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Flossmoor School District 161 Hosts Paper Drive

Paper, paper, and more paper! On Thursday, March 18, Flossmoor School District 161 hosted its first District-wide Paper Drive.

The students, parents, teachers, staff and administrators of Flossmoor Hills School, Heather Hill School, Serena Hills School, Western Avenue School, and Parker Junior High School assisted with the collection of paper throughout the day.

Neighbors with children of all ages came from their homes with their paper with the goal of filling each of the recycling containers in the District. Community members drove up to the collection sites in cars and trucks, dropping their paper in the containers, most of which were full by the end of the day.

The overall weight of the containers determines the amount of money each school in the district will receive. The money will be used to support green initiatives and activities for the District's students.

The Flossmoor School District Paper Drive was a success. The containers will remain on the school grounds where community members may continue to contribute their recyclable paper, magazines, junk mail and newspapers.