

NEW TRIER TOWNSHIP HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT 203



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Dear Parents and Students of the Class of 2025:

We hope that you enjoyed our Academic Life presentation earlier this month. We were pleased to see so many of you in attendance. The next step in your transition to New Trier High School is our **All About Electives Virtual Evening on Wednesday, January 27th at 6:30 p.m.** This evening will introduce you to the many elective options available at the Northfield Campus for the 2021-2022 school year.

The evening will begin with an introduction from Assistant Principal Gail Gamrath, who will give you an overview of the elective options for your freshman courses. Attached to this email you will find the *All About Electives* document with an overview of all elective choices at the freshman campus. After her brief introduction, students and parents will have the opportunity to attend virtual Zoom sessions for each of the elective departments. We will have four (4) Zoom sessions so you may attend as many sessions as possible and learn as much as you can about our elective courses. *Departments will repeat their program four times so you will get the same experience no matter which session you attend.*

The specifics of the All About Electives evening are as follows:

- The night will consist of four, 15-minute sessions separated by a 5-minute break
 - Introduction to the Evening 6:30 p.m. Log on using the webinar link: [All About Electives Webinar Link](#)**
 - Zoom Session 1 6:55-7:10 p.m.**
 - Zoom Session 2 7:15- 7:30 p.m.**
 - Zoom Session 3 7:35-7:50 p.m.**
 - Zoom Session 4 7:55-8:10 p.m.**
- **The attached schedule (pdf) has all of the Zoom links**
- During each session there will be a choice to attend any of the elective presentations in:
 - Business Education**
 - Theatre**
 - Music**
 - Applied Arts: Family and Consumer Sciences & Technology Education**
 - Art**
 - Media**
 - Speech & Debate**
 - Dance**
- The presentations in each department will be repeated from session to session, so there is no need to attend the same option twice
- You will be muted upon entry to the Zoom and in most cases your camera will be turned off
- Please use the chat feature in Zoom to ask questions
- All handouts and informational materials from the sessions will be posted on the [Incoming Freshmen website](#) after the event
- There will be a recording of all department sessions on the website after the event for anyone who cannot attend

We will send reminders about the All About Electives evening as we get closer to the event. ***Zoom links to the department sessions will be emailed again on the day of the event. Please keep in mind that we cannot publish the individual Zoom links on our website. You will need to access them from your email.***

This letter and others we send throughout the year are available on our Incoming Freshmen web page [Incoming Freshman Website](#). You can also find upcoming events, forms, and other helpful information there. We look forward to helping you begin your transition to high school and we wish you the best of luck for continued success in your eighth grade year.

Sincerely,

Assistant Principal, Northfield Campus

Transition Coordinator, Northfield Campus