

Dear Families,

Welcome to the 2019-20 school year – we hope your summer was enjoyable.

We wanted to take a moment to introduce ourselves and provide information regarding the upcoming school year. We are Brent Dickerson and Drew Kloplic, and we will be serving as your child's Principal and Dean of Students at the Northview Next Learning Center. After many years of consideration, research and planning, we are confident that Northview Next reflects our district's goals – serving you, our families, and emphasizing multiple pathways to success for whatever is next for your child.

We are excited to open the Learning Center for the 2019-20 school year. The first day of school will be Monday, August 26. As our students become more familiar with the vast opportunities available to them through the Learning Center, we wanted to make sure that you were also aware of several benefits our program provides, including:

- A separate location for Learning Center students staffed by Northview teachers.
 - Location- The Ross Medical Center at 1624 Woodworth St NE, Grand Rapids MI, 49525
- Extended hours of operation.
 - Monday-Thursday- 8:00am-8:00pm
 - Friday- 8:00am-4:30pm
- Flexible scheduling to accommodate work requirements, health issues, or other barriers
 - 2 days per week minimum attendance requirement
- A Northview provided laptop and charger

You can expect to hear from us throughout the year, and we look forward to working closely with you to build on the solid foundation we've started. Should you have any questions or need additional information on Northview Next, please visit <http://nvps.net/northviewnext/learning-center/>. **We also encourage you to stop by our open house on Monday, August 19, from 6:00-7:30pm, located at the Ross Medical Center-1624 Woodworth St NE, Grand Rapids, MI 49525.**

Thank you for choosing Northview Next as your child's partner in education.

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