Early Childhood Open House/Orientation we invite parents to visit the classroom with their child. In order to do this, you can park your vehicle either on Urban street (**carefully avoiding our neighbors' driveways**) or in the left Drop Lane (furthest from the front door) and enter the school through the front door.

Carpool Routine:

When you drive into the driveway turn left immediately, drive **5mph** around the building (on the Pre-Kindergarten side). **DO NOT** stop to let your child out of your car until you reach the front of the building. Let your child exit your car. The children will then walk into the building through the front doors and to their classrooms. Remember, please drive safely and do not park in our carpool lanes. If you must come into the school for any office business, you may park in the far left carpool lane in front of the already parked cars.

How do I pick my child up?

Carpool begins at 2:30pm. **ALL** families wait in their cars in the carpool lanes and your child will be escorted to your car. Stay in your car as this helps to reduce confusion and the number of people crossing in front of the cars. When you approach the parking area, four lines of cars will be formed. Your carpool number should be attached to the rearview mirror so it is displayed forward. The carpool assistant will be able to read your number and will call it on the classroom intercom. Students will hear their number and name and will promptly exit via the front door to their car.

PLEASE DO NOT USE YOUR CELL PHONE DURING THIS TIME.

Carpool calling begins promptly at 2:30pm. All students need to be picked up by 2:45pm each day (we know it will take a while to get things rolling smoothly at first.)

Where or how do I get a carpool number?

Returning families will be assigned the same number as you used last year. New families will be assigned carpool numbers and be given a mirror tag to be displayed on the rearview mirror. If you have not received a carpool number, please contact the office to get this information.

If I want to join a carpool with other families, how do I facilitate that?

We cannot take the responsibility of establishing carpools, but we will try to help. Please let us know if you need assistance with this.

Where is a good place to find general information about our school?

Family Resources button on our school website (nschristian.org) has all school related information especially back-to-school information. The button is located half-way down the Home Page on the left side. It will be important that you check this tab regularly to stay informed about our school notifications.

When is the Back-to-School Curriculum Night for Gr. K-8?

Back-to-School Curriculum Night is for parents/guardians of children in grades K-8 and will be on **Wednesday, September 14th** at 6:30pm. This is an **ADULT ONLY** evening, and we ask that you begin to make child care arrangements now so that you may attend this important evening. Please remember that we are in partnership with you as we educate your child and we look forward to seeing you at our Back-to-School Night!

When will the lunch program begin?

The hot lunch program will start **Monday, September 12th**. Click [here](#) for details on how to place an order. Please remember to pack a healthy lunch and snack and include utensils if needed as the school does not provide lunch utensils. Also, we encourage ALL students to take a reusable water bottle to school each day to stay hydrated.

What should I do if I am confused?

We all get confused from time to time. No worries! Please feel free to call the office for clarification on anything. The number is 781-599-2040, or you may email Mrs. Patty Razumny, our Office Manager, at prazumny@nschristian.org. Also, your child's classroom teacher is an excellent resource as well. They will be sharing their contact information with you in the coming days. You should always feel free to reach out to them as well.

My child's uniform didn't come in on time, what should I do? *(K-8 Grades ONLY, non- Home School students)

Do not fret! You may also access our **Uniform Exchange** wardrobe, located passed the Main office on the right. Families may feel free to leave gently used uniforms that they no longer need, and others should feel free to take what they need. This is a year-around exchange opportunity.

Just as a reminder regarding our **Uniform Policy**, you may click [here](#). To view our School Store and purchase a P.E. Uniform (Grades K-8), you may visit <https://northshorechristianschool.spiritsale.com>

***Please Note:** Early Childhood students and our Home School Students may opt to wear Uniforms if they so choose☺

Is there a form of communication that is used between the school and home? Like, for bad weather and/or school cancellations?

Yes! We use a Parent-Alert system and you will be notified by text and email should we need to communicate with you quickly.

We are so glad you are part of the NSCS family!