

LINK TO COMMUNITY RESOURCES

Our hubs referral link is: https://forms.gle/mt1GeqjTrUE7pszt6



Supports for Our Immigrant Community

All students, regardless of immigration status, have a constitutionally protected right to access free public education. The Family Protection Plan, available in <u>English</u> and <u>Spanish</u>, is a comprehensive guide designed to assist families in creating personalized action plans in case of deportation or prolonged absence. It provides practical tools and advice on organizing critical documents, managing legal and financial matters, and developing communication strategies.

- LINK TO FAMILY RESOURCE RIGHTS KIT- SPANISH
- LINK TO FAMILY RESOURCE RIGHTS KIT- ENGLISH

We welcome and support our immigrant families at all of our hubs. Please reach out if you have families in your school community that could utilize our services.

- Community Hubs brochure- English
- Community Hubs brochure- Spanish *available digitally next month
- Community Hubs brochure- French *available digitally next month
- Community Hubs brochure- Vietnamese *available digitally next month
- Community Hubs brochure- Arabic *available digitally next month
- Community Hubs brochure- Somali *available digitally next month

Community Hubs Partner highlights

Food Bank of the Rockies (FBR)

All six Community Hubs will soon be registered with Food Bank of the Rockies. This means we will be able to access their food bank and shop for food to bring back to the hubs and distribute to DPS families and Denver residents. These items will be provided at no cost to shoppers. Becoming a partner with FBR has taken months since there is an approval process, onsite inspection and partnership training. There are about 800 approved partners with FBR throughout the state of Colorado. To view a map of agencies that distribute food please visit: https://www.foodbankrockies.org/find-

food/ For our residents 60 and older there is a food delivery program called Everyday Eats. Qualifications include: age, reside in Colorado, and meet income guidelines. Community members can call 720-473-6323 to sign up or visit: https://www.foodbankrockies.org/about/programs/everyday-eats/

Talent and Acquisition Team

When you join Team DPS, you join a diverse team of dedicated and talented professionals who come from all walks of life with one goal in mind — helping us achieve our vision, Every Child Succeeds. The DPS Human Resources team is here to welcome and provide all of our team members with excellent customer service and the information you need to enjoy a satisfying and successful career with us. To view and apply for DPS careers visit: https://hr.dpsk12.org/o/careers/

DPS Community Hubs workforce coordinators work hand in hand with Talent and Acquisition. We host career fairs, help job seekers apply for jobs in DPS, refer job seekers to the talent team and much more. Those interested can reach out directly to their neighborhood hub to learn more and schedule an appointment.

Denver Public Library- LENA Start Early Literacy Program

LENA Start is a no cost program sponsored by Denver Public Library that helps families and caregivers of young children 0-3 learn about the importance of conversations with their children from birth. In these 10 weekly sessions, families and caregivers receive education and quidance about conversational skills with their children and techniques for speaking and reading more at home. Weekly books, prizes, at home practice opportunities, and fun classes to connect with other caregivers. To view a video and learn more, visit: https://www.youtube.com/watch ?v=fFy0qj2RsDY

This program is currently offered at two of the Community Hubs: Northwest and Far Northeast.

CENTRAL HUB

FNE HUB

NNE HUB

The Central Community Hub is excited to offer Parenting Classes in partnership with Vuela for Salud for parents with children ages 10-14! Sessions begin Tuesday, January 28th from 4:00 – 6:00 PM. Join us for interactive sessions designed to strengthen family communication, build positive relationships, and support your child's growth. Don't miss this opportunity to connect with other parents and gain valuable insights! For more details or to register, contact 720-424-3710 or call Vuela for Salud at 720-400-2868.

Starting in 2025, the Far Northeast
Community Hub is excited to expand its
food program by offering families the
opportunity to shop in our mini market
three days a week, up from the previous
two. This change is designed to better
accommodate families' schedules,
ensuring they have greater flexibility to
access nutritious food at no cost. The
expanded hours reflect our commitment to
supporting families in the community and
making it easier for them to access
essential food resources, all at no cost to
them. Families can register here.

The Near Northeast Community
Hub Mini Market is actively
addressing the issue of food
insecurity in our community by
providing a welcoming and
accessible solution for families in
the NNE region. Open to all, the
Mini Market offers an easy way to
bring food home, ensuring that
families have something in their
pantry. Call us to schedule a visit
720-423-1170.

NW HUB

SE HUB

SW HUB

Beginning in February, will be expanding some of our services. This will include scheduling appointments for our food market and clothing boutique. Currently, we are accepting clothing donations to set up our boutique. We are asking for new or gently used pants, sweaters, sweatshirts and tshirts for ages newborn to adult. To donate clothing please call 720-423-1180. To refer a student for clothing please complete our referral form. We are working on stocking our food market shelves so we can launch appointments for families with immediate food needs. More information will be shared with our NW schools soon. To add a family to the waitlist, please complete the Community Hubs referral form.

Get Free Solar & Electricity Assistance
Benefits at the HUB! Looking to reduce
your electricity bills and embrace
cleaner, sustainable energy? We're here
to help—and these benefits are FREE for
everyone to apply! This benefit is
exclusive for DPS families. To qualify for
some of services, there are simple
requirements to meet, and we'll help you
through the process. Come by anytime
during office hours, bring your questions,
and let us assist you in saving on your
energy costs.

✓ Affordable Solar Solutions
✓ Energy Efficiency Tips

✓ Assistance paying for electricity bills

We're excited to announce the Southwest Community Hub's Citizenship Exam Prep Workshop! This is a fantastic opportunity to review key information and prepare for your upcoming U.S. Citizenship exam.

The workshop will run for 2 hours, from 4:00 PM to 6:00 PM, over the course of 3 consecutive weeks. Our first session begins on Wednesday, February 19th. Don't miss out on this valuable opportunity to get ready for your exam!

For more details or to register call the SW Community Hub today! 720-424-2970



COMMUNITY HUBS WEBSITE LINK

COMMUNITY RESOURCE: Colorado Housing Connects

- https://coloradohousingconnects.org/
- 1-844-926-6632 (bilingual website and helpline)

Colorado Housing Connects helps renters reach critical eviction prevention services while also helping homeowners find a HUD-approved housing counseling agency for foreclosure prevention, answering all sorts of housing questions in between.

Far Northeast

John H. Amesse Elementary School fnecommunityhub@dpskl2.net 720-424-2961

Northwest

Trevista at Horace Mann nwcommunityhub@dpsk12.net 720-423-1180

Central

Swansea Elementary School <u>cencommunityhub@dpskl2.net</u> 720-424-3710

Southeast

Place Bridge Academy secommunityhub@dpsk12.net 720-424-1040

Near Northeast

Hallett Academy
nnecommunityhub@dpsk12.net
720-423-1170

Southwest

Johnson Elementary School <u>swcommunityhub@dpskl2.net</u> 720-424-2970