

Welcome Parents and Guardians!

Starting August 14th Colona Grade School will be offering a before and after school program called *Trojan Triumph*. Trojan Triumph is a 21st Century Community Learning Center. This grant funded program is brought to you by a partnership between Colona Grade School and the Regional Office of Education.

The 21st CCLC grant program supports extended learning and academic improvement opportunities that bridge achievement gaps. It is designed to take place before and after school for K- 8th Grade students and extended to parents for special activities. Any and all fees for the program will be funded through the 21st Century Community Learning Center grant. Therefore, there will be no cost to you or your student(s).

Through the 21st CCLC grant, before school tutoring will be offered Monday-Thursday. (7:00-8:00 a.m.) *The tutoring will be offered to those students who we feel would benefit most* from these services. This is a wonderful opportunity for these students to receive extra instruction in areas of need.

In addition, through 21st CCLC grant funding, we will be able to offer a two-hour after school program to all Pre-K-8th Grade students, running from Monday-Thursday. The after school program will start at 3:00 p.m. with a snack, which will be followed by a period of tutoring and homework support. The program ends each day with enrichment activities involving Math, Reading, Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, Music, or Physical Education. The design of the program is to build and reinforce knowledge from the day's lessons, promote character-building, and to strengthen students at a social-emotional level.

Transportation is not offered, so students will need to be picked up or walk home. The pick-up location is the front office. All walkers will be dismissed at 5:00 pm and must sign themselves out or parents must come into the school and sign their child out for the day.

Please return the attached form to the main office or myself by August 10th.

Thank you for your prompt response,

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