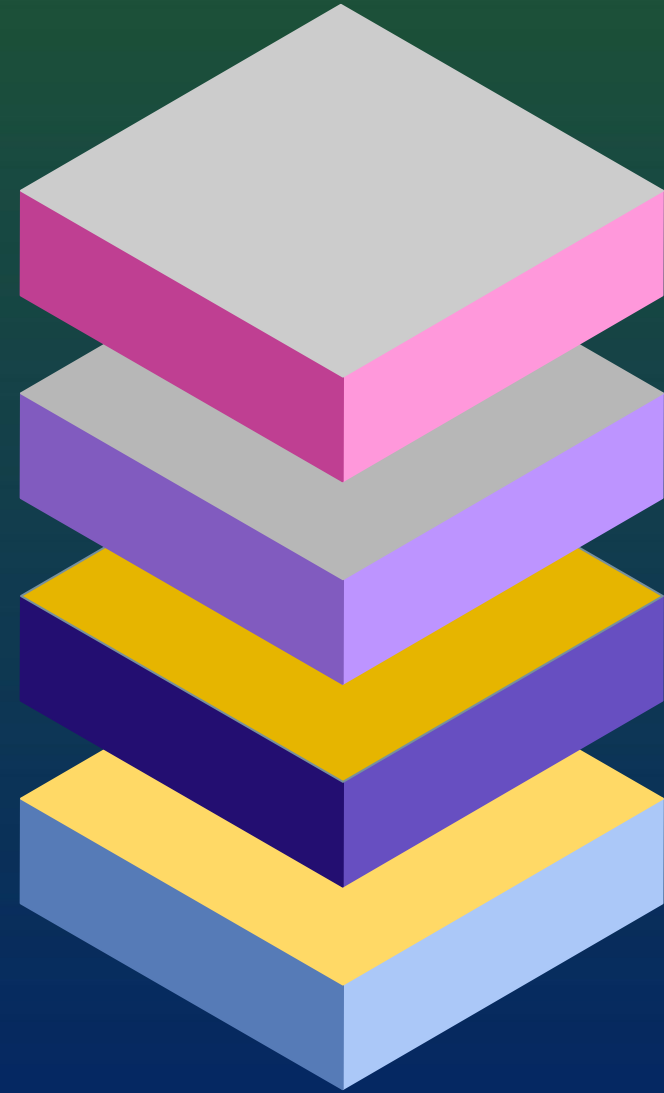


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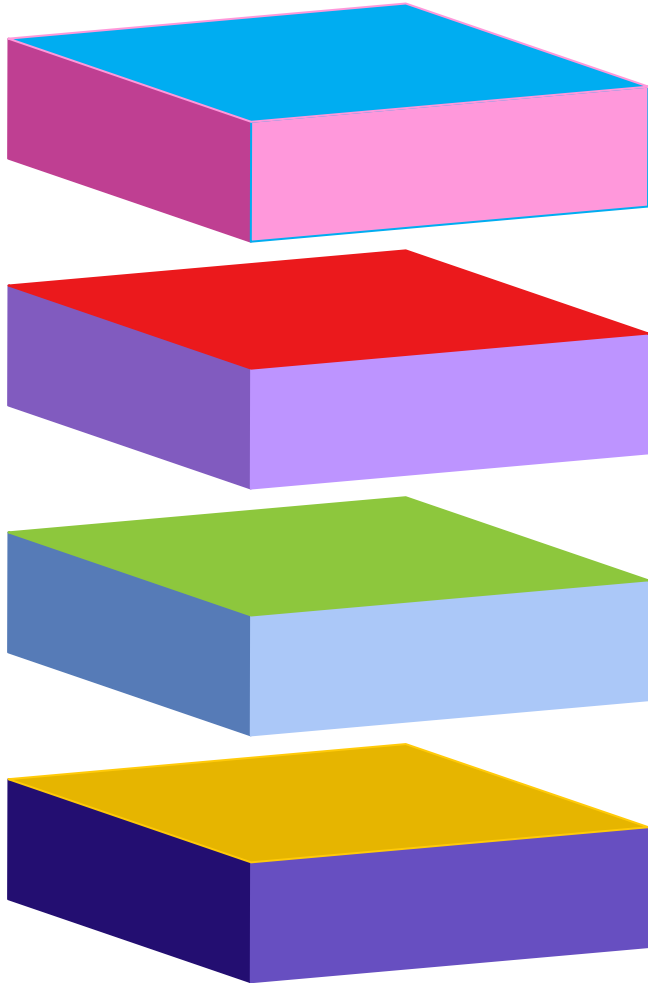
**Prevention, Safety, and Security
Information
2022-23**



