



Dear Parents/Guardians,

For the 2024-25 school year, all North Union students in grades 3rd, 4th & 5th have the opportunity to participate in a program called LifeWise Academy. LifeWise is a released time religious instruction program that allows students to attend off-site, non-denominational, Bible-based classes with an emphasis on character education. Released time classes are completely legal, adhering to both federal and state laws and growing in popularity around the state. See how LifeWise works by visiting lifewise.org.

WHEN? LifeWise classes take place during library time for approximately 40 minutes each week. Students attending LifeWise will still be given the opportunity to check out library books during the school day. LifeWise will never interfere with any special events happening during the school day.

WHERE? Students will be driven via shuttle bus to the Richwood First Methodist Church at 18 S. Fulton St.

WHO? LifeWise is staffed with teachers who have experience working with and teaching children. Volunteers will chaperone students to and from the elementary building and help in the classroom. Everyone involved with LifeWise will undergo a thorough background screening.

To enroll your child in LifeWise, please submit an enrollment form at lifewise.org/northunionoh. If you have any questions, please contact Wendy Terrill, Program Director & the LifeWise North Union Team at northunionoh@lifewise.org.

We look forward to the opportunity to serve you by providing your student with *character education for the real world!*

Sincerely,

Wendy Terrill
Program Director
LifeWise Academy North Union

**This program is not sponsored by North Union Schools. Student participation is voluntary upon written permission of the parent.*



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