Chicago Bears' DE Daniel Hardy Visits Chicagoland Middle School

PARK FOREST, Ill. — On Tuesday, September 29, 2026, Chicago Bears defensive end Daniel Hardy visited sixth- through eighth-grade students at Michelle Obama Technology and Arts Center in Park Forest. Hardy played catch with students during physical education classes, visited classrooms, and met with faculty and staff.

Through the Wilbert Gail Hardy Jr. Foundation, Hardy donated 200 clear book bags and other essential school supplies to support students and the school community.

"It was great to engage with the students," Hardy said. "The faculty and staff are doing a tremendous job helping the students reach their potential, and we plan to continue supporting the school in the near future."

About the Wilbert Gail Hardy Jr. Foundation: The foundation is named in memory of Hardy's late father, Wilbert Gail Hardy Jr. Its mission is to strengthen established charitable programs that provide educational, mentoring, athletic, and health-related support to young people.