



2023-2024 Parent Academy October & November Sessions

The Colts Neck Township Schools is proud to launch its 2023-2024 Parent Academy. Our Parent Academy sessions will consist of a variety of free presentations and workshops designed specifically to share information and resources to support Colts Neck parents.

Parent Academy sessions are scheduled independently, so please feel free to register for the session(s) that you feel will benefit you most! Please note, locations and times may vary and locations are subject to change to accommodate the number of registered participants. Changes to locations and times will be communicated via email.

SESSION #1: “Knowing and Navigating District Technology”

- FACILITATOR: Mr. Phil Capasso, Supervisor of Student Information Systems, Innovation, & 21st Century Learning
- DATE / TIME: Monday, October 30, 2023 / 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM
- LOCATION: Administration Building
- SESSION DESCRIPTION: Join us as Mr. Capasso shares information about the educational technologies in the form of hardware and software available to your child through the district. Parents will receive an overview of the Student Technology Handbook & 1:1 Guide. As a parent, you will also learn about your child's Google Classroom and how to support your child at home.

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SESSION #2: “Cedar Drive’s High School Parent Night”

- FACILITATORS: Dr. Colin Rigby, Cedar Drive Middle School Principal, and Mrs. Lauren Hums, Cedar Drive Middle School School Counselor
- DATE / TIME: Thursday, November 2, 2023 / 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM
- LOCATION: Cedar Drive Middle School Gym
- SESSION DESCRIPTION: It's time to think about high school! Join Dr. Rigby and Mrs. Hums as they host an informational high school parent chat session where important information about the different options for high school will be presented. Cedar Drive's School Counselor, Mrs. Hums, will review the transition process to Colts Neck High School and provide an overview of the application/admissions process for the FRHSD Learning Centers, Monmouth County Vocational Schools, and local private high schools. Families will have an opportunity to ask questions and learn more about the respective high schools that their child may be interested in attending.

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SESSION #3: “Count On Lit” Grades K-5

- FACILITATORS: Lysa Cook, District Literacy Coach, and Tina Kennis, District Mathematics Coach
- DATE/TIME: Thursday, November 16, 2023 / 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM
- LOCATION: Administration Building
- SESSION DESCRIPTION: In Colts Neck Township Schools, we believe parents and caregivers play a critical role in the development of work habits, character traits, and academic achievement. Research shows that parents can increase their child's success by being involved in their school and community. Supporting their learning, acting as models for lifelong learning, and advocating are all ways that families can ensure their child's achievement. Please join us at our Parent Academy, “Count on Lit”, where our instructional coaches in math and literacy will share resources to help parents and caregivers of students in grades K-5 become full partners in their child's education.

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