Parents, Guardians and Students:

The 8th grade Blue Team at NMS will be using an educational communication program called Remind. The purpose of this free program is for teachers to be able to send important classroom messages to parents and students. We intend to use this to send messages about upcoming tests, important assignments and some school announcements.

You can sign up to receive text messages from Remind several different ways:

*Text the code @33440d to the number (712) 574-8972

*Go to the Remind website (<u>www.remind.com</u>) and enter your phone number and the code @33440d

*Download the free Remind App. From Google Play or the Apple Store and enter the code.

Through the Remind program all phone numbers are kept private, teachers cannot see or access your number as you cannot see or access theirs. You can however choose to receive your messages via e-mail by signing up through the remind website. No messages can be sent to individual students or parents, everyone will receive all messages sent.

Again, this service is free outside of any text charges your wireless carrier/plan may charge. We do not anticipate sending more than 1 message per school day, some days you may not receive a message.

We understand that there are cases with a few students that you may not have all 6 teachers on the blue team.

If you have any questions visit the Remind website at <u>www.remind.com</u>.

Thank you,

Mr. Reinking-Science

Mr. Wilcox-American History

Mr. Engel-Math

Ms. Sayavong-English

Ms. Wassell-Inclusion

Ms. Joy-Reading