



TALK205

ELMHURST COMMUNITY UNIT SCHOOL DISTRICT 205

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Dear D205 Families,

Winter Break begins on Monday, December 23, 2019 and classes resume on Monday, January 6, 2020. We wish our entire school community peace and joy during this season of celebration. Please receive this special holiday video greeting from D205 Superintendent Dr. David Moyer and the entire D205 Leadership Team. Happy Holidays!

[\(Click to View the D205 Holiday Greeting\)](#)

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- [D205 Operational Plan](#)
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New Items:

York Girls Lacrosse Winter Clinic Sign Up

Join York Girls' Lacrosse for two nights of awesome lacrosse. The winter clinic is for girls in grades 3-8. Players will be divided up into different skill level stations and highly experienced high school girls will work to improve everyone's skills and game play. The focus will be on fundamentals such as passing, shooting, defense and offensive concepts. Players will also be involved in competitive high tempo games and also compete in some fun contests for prizes. All campers will receive a door give away as well. Sign up [here](#); pay at the door.

D205 and the Chicago Bulls Team Up to Start 2020 w/ Discount Tickets

Enjoy a legendary outing at a Chicago Bulls game with Elmhurst School District 205's students, faculty, family and friends. Share in the excitement of Bulls basketball and the NBA's leading entertainment experience.

Don't miss out on exclusive savings! [Purchase](#) tickets at a discounted price now for games in January 2020.

Thrive D205 and the City of Elmhurst Commission on Youth Present: Legal Marijuana: What Does this Mean for Teens? – January 30, 2020

- Thursday, January 30, 2020
7-8 p.m.
Large Meeting Room at Elmhurst Public Library
Suitable for Parents and Teens

Matthew Quinn, LCPC and Certified Alcohol and Drug Counselor, presents the changing landscape of marijuana and vaping use and legislation in Illinois. He offers guidance to parents for open discussions about this topic with their teens. D205 and City of Elmhurst officials also will be on hand to provide local statistics and assist with questions.



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5 Essentials Parent Survey Reminder

The statewide Illinois 5Essentials Survey is now open for parents to share thoughts about your experiences with our schools. This survey provides critical input to help develop school improvement plans. The survey takes about 10 minutes. Your identity and survey responses will be kept completely confidential and will never be connected to you or your child.

To take the parent survey please visit <https://survey.5-essentials.org/Illinois/> and select the parent survey link. You will need to enter the county (DuPage) and school name.

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2020 York Boys' Volleyball Winter Clinic Registration

The Winter Boys' [Volleyball Clinic](#) will be held on Thursday, January 2 and Friday, January 3, 2020 from 12:00 p.m. -2:00 p.m. in the Field House. As always, the clinic will be hosted by the York coaching staff and varsity players. The cost is \$50 total for both days, and it includes a custom "York Dukes" Beanie Hat!

If registrants can only attend one of days, please only send a \$30 registration fee (a Beanie Hat will still be included). Checks should be made out to "York High School." To register, please click [here](#).

York Winter Softball Clinic Sign-up

The York Softball Winter Clinic will be held on three (3) Sundays in January, 1/12, 1/19, and 1/26, from 8 a.m. -11 a.m. in the Field House. The clinic will be hosted by the York coaching staff, varsity players and a collegiate level pitching coach in the area. The cost is \$90 total for all three days, and it includes a "York Softball" T-shirt for each athlete (Youth Sizes: M-L, Adult Sizes: Small-XL).

If your child can only attend one or two of the dates, the registration fee is \$50. A t-shirt will still be included. Register using the [form link](#). Contact Coach Brendan Holba at bholba@elmhurst205.org with questions.

Chicago Wolves PTA Council Fundraiser – January 19, 2020

Join the District 205 students, families and friends for an afternoon of fun at a Chicago



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Wolves Hockey game on January 19, at 3 p.m. No school the next day!! A portion of the funds raised will go towards PTA council scholarships. These scholarships are given to graduating York seniors. Everyone will be seated in the same section and receive a free Chicago Wolves Hat. Stay after the game to get autographs from the players! To order tickets please see this link: <https://fevo.me/2IFV3cZ>. For any questions please email Dena Fasheh (denafasheh@gmail.com)

18th Annual PTA Council and D205 Summer Recreation Open House – February 4, 2020

Mark your calendar! You are invited to attend the 18th Annual Summer Recreation Open House on Tuesday, February 4, 2020 from 6 p.m. - 8 p.m. This is a free, one-stop-shop summer learning, athletic, and enrichment registration opportunity. All Elmhurst families and neighboring communities are invited to attend. Browse tables for various summer activities and camps for all ages and abilities. For more information, please visit facebook.com/sroh205.