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NSYMCA Hosts School Supply Drive for Wheeling School District 21

Northbrook, IL; July, 2022: As many local families face financial hardship, the North Suburban YMCA is working to ensure that students in Forrestal and Twain Elementary Schools in Wheeling's School District 21 have the supplies they need to start the school year off right. To do that, the Y is hosting a school supply drive through July 31 . The drive is a collaborative effort made possible by the YMCA's Social Responsibility Committee.

"Having access to proper school supplies is an integral part of a student's success. Our goal at the NSYMCA is to help kids achieve and lessen the financial burden that many students, families, and teachers face in the fall. We believe when we help even one child, we help build a better future for everyone," said Kathy Fielding, CEO of the North Suburban YMCA.

The school supplies being collect at the Y include:

- Paper
- Scissors
- Notebooks
- Crayons
- Washable Markers
- Pencils
- Glue Sticks
- Grade School Reading Books
- New backpacks, book bags, and messenger bags.
- Monetary donations

All school supply and monetary donations can be made at the NSYMCA facility located at 2705 Techny Road in Northbrook. The NSYMCA is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization, open and accessible to all. For more information visit www.nsymca.org or call 847-272-7250.

About the [North Suburban YMCA](#)

The North Suburban YMCA services Northbrook and 14 surrounding communities with programs and tools that help its residents become healthier, more connected, and confident, ensuring that everyone, regardless of age, income, or background, has the opportunity to learn, grow, and thrive. The NSYMCA focuses on Youth Development, Healthy Living, and Social Responsibility and is a charitable organization, inclusive and welcoming to all in our community. Learn more at NSYMCA.org.



Caption: *The North Suburban YMCA is hosting a school supply drive for Wheeling's School District 21 now through July.*