

SHRED SIGN-UP PACKET

Due Date: 12/17/2021 (or earlier!)

Read and Complete all Applicable
Sections

Return to School (Main office or child's
teacher)

Dear Parents,

The NES PTA, your event sponsor, is excited to announce the return of NED SHRED 2022! For those of you new to SHRED (especially current Kindergarten and 1st grade families), this engaging program provides all students with an opportunity to take 2 field trip days to the ELDORA ski resort. Transportation and ELDORA instructors are provided to all student participants. And, based on your need, lift tickets, gear rental, fee waiver and lunch are also available.

For those of you joining us again, you will notice a few changes. First, to help maintain Covid-19 cohorts and ensure that ELDORA has enough instructors/day to teach our amazing kids, we will be sending single-grades per day up to ELDORA. You will find the schedule on the following page. Sending a max of 36 kids/day should also help they days run more smoothly.

Unfortunately, a consequence of this decision is that we will no longer be able to offer the Nordic (cross country skiing) option. ELDORA requires a minimum of 6 kids on any given day for Nordic lessons, and we struggled to meet that requirement when grades were combined. Downhill skiing and snowboarding will still be offered. We are sorry that the Nordic option is not available, but we hope that our Nordic skiers will join us and have fun learning a new skill.

We are fortunate to offer two days of skiing/snowboarding at ELDORA, with gear rental, lift ticket and instruction for \$55. Other schools are charged at least 3 times this per student. We can offer this school-wide program due to ELDORA's generosity. We encourage you to talk to your student about ways they can be respectful to the volunteers and instructors dedicated to this program and clean up after themselves in the ELDORA lodges and on buses. And if you have the means, please considering an extra donation to support this program. We strive to keep the fees low so that all students can participate, and many will qualify for a fee waiver, meaning that student fees collected will not cover the full program costs, even after generous donations from Eldora. If you can, please help us keep this program going for our entire NES community to benefit!

Following this letter, you will find the forms that need to be filled out and returned to the school by December 17th. When completing the forms, please write legibly, fill out all information, and provide a valid parent email and phone number. If paperwork for your child is missing and we cannot contact you, your child will not be able to participate in SHRED. Please fill out the top of page 1 even if your child is NOT participating.

NOTE – the forms required by ELDORA and highlighted in RED, along with payment, will be collected in early January. We will need your help in ensuring these are received by Jan 14th.

Any questions? Please email Amy and Jess at shred@nespta.com

Thank you for joining us for NED SHRED 2022!

Best regards,
Amy August

Jess McElvain

Eldora SHRED 2022 Information sheet		Registration Packet Due: FRIDAY DECEMBER 17TH			
SHRED is an annual enrichment program sponsored by the NES PTA. Students learn and experience winter sports. Students will have the opportunity to Ski or Snowboard with Eldora instructors at our local ELDORA resort. The goal of this program is to give all NES students an opportunity to ski our local mountain, especially those that may not have a regular opportunity. For students who regularly ski the mountain, this is an opportunity to polish skills and have a fun day with their friends.					
Flat fee: \$55 (<i>Please consider adding a donation to help send another child to SHRED. Approximately 30% of our families require fee waivers</i>)					
DATES					
K: January 24 th , 31 st (Mon, Mon)		3 rd : February 1 st , 8 th (Tues, Tues)			
1 st : January 18 th , 25 th (Tues, Tues)		4 th : February 10 th , 17 th (Thr, Thr)			
2 nd : January 20 th , 27 th (Thr, Thr)		5 th : February 3 rd , 14 th (Thr, Mon)			
Steps to take:					
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Complete attached 2-page registration form (1 per student) 2. Complete and sign BVSD Field Trip Waiver 3. Complete fee waiver form (if needed) 4. Return packet to your child's teacher or the NES main office (12/17/2021) 5. Complete and sign ELDORA Waiver 6. If your child is renting, complete ELDORA RENTAL FORM and RENTAL WAIVER 					
Forms for step 5 and 6 will be available in early January (Eldora is revamping their system)					
Questions? Contact the NES PTA SHRED coordinators (Amy and Jess) at shred@nespta.com					
Reference Info - Downhill/Snowboarding Ability Level (for Registration Form)					
Level 1		First Time Experience Learn to Develop Control of Fundamental Movements			
Level 2		Has Gone Skiing or Riding Before Can Stop – Has Some Control of Direction			
Level 3		Can Link Wedge or S Turns on Easy Terrain In Control of Speed on Easy Terrain			
Level 4		Comfortable Linking Turns on Easy Terrain Can Stop on Command			
Level 5		Comfortable Linking Turns on Intermediate Terrain Comfortable on Variable Terrain (not groomed)			
Level 6		Comfortable Linking Turns on Advanced Terrain Comfortable on Variable Terrain (not groomed)			
Registration Checklist (Some forms may be optional)					
<input type="checkbox"/> SHRED Student Registration Information	<input type="checkbox"/> BVSD Field Trip Waiver	<input type="checkbox"/> SHRED Fee Waiver (optional)	<input type="checkbox"/> ELDORA Waiver	<input type="checkbox"/> ELDORA Equipment Rental Form (optional)	<input type="checkbox"/> ELDORA Rental Waiver (optional)
ELDORA forms will be available in January 2022					
☞ Turn in all NES PTA/BVSD forms by December 17, 2021 ☞					