Overview of Safety and Security at New Trier

- Layered Approach
- Physical security measures evolve as we continually investigate best practices including site visits
- Prevention measures that focus on mental health and belonging apply to both harm to self and harm to others
- Strong partnerships with law enforcement and social service agencies provide resources for the school and community

Four Layers of Prevention, Safety, and Security



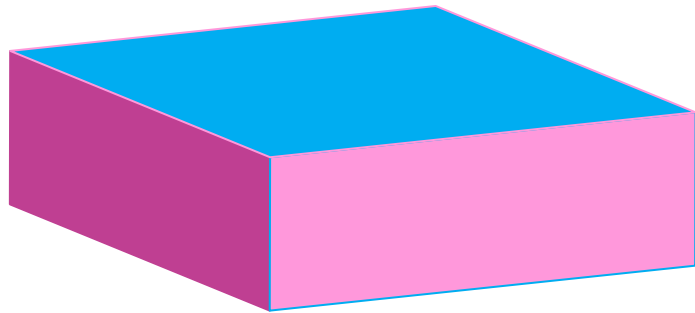
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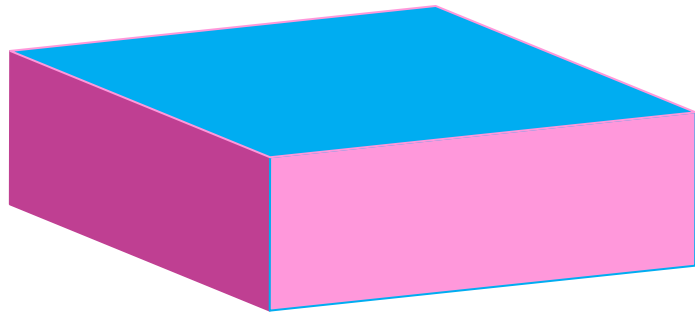
Community Partners - Law Enforcement and Security



Community Partners

- Winnetka and Northfield Police/Fire Departments
 - Annual Review and Drills
 - Joint Statements
- Security Consultants
 - Periodic Review
 - Research on new developments and best practices

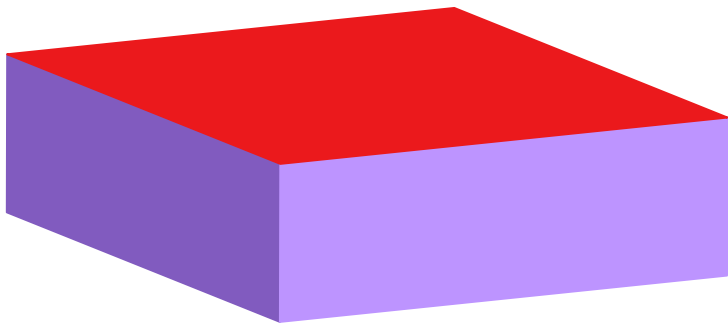
Community Partners - Student/Community Support



Community Partners

- The Family Institute at Northwestern University
- The Josselyn Center
- New Trier Parents' Association and Parent University
- Family Action Network (FAN)
- Other Partnerships (Compass, Haven, etc.)
- Private practice referrals

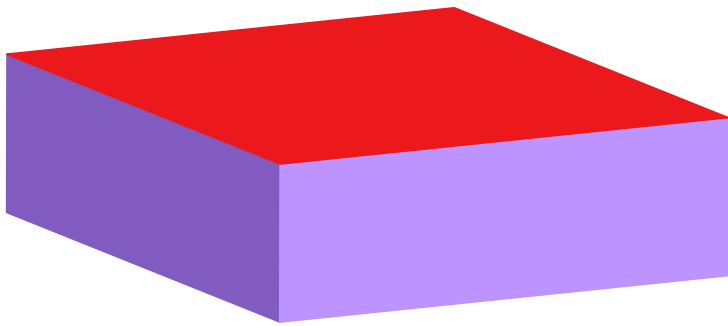
Connections, Support, and Prevention



Connections

- Highest Priority - Building strong relationships
- Every student should feel like they belong
- Family Action Network (FAN)
- Other Partnerships (Compass, Haven, etc.)
- Intentionality in our work
 - Adviser Program
 - Extracurricular Programs
 - Clubs and Affinity Groups
 - Social Work
 - Other Connections

