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## Fwd: Message to LRUHS Families

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To: "NCCC-All (Google)" <staff-nccc-teachers@ncsuvt.org>

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Here is the message I sent late in the afternoon on Friday.

Thanks for processing the best way forward as a team.

Gwen

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From: **Gwen Bailey-Rowe** <Gwen.Bailey-Rowe@ncsuvt.org>  
Date: Fri, Aug 23, 2024, 3:35 PM  
Subject: Message to LRUHS Families  
To: Andre Messier <amessier@ocsu.org>, Penny Chamberlin <pchamberlin@ocsu.org>, Timothy Chamberlin <tchamberlin@ocsu.org>, Barb King <bking@ocsu.org>, Amy Pickering <amy.pickering@ncsuvt.org>

Thank you Barb for forwarding this message....

Good afternoon Lake Region, St Johnsbury Academy, and Lyndon Institute Families who have students attending North Country Career Center:

This message is to notify you of the first day of classes at NCCC.

- **All NCCC classes will begin on Wednesday, September 4.**

We came to the decision to delay on the morning of Friday, August 23. Even though NCCC is technically a separate school, many of our systems and contracts are closely tied with NCUHS. This makes a common delay easier for all. If the delay was going to be longer than just three days, we would have moved to an independent opening.

As far as our classrooms and air quality, the NCCC Land Lab was not part of the PCB concerns, since this building was constructed in 2004-2005, NCCC main campus, located in the C-wing of the North Country Career Center complex is a combination of new and old construction, and was subject to air quality testing. The Department of Health has reviewed preliminary air test results in C-Wing and our teachers will all be able to begin the year in their primary classrooms.

We are sorry for the delay, but feel very fortunate to be able to start the year with our students in the learning environment that was designed especially for their career interests.

Information about the LRUHS bussing schedule and arrival and departure for St, Johnsbury and Lyndon Institute students will be shared next week. Please be on the lookout for future emails and let us know with any questions in the meantime.

Common question that people are asking... we do not yet know what this means for the last day of school for the 2024-2025 school year. More information will become available later in the year.

I hope you all have a great weekend and know that we are very much looking forward to beginning the school year.

Thanks very much for your understanding.

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