



Parent Orientation Guide



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Required Postings

NISD THIS WEEK

NISD Welcomes 85,500 students



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elcomed a record number of students for the 2007-08 school year on Monday, Aug. 27. Enrollment figures are not available yet, the district is reporting more than 85,500 students, an increase from last year.

Northside Trustees to vote on 2007-08 budget Aug. 28

The Northside Board of Trustees is scheduled to approve the 2007-08 budget next week, along with a proposed tax rate drop from \$1.5925 to \$1.2625 per \$100 of property value. A public hearing on the proposed budget was held Tuesday night.

No Shots - No School - No Kidding: Immunizations are Law

Students who are not up-to-date with the state mandated immunizations will not be able to start school in Northside School District on the Aug. 27, 2007.

Register for Evening High School

The Northside ISD Evening High School program is an opportunity for students to "catch up" on missed or failed

District Events Calendar

<		August 2007								>	
		1	2	3	4						
5	6	7	8	9	10	11					
12	13	14	15	16	17	18					
19	20	21	22	23	24	25					
26	27	28	29	30	31						

[View Full Calendar](#)

Select A School

Elementary

Middle

High

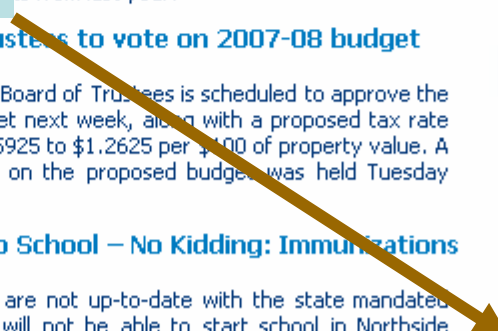
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*First time users need to click **Create a new account***

*After you create an account enter your **Username** and password in the appropriate boxes and click **Login**.*

*If ever needed, click **Forgot your password** and your password will be sent to your email.*

***Help** documents are available in both English and Spanish.*

Grades & Attendance >

View your student's daily grades and attendance for the current year.

Username:

Password:

Login

[Create a new account.](#)

[Forgot your password?](#)

[Need help?](#)

[¿Necesita ayuda?](#)

Creating an Account

Username:	<input type="text"/>	Your First Name:	<input type="text"/>	M.I.	<input type="text"/>
Password:	<input type="password"/>	Your Last Name:	<input type="text"/>		
Confirm Password:	<input type="password"/>	Your Address:	<input type="text"/>		
Password Requirements:	Minimum Length: 6	City:	<input type="text"/>		
		State:	Texas		
		Zip:	<input type="text"/>		
E-mail:	<input type="text"/>	Primary Phone:	<input type="text"/>		
Confirm E-mail:	<input type="text"/>	Alternate Phone:	<input type="text"/>		

You can use a username and password of your choice. The password must contain at least 6 characters.

*Fill in all your personal information, check that you agree to the terms of usage and click **Sign Up**.*

*The **E-mail address** is important because a security code will be sent to that email address to complete your registration.*

User Agreement:

I will use the NISD Parent Connection to only access grade and attendance information for students for which I am a parent or legal guardian. I will not share grade and attendance information with anyone who is not authorized to view it.

I agree to the above terms of usage *
(You must check the above box in order to proceed)

[Sign Up](#) | [Cancel](#)

ParentConnection Email Verification

Current User:

We sent a verification code via email to:

Please enter the code below to continue

[Return to Login](#)

Enter the **code** that is sent to your email address and click **Continue**.

Main Parent Connection Page

Welcome to ParentConnection



Northside ISD

Current Student:

A dropdown menu showing the name of the currently selected student.

Select a section:

- ◆ Grades
- ◆ Attendance
- ◆ Report Cards
- ◆ Triggers
- ◆ Manage Students
- ◆ My Settings

You are currently logged in as **Student Name**

[Log Out]

*Navigate between the **students** you have added to your account.*

Welcome to GradeSpeed ParentConnection!

Use the links on the left to view information about your students or to manage your account. Use the dropdown box to select which student you are currently viewing. Questions concerning grades and attendance should be directed to the teacher.

Note: Student grade information will be available on Tuesday, Sept. 4th.

*Navigate to the different **sections** Parent Connection.*

[Add a student to my account](#)

Click to add a new student to your account.

Add New Student to Your Account



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Current Student:

Stuville, Amanda

Select a section:

- ◆ Grades
- ◆ Attendance
- ◆ Report Cards

Application for Access to New Students

Please add the information below for each new student you wish to apply for. All fields are required, and please enter the information accurately. This information will be compared against student records as a qualification for approval.

Note: The student ID number can be obtained from the school office. The PIN number is the first four letters of the student's last name followed by the last four digits of the student's Social Security number.

Student ID:	<input type="text"/> *
Campus:	Select One <input type="button" value="v"/> *
Pin:	<input type="text"/> *
<input type="button" value="Submit"/> <input type="button" value="Cancel"/>	

To add a new student to your account, click the **Add New Student** link on the main Parent Connection page. Enter the **student ID number**, select the **school**, and enter the **PIN** (first four letters of the student's last name + the last four digits of the student's Social Security Number.) After you have entered this information, click **Submit**.

Parent Connection Links



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Select a section:

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Grades

This will show you the student's current grades for all of the classes. Click the **Grades** to see the grade details. Click the **teacher's name** to e-mail the teacher.

Student Grades:

Teacher	Course	Period	Cycle 1	Cycle 2	Cycle 3	Exam 1	Sem 1
Shawna, Frances	PE 8/ATH-G	01					
Kraus, April	CRITKAREX 8	02					
Kraus, Anne	MATH 8	03	100				100
Harris, Lisa	JOURNALISM	04					
Ray, Christopher	SCIENCE 8	05	88				88
Harris, Tracy	ADVISORY MS	06					
Brett, Candace	ENGLISH 8 GT H	07					
Harris, Bridgette	US HIS 8 G						

SCIENCE 8 (Period 05) **88**

Daily 20 %

Assignment	Assigned	Due	Grade	Note
Interpreting Chemical Labels	Aug-28	Aug-29	92	
Average			92	

Labs & Projects 40 %

Assignment	Assigned	Due	Grade	Note
safety matching lab	Aug-29	Aug-30	73	
Average			73	

Tests & Quiz 40 %

Assignment	Assigned	Due	Grade	Note
safety quiz	Aug-29	Aug-29	100	
Average			100	

Parent Connection Links



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Select a section:

- ◆ Grades
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- ◆ Report Cards
- ◆ **Triggers**
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- ◆ My Settings

Triggers

Set triggers to get **e-mail notification** of a student's **grade change**. You can also set an **attendance notification** to notify you of an absence or tardy. These notifications can be sent to your e-mail account, or as a text message to your cell phone.

Triggers:

Triggers allow you to receive notification when a grade changes or when there is new attendance data.

Student: [Name] (123456789)

Trigger Options:



Watch Grades

Trip when a grade in a course changes

Below

Above

an average of



Send E-mail



Send Text Message to

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Watch Attendance

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- ◆ [My Settings](#)

Attendance

This will show any absences or tardies.

Report Card (Elementary Only)

This will show the student's latest report card.

Manage Students

Add or delete students in your account.

My Settings

Change information like you password or email address.