

# Cicero-North Syracuse High School

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Dear Parents,

We have a few things coming up in the next couple of weeks that we wanted to make sure you all knew about!

The end of the 5-week grading period is Friday, October 9th. These mid-quarter reports will be available to view in SchoolTool on Friday, October 16th. We will also be mailing a printed copy of your student's mid-quarter report. For future planning, the first marking period will end on Friday, November 6th.

This year we are once again a Positivity Project school. Positivity project is a school-wide program that promotes and values relationships. The mission is to empower America's youth to build positive relationships and become their best selves. The first things students can do is take the Values in Action Character Strength Survey <https://www.viacharacter.org/survey/account/register>. It is a free 15 minute survey that will empower all attendees to better understand their own unique character strengths profile and understand why all 24 character strengths are important. Each week of the school year, there is a focus on one of the 24 character strengths.

**From October 28th-30th** we ask that you join us for our first ever Virtual C-NS Open House. Parents use their child's schedule from School Tool to go visit teacher's individual sites that are located on our Virtual Open House site. Teachers will provide information to parents regarding their classroom procedures, curriculum, and grading. In addition, we invite you to visit our counseling, library, school store, career center, and administration pages during your virtual tour. While this is different from how we have conducted our Meet the Teacher night in the past, we are hopeful you enjoy the virtual tour of our classrooms.

**Coming up in November**, we will be honoring our students who exhibited our Core Values with our Northstar Pride Ceremony. Our CNS Core Values center around, Personal Responsibility, Respect, Integrity, Discipline, and Engagement. Any student, remote or in-person is able to be recognized by any of our staff members. Those students who attend in person, will be given their certificate during lunch. Remote students will have their certificate mailed to them.

Lastly, please check out the Principal's Video Newsletter located on the left side of the CNS webpage. Some of the information contained in this letter is discussed as well as some additional news.

Sincerely,

The C-NS Administration Team