

**Thursday, November 13
6:30-7:30pm
Independence Middle School
6111 Archwood Rd, Independence, 44131**



Anthony Ianni, one of the most sought after anti-bullying motivational speakers in the region, will be coming to Cleveland on Thursday, November 13. Anthony will be speaking to students, parents and professionals at a presentation being held at Independence Middle School from 6:30-7:30pm. This presentation is free and open to the public.

Anthony was diagnosed with Pervasive Developmental Disorder (PDD) at age 4. He endured all the struggles of growing up with autism, including bullying. Despite adversity and personal challenges, he went on to earn his Bachelor's Degree from Michigan State and is the first known athlete with autism to play in the NCAA, earning two Big Ten championships and a spot on the 2012 Final Four Team.



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On November 13, Anthony will be speaking about overcoming the struggles and obstacles of having autism, being bullied and eventually becoming the person he is today. He will be touring schools throughout Ohio in 2015 sponsored by Northeast Ohio Autism Group.

