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# DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

A Memo from the New Jersey Department of Education

Date: December 1, 2022  
To: Local Educational Agency Leads  
Route To: Principals, Counselors, Staff Involved in School-Community Relationships  
From: Acting Commissioner Angelica Allen-McMillan

## **Murphy Administration Launches 'Partnership for Student Success' Initiative to Provide Learning and Mental Health Supports**

The Murphy Administration today announced the launch of the New Jersey Partnership for Student Success (NJPSS), an initiative designed to harness the energy of volunteers and community organizations to help students, educators, and schools as they work to accelerate student learning in the post-pandemic world.

Based on, and with support from the National Partnership for Student Success, the NJPSS will support school districts with a goal of recruiting, training, and engaging an additional 5,000 adults who can serve as tutors, mentors, student success coaches, wraparound service coordinators, and postsecondary transition coaches. They will work in coordination with educators, parents, and other stakeholders to accelerate student learning, address youth mental health, support preschool programs, empower educators, and strengthen community partnerships.

Over the course of the next several months the New Jersey Department of Education will continue to expand the NJPSS initiative. The [NJPSS website](#) will ultimately serve as a central point of reference for district administrators, educators, and parents to access resources, professional development, and grant opportunities to bolster our educational system and foster academic recovery and learning acceleration

To learn more about NJPSS and apply to serve as a mentor, tutor, or wraparound service coordinator to offer additional support for students and educators, please complete the [NJPSS request form](#).

### **Contact information**

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