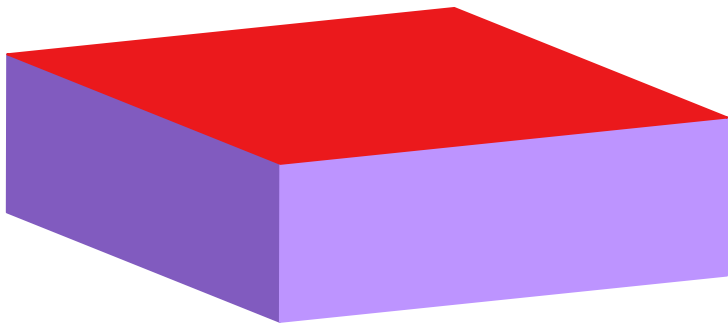
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Support

- Keeping students connected to the school
- Continually building awareness in students, staff, and community
- Website resources
- School Social Work and mental health resources
- Referral to community partners

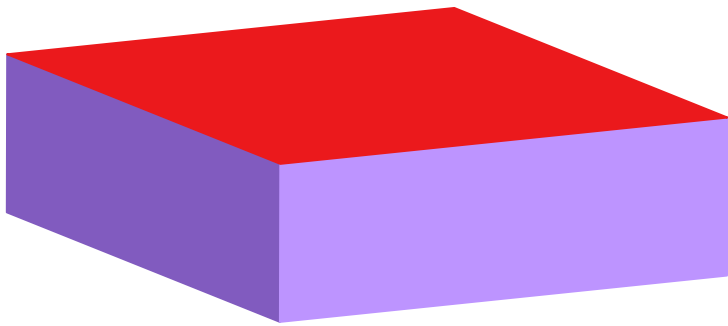
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Prevention (Harm to Self or Others)

- In school:
 - Keeping students connected
 - Providing access to support resources, including emergency Social Work referrals
 - See Something, Say Something: TrevTips and trusted adults
 - Kinetic Wellness curriculum and Professional Development for staff

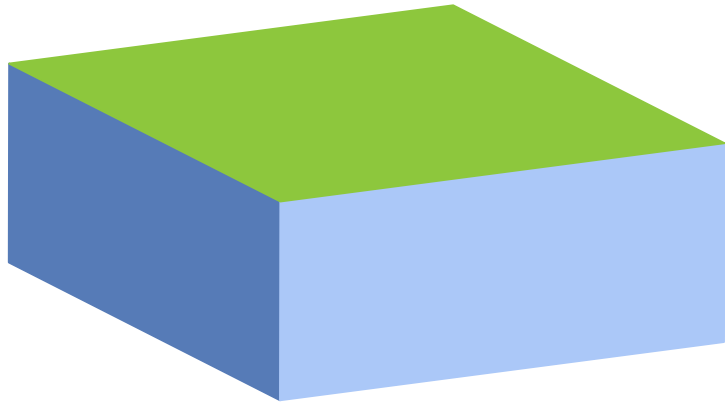
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Prevention (Harm to Self or Others)

- Partnering with students:
 - See Something, Say Something
 - Supporting interested student groups
 - Enhancing current practices using student voice
 - Kinetic Wellness curriculum and Professional Development for staff
- Partnering with families:
 - See Something, Say Something
 - Facilitating access to community resources
 - Providing parent programming to build awareness of signs of suicide and need to reduce access to lethal means (substance use, prescription drugs, secure gun storage)

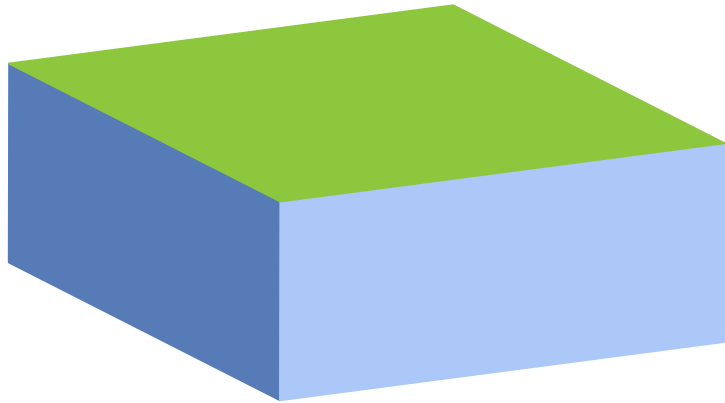
Physical Safety Measures and Daily Procedures



