



What's New:

- **Reminders about [Northeast Arrival Procedures](#):**
 - There is NO parking on Grove Street in front of the school on either side of the street. **The MPD will ticket cars that are parked on Grove St.**
 - **Car Line:** If you use the car line then you should NOT get out of your car. If you do not wish to leave your child until they have entered the building, you may either park your car on a side street and walk your child to school or plan to arrive at the car line after 8:10. Cars without children in them may not remain in the car line after children have exited the vehicle.
- **Electronic Devices:** Please remind your children not to bring any electronic devices, including smartphones, smart watches, apple watches, and gizmo watches to school with them. These are not educational tools and should be kept at home. If a child requires a device for after-school use, it must remain in the student's backpack and out of sight during the school day. Please also note that the school will not be responsible for any damaged, lost, or stolen items brought from home. Thank you.
- **Meet our New Staff!**
 - **Our school nurse, Ms. Christie Rule (New in June)!**

Nurse Christie Rule, RN, MSN, NJ-CSN worked through COVID at a special needs school for medically fragile children in Cedar Knolls. She comes to Northeast School after four years of substitute nursing in health offices across the Montclair Schools, including conducting COVID testing last Fall.

She earned her School Nurse Certification and graduated this past May from Rutgers-Camden with her Masters of Science in Nursing. She comes from a hospital-based, oncology med-surg background. In addition to ferrying her first and 10th graders between activities, she loves her reading group, exploring old houses, and hiking with her husband and kids.

She would love to hear from you! Please bookmark her information in case you need to reach her in the event of your child being ill. Remember to keep your child home if sick, for at least 24 hours after a fever (without Tylenol/Motrin), diarrhea or vomiting.
 - **Our Physical Education Teacher, Mr. Peter Conde!**

My name is Peter Conde and I am the new Physical Education Teacher at Northeast School! I am so excited for this year! I am originally from Woodbridge Township. I graduated from Kean University and have experience working in both elementary and secondary education. I have taught at Columbus Elementary School, Carteret High School, Clinton Elementary School, and

White Township Consolidated School. In addition to teaching, I am also an Assistant Football Coach for my Alma Mater JFK Memorial High School in Iselin. If you ever have any questions or concerns about Physical Education class please feel free to reach out to me at pconde@montclair.k12.nj.us. I am excited to work with your children!

- **A Message from our PTA! After School Enrichment (ASE)** begins today! PTA volunteers will supervise the ASE students outside on the blacktop during the waiting period between school dismissal at 2:35 p.m. and when ASE begins at 3:00 p.m. We recommend you pack a book for your child to read and provide an extra snack for them to eat while they wait for their ASE classes to begin.

ASE dismissal is at **4:00 p.m.** outside of Door J in Northeast's faculty parking lot. If your child attends YMCA aftercare, we will ensure they get there once ASE is dismissed.

Please dress your children for the weather as most ASE classes will be outside. On days with inclement weather, the PTA will decide whether or not class will be held, but in most instances, they will plan on using the classrooms inside.

All the best,
Jill McLaughlin

District-Wide Updates

- **Digital Backpack:** Please click [here](#) to view community and organization events in town.
- **Housekeeping:** Please check the district website (<https://www.montclair.k12.nj.us/>) for district policies and school procedures (In our Parent Handbook on our website).