

NORTH LAWRENCE COMMUNITY SCHOOLS

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SCHOOLS

Bedford North Lawrence High School

Bedford Middle School

Dollens Elementary School

Englewood School

Fayetteville Elementary School

Heltonville Elementary School

Lincoln Elementary School

Needmore Elementary School

Oolitic Middle School

Parkview Primary Elementary School

Parkview Intermediate Elementary School

Shawswick Elementary/ Middle School

Springville Elementary School

Stalker Elementary School

North Lawrence Career Center November 18, 2019

NLCS Faculty and Staff,

On Tuesday, November 19th, the Indiana State Teachers Association is sponsoring a RedForEd Action Day at the Indiana Statehouse. We recognize the importance of this event to enact change at the state level for public education. The root cause for the Red for Ed Action day is inadequate public education funding from state leaders. Our increasing financial constraints are many and will continue to present challenges that require ongoing support from our community and state legislators.

We know many of our staff and faculty plan to attend the event, and we support attendance at this event. We have reached out to all of our substitute teachers in advance to make them aware of the increased need to cover classes. Our principals are working strategically to plan for coverage and to ensure a safe, productive learning environment for our students.

NLCS will not close schools on Tuesday, November 19th. Many of our families are working families and depend on us. We will remain open to serve our community. However, we will show our support by wearing red on Tuesday. We ask all of you, teachers, students, and community members to join us. Post your pictures. Let's paint the NLCS community red, and show we value our schools.

We are fortunate that we live in a community that supports public education. We know there will continue to be opportunities throughout the upcoming legislative sessions to demonstrate that support. Thank you for all you do for our students each day.

Sincerely,

Dr. Ty Mungle 'Superintendent

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