Physical Safety Measures and Daily Procedures

- Limited entry points staffed by our Security personnel
 - At the beginning of the day: greeting students and students scanning IDs
 - In the middle of the day: greeting visitors through our door buzzer system, verifying ID, and running background checks
- Door hardware with electronic warning system on unmanned doors
- Other

Physical Safety Measures and Daily Procedures



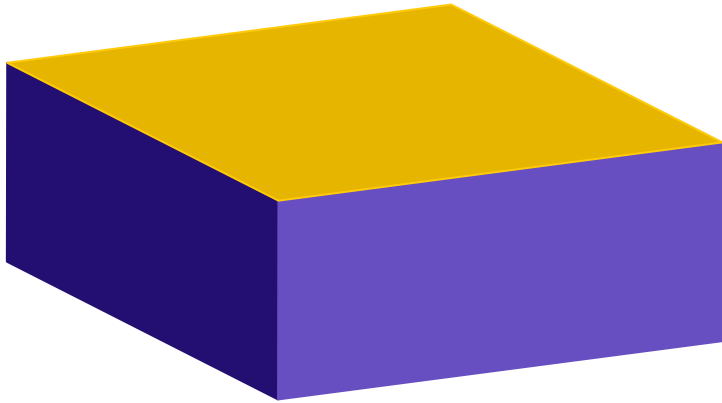
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- Video surveillance in hallways and at entries and exits
- School Resource Officer on each campus who is a member of the respective Police Department
- Strong partnership with law enforcement
- Regular monitoring of TrevTips online reporting
- Threat Assessment Team - protocol and follow-up

Emergency Procedures and Readiness

Emergency Procedures and Readiness

- Yearly emergency drills with police and fire departments present
- An “emergency awareness day” each year to review procedures in each class
- Signage and identification of safe spaces for lockdown
- Site for hosting local law enforcement trainings
- Communication capabilities to staff, students and families, via text, email, etc.



Website Resources



Crisis Hotlines, TrevTips, and Mental Health Resources



Trev Tips: Anonymous Reporting



Text a Tip



Sexual Assault and Sexual Harassment Resources



Crisis Hotlines



Hospitals



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School Safety

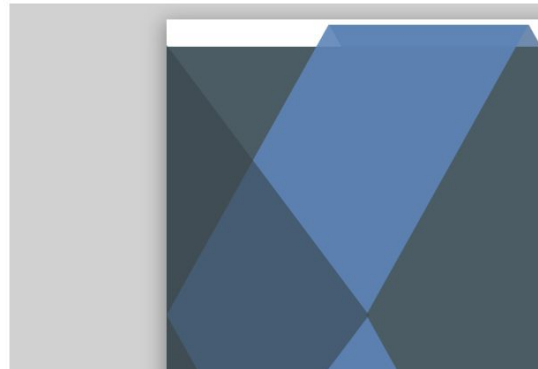
HOME

TREVTIPS AND TEXT A TIP ANONYMOUS REPORTING

ADVISER CHAIRS

PRINCIPALS

Presentation on Safety and Security



Approach at New Trier

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on-call therapist 24-7 through Text-a-Tip at 844-823-5323, text TREVHELP.

New Trier High School provides numerous resources, interventions, and programs to support student mental health and to identify students who may be struggling. The school's comprehensive approach to student mental health includes six areas of focus adopted from the **Jed Foundation**, a nonprofit organization promoting adolescent emotional health and suicide prevention. This page outlines our approach, including links to relevant programs and other resources.

If you have a question about these services or are concerned about a student's mental health, please reach out to their adviser. If the situation is urgent, call 911 or go to an emergency room. Students also may access an

Comprehensive Approach to Student Mental Health-Six Areas of Focus

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IDENTIFY STUDENTS AT RISK >

INCREASE HELP-SEEKING BEHAVIOR >

PROVIDE MENTAL HEALTH AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE SERVICES >

CRISIS SERVICES AND CRISIS MANAGEMENT PROCEDURES >

DEVELOP LIFE SKILLS (TO CONNECT AND TO BE ABLE TO WEATHER TOUGH TIMES) >

CONNECTEDNESS >