

CEDAR MOUNTAIN PUBLIC SCHOOLS ISD #2754



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Dear Parents,

We have been informed that the funeral service for Nathan Kleinschmidt will take place at Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church of Morgan on Friday, May 6th, at 10:30am. Visitation will take place on Thursday, May 5th, from 5-9pm at the High School building in Morgan. We plan to have additional counseling staff available on Thursday and Friday as needed for students and adults.

With the funeral taking place during the school day, we would ask for parent permission for students that would like to attend. Several staff members plan to escort students to and from the church, and busing will be provided to the cemetery. Students will be encouraged to return to school after the ceremony for lunch and opportunities to meet with counselors or return to classes. Please use the bottom of this form to communicate your wishes with the school.

As we work through this week, we would like to thank you for taking an active role in your child's life, and to provide parents with more information in regards to helping our affected children in times of grief. Even if your child is not presently grieving, please keep this information for future use. As a way to help protect our students, we are including this information and information on identifying and addressing childhood mental health concerns. Keeping our students safe physically and emotionally is our top priority.

Student Name:	(Cut here and return to High School Office)
I give permission for my child to attend the funeral service and internment on Friday I would like for my child to meet with a trained grief counselor I would like to speak with a counselor, and can be reached at:	
Parent Signature	Date

***If you would like for your child to stay in school and not attend the funeral on Friday, no response is needed

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