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Afterschool Program Starting at Northview High School *Will Include Tutoring and Snacks*

Escambia County School District is announcing intent for Northview High School to offer an afterschool tutoring program for their students that will include snacks provided through the Afterschool Meals Program, a subcomponent of the Child Care Food Program.

The Afterschool Meals Program is designed primarily to provide nutritious snacks to students in participating afterschool programs. Snacks will be available at no separate charge to all students attending the new afterschool program at Northview High regardless of race, color, national origin, sex, age, or disability.

Northview High School announced the intent to begin an afterschool program on Feb. 18, which will serve as a support for traditional and remote students who need additional academic interventions after school. The program will start at 3:20 p.m. with a snack at 5:15 p.m.

Assistant Principal Gerry Pippins explained, "This program is aimed at students who need to improve grades in any core subject. Our goal is to give students an opportunity to improve their grades so that they can earn credit for the course for the year."

Traditional students who are eligible for the program were given a form to take home and return it to school. Remote students and students who for some reason need another form, can find it in the student's Google grade level classroom, and it can be submitted online.

Additional information about the Afterschool Meals Program: In accordance with Federal civil rights law and U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) civil rights regulations and policies, the USDA, its Agencies, offices, and employees, and institutions participating in or administering USDA programs are prohibited from discriminating based on race, color, national origin, sex, disability, age, or reprisal or retaliation for prior civil rights activity in any program or activity conducted by the USDA. Persons with disabilities who require alternative means of communication for program information (e.g. Braille, large print, audiotape,

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