Student Registration Information (complete 1 form per student) – Page 1						
Last Name:						
First Name:						
Grade:			Teacher:			
My child will:		<input type="checkbox"/> Participate in SHRED		<input type="checkbox"/> Not Participate		
Age:		Shoe Size:		Height:		Weight (lbs):
Does your child have any medical issues or allergies that you would like Eldora, NES staff, or SHRED volunteers to be aware of?						
Parent Name:						
Email (required):						
Phone (required):						
ELDORA Activity:		<input type="checkbox"/> Skiing			<input type="checkbox"/> Snowboarding	
Ability Level:	<input type="checkbox"/> Level 1	<input type="checkbox"/> Level 2	<input type="checkbox"/> Level 3	<input type="checkbox"/> Level 4	<input type="checkbox"/> Level 5	<input type="checkbox"/> Level 6
Snowboard Forward Foot:		<input type="checkbox"/> Right			<input type="checkbox"/> Left	
Need a lift ticket?		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes			<input type="checkbox"/> No	
Need to rent equipment?		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes (Rental Form & Rental Waiver Required)			<input type="checkbox"/> No	
Need to rent a helmet?		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes			<input type="checkbox"/> No	
IGNITE?		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes (coordinators will contact)			<input type="checkbox"/> No	
Gear/Lunch Support						
My student needs to borrow:						
<input type="checkbox"/> Gloves		<input type="checkbox"/> Snow pants Size: _____		<input type="checkbox"/> Jacket Size: _____		
<input type="checkbox"/> Goggles		<input type="checkbox"/> Brown Bag Lunch (provided by school)				
Fee/Payment information						
If you have financial need, please complete the fee waiver form, and return now						
Payment will otherwise be collected in January						

Student Registration Information – page 2
Statements of Understanding (please initial)

Student Name:	
Grade/Teacher:	
Parent Name:	
Initials	Statement
	I understand that NED SHRED coordinators and volunteers are unpaid and are taking time away from other obligations to provide a safe and fun program for my child.
	I understand that I am welcome to contact NES SHRED coordinators with any concerns or suggestions. However, I agree to do so in a respectful way and understand that it may not be possible to accommodate all requests due to safety, logistics, or NES / Eldora rules. I understand that threatening behavior towards SHRED volunteers or ELDORA staff may result in my child's removal from the program, without refund of the program Fee. I understand that ELDORA reserves the right to pursue their own course of action for any altercations between parents and ELDORA staff.
	I understand that the instructors have final say on my child's lesson level. I understand that my child may be having an off day and any regroupings are done for 1. Safety 2. To provide the best experience for all participants.
	I understand that myself and my child must comply with all BVSD rules and regulations.
	I understand that I will likely not be able to ski with my child's lesson group.
	I understand that, as a volunteer, I may be asked to ride a lift with a lesson group that does not include my child.
	I understand that all efforts will be made to ensure that an adult rides a lift with my child (especially K and 1 st graders) but this may not be possible if there are large numbers of high level skiers.
	I understand that my child and myself are representatives of the NES community.
	I understand my child is expected to behave according to the NES code of conduct throughout the entire SHRED day, including on the buses and at the ELDORA resort. I understand that any behavioral issues will be reported to the school and may lead to 1. My child's dismissal from the remainder of the program without fee refund 2. Further action from NES in accordance with school guidelines.
	I understand that a sticker (NES SHRED 2022) will be placed on my child's skis or snowboard to assist volunteers in identifying gear that belong to NES students.

School: Nederland Elementary
Location: Eldora
Dates: Jan 18th – February 17th

**BVSD STUDENT TRAVEL
FIELD TRIP PERMISSION FORM**

I hereby permit _____ to participate in

SHRED Ski Days ^(student) **January 18th- Feb 17th (Eldora)**
(describe trip/activity) (date(s))

He/She will be transported by:
School bus (Eldora)

Fee required \$55

Private car _____

Other needs _____

Walking _____

Transportation is the responsibility
of the parent _____

Other _____
(specify)

1. I understand that the Field Trip/Activity may take place away from school property; may involve transportation by school bus, private vehicle, common carrier or other mode of transportation; and may involve activities beyond the scope of traditional school functions conducted on School district property.
2. I understand that the Field Trip/Activity may involve activities beyond the scope of traditional school functions. I acknowledge that my student's participation in the activities potentially involves risks and obligations that are impossible to predict, by may include the risk of loss or damage to personal property and the risk of sickness, personal injury or death.
3. I understand that the School District does not purchase, or have, any medical, dental or hospitalization insurance to cover injuries to or loss of life of students or to indemnify parents and guardians for expenses in connection therewith, and that such insurance, if desired, must be purchased by me.

Date

Signature of Parent or Guardian

PLEASE RETURN THIS SLIP PROMPTLY

TO BE USED FOR LOCAL AND METRO AREA SHORT TRIPS. FORM IS TO BE COMPLETED BY STAFF AND SUBMITTED TO PARENT/GUARDIAN FOR SIGNATURE.

**REQUEST FOR FEE WAIVER
SHRED Eldora 2022**

Student Name	Teacher	Grade
Parent Name		
Address	Telephone	

I am requesting that fees be waived for my child because:

- My Household Income falls below the following limits:**

Household Size	Annual Income
1	\$ 31,900
2	40,200
3	48,500
4	56,800
5	65,100
6	73,400
7	81,300
8	89,600

For each additional family member add: \$ 8,300

- Other. Please Explain:**

- I can pay a partial amount of the \$55 flat fee per student for SHRED 2022**

Amount I can pay:

By signing below I certify that the information provided is accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge.

Parent Signature

Date

FOR SCHOOL USE:

Signature of Administrator Authorizing Fee Waiver:

_____ (date) _____ (initials)