

Safety Patrol

Northside fifth grade students may choose to join the Safety Patrol and offer their services to help make Northside a safer place for everyone. The job of a Safety Patrol member is to serve as a positive role model who both demonstrates and helps enforce school rules. Fifth graders can choose to sign up for any of the following shifts: morning playground, morning homework club, or afternoon playground. The 'playground' shifts have students patrolling outside when most students are either arriving for or leaving from school. The 'homework club' shifts are for fifth graders to help younger kids on their homework before school begins. Safety Patrol positions are assigned a week at a time, so students serve in different positions at different times in the school year.

Fifth graders often enjoy the opportunity to serve as student leaders as a part of Safety Patrol. As such, students that donate their time to working on patrol receive 'money' in the form of the fifth grade checkbook system.

