

Supporting All Students Through <u>Lifelines</u>

Presentation will be held

Thursday September 18th, 2025
From 5:00pm-6:00pm
At the Collinsville Middle School Library
or join online

Google Meet Link: https://meet.google.com/abw-apvh-tkb?hs=122&authuser=0

This presentation is for **All** Collinsville School District Guardians and Community Members!

As you may know, suicide is one of the top three causes of death for young people ages ten through twenty-four. Collinsville Public Schools takes the safety and well-being of our students very seriously. Throughout this school year, we will be bringing the Lifelines Curriculum into the classroom for our 6th, 8th, and 11th-grade students. This program provides students with essential information about youth suicide and, more importantly, guidance on what to do if they are concerned about themselves or a friend.

We recognize that we cannot effectively teach students that it's okay to ask for help unless the entire community—school staff, guardians, and community members—feels confident in how to respond when a student reaches out to a trusted adult about such a sensitive issue. That's why we're offering an opportunity to attend an informational meeting about the Lifelines program. We encourage you to join us, ask questions, and learn more about this valuable resource. We believe it will strengthen our collective ability to support students and help create a safer, more informed school environment.

Feel free to reach out to Sarah Ellington with any questions or concerns at sellington@collinsville.k12.ok.us