

NEW TRIER TOWNSHIP HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT 203

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Dear Families and Students of the Class of 2026,

We hope this letter finds you well and enjoying the beginning of 8th grade. Here at New Trier, we have begun preparing to welcome the Class of 2026. We hope that you enjoyed our *Getting to Know New Trier High School* guide that was sent to your home. This is our way of helping families become familiar with New Trier and all its offerings. We also hope that it will make you excited for the many opportunities, both academic and extracurricular, that New Trier has to offer.

Your transition to New Trier begins with a placement test in November or December. This letter includes some important information about upcoming placement tests for 8th grade students at our **Northfield Campus** (7 Happ Road) on the following dates:

Saturday, November 13th: Students from WJHS, Sears, Marie Murphy

Saturday, December 4th: Students from Washburne, Central, Sunset Ridge, Private Schools

Please read through the attached documents for:

- Times, location, and logistical details for the placement tests
- Information about *mandatory* student enrollment
- Frequently asked questions about placement testing
- A map of the Northfield Campus
- The countdown to New Trier Transition Calendar

As you will see on our Countdown to New Trier Transition Calendar, we host many events to prepare you for the exciting opportunities in high school. During the winter months we will provide several occasions for students and parents to come to New Trier and see the campus as you learn about our Academic and Elective programs. We will send information about each event as we draw closer to the date. We look forward to seeing our newest members of the New Trier community here at the Northfield campus.

You can stay updated on all things New Trier at our website at www.newtrier.k12.il.us and find specific information for incoming students at www.newtrier.k12.il.us/incomingfreshmen.

Thank you,

A handwritten signature in cursive that reads 'Lori Worth'.

Lori Worth
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Northfield Campus