

The Community Hubs Newsletter updates the DPS community on initiatives, events, and resources, including educational programs, job fairs, workshops, health services, and food assistance, all aimed at enhancing well-being and building a stronger community.



## **AUGUST 2024**

## **Kicking Off the School Year at Community Hubs!**

As we kick off the school year, we're thrilled to announce full classes including GED, Spanish, and ESL, alongside our expanded food program initiatives. Our marketplace at various hubs will continue to support families with clothing, household items, and school supplies, all thanks to the generous support from our partners across the DPS school district and community organizations.

We're also excited to introduce our two new locations: the Northwest Hub is relocating to Trevista at Horace Mann, and the Near Northeast Hub will now be at Hallett Elementary. We extend our heartfelt thanks to Colfax Elementary and Smith Elementary for hosting these hubs in their first year.

Here's to a fantastic year ahead!

#### SUPPORT SERVICES

Our Community Hub provides essential services including a food mini market, a marketplace for clothing and supplies, support with benefits applications and energy bills, a mobile health clinic, and financial classes. These services are designed to meet various needs and enhance community well-being.



#### **CLASSES**

#### Fall semester:

Tuesday, September 3, 2024 - Thursday, December 19, 2024

- English as a second language (ESL)
- GED in Spanish and English
- Spanish
- Play and Learn
- Citizenship



## **HUBS HIGHLIGHTS**

## **CENTRAL HUB**

We're excited to announce the launch of our ESL, GED, and Spanish classes starting September 3rd! Registration will be open from August 19th to August 30th, so be sure to sign up.

In addition to our new classes, we will continue offering essential support services, including our clothing boutique and hygiene products. Our Workforce Coordinator is also available to assist families with resume building, interview skills, and job readiness.

As we kick off the new school year, we're excited to begin this journey in our larger, upgraded space! This new environment offers more room for growth and engagement and we can't wait to welcome our families and community members into our vibrant, expanded facility. Here's to a fantastic year ahead in our new home!

#### **NW HUB**

# **FNE HUB**

We are launching new initiatives to boost family wellness, offer culturally relevant content, and support youth development.
Programs will focus on physical and mental well-being, workforce preparation for DPS students, and will feature flexible hours and accessible services for families.

We're partnering with City Harvest to fight hunger and sustain our food market with weekly food supplies. This new collaboration follows the end of our previous food partnership. Starting in August, we'll also team up with Volunteers of America, which will enhance support by providing delivery services for the City Harvest food directly to the HUB.

## **SE HUB**

## **NNE HUB**

Exciting Update from the Near Northeast Community Hub! We've Relocated! The Near Northeast Community Hub is now at Hallett Academy! We're offering services to all Denver Public Schools families and Denver residents.

Denver Health Partnership!

We're thrilled to announce our strong start to the 2024/2025 school year with Denver Health Mobile Health Clinics! The mobile clinic has been busy providing vaccines and physical exams to help get DPS students ready for the new school year.

Stay tuned for more updates and services coming your way!

We're thrilled to welcome back our wonderful partners to the community hubs! Together we're dedicated to providing invaluable support to our families throughfinancial literacy programs and streamlined medical covergae applications. With the expertise and commitment of these partnerships, we continue to empower our community with the knowledge and resources they need to thrive.

#### **SW HUB**





## **COMMUNITY RESOURCES**

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

#### **Black Excellence Summit**

This full day event provides an abundance of resources, practitioners and community partners for all families, students, educators and beyond! the summit will offer a unique chance to delve into many aspects of Black Excellence.

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