



Lake Washington School District

Eastlake High School

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Eastlake Credo: At Eastlake, through intentional actions, we create an environment where students and staff feel safe, appreciated and loved. This is Eastlake. This is home. This is family.

WSPS

Dear Wolves:

Like schools across the country, Eastlake has a persistent and pronounced Achievement Gap, and we know that remote learning has exacerbated this problem. Now more than ever, we need to redouble our efforts towards creating a more just and equitable school.

We have worked to identify new metrics for at-risk or disengaged students so we can intervene in a timely, proactive manner. This includes following up with students who received an incomplete last Spring, monitoring attendance and time spent on Classroom Teams, and identifying students with low or failing grades.

Parents can support these efforts by monitoring our electronic gradebook through Skyward, accessed through the Parent Portal. Teachers are expected to update their electronic gradebook in Skyward every two weeks, with exceptions being made for major projects and papers.

To provide clearer information to families, we have consistent dates for teachers to update grades. Here are the dates for updating grade books this year: September 14, September 28, October 12, October 26, November 9, November 23, December 7, January 11, January 25, February 8, February 22, March 8, March 22, April 12, April 26, May 10, May 24, and June 7.

Please let us know how we can help your student succeed in this remote setting.

Wolf Strong, Pack Strong

-Chris Bede, Principal

How Students Access the Building & Upcoming Events

Student Access Into Eastlake During Open Hours

Beginning Monday, September 14th, to enter the school during open hours:

Masks are required to enter the building, If you forgot yours, we have them available.

Enter on the side of the school by tennis court/buses, go up the stairs to the entry door and wait to be called to have your temperature checked.

Eastlake is open the following days & times:

- Mondays 8:00AM - 9:00AM,
- Wednesdays 9:00AM – 3:00PM
- Fridays 2:00PM – 4:00PM

World Language Textbook Roll Out: Wednesday Sept 16th 9:00am – 3:00pm

Textbooks for World Language classes are available:

- Students in Spanish 1,2,3,4 and French 1,2,3 may use the online version of the textbook. Getting a print copy is not required.
- AP Spanish and AP French must get a print textbook as these books are not available online.
- Japanese textbooks are not being used by the teachers, but students in Japanese 1 and 2 can get one if they would like.

If you need or want a print textbook for your World Language class, do the following on Wednesday Sept 16th:

- Bring your ASB card from last year if you have it and a copy of your class schedule (in hand or on your phone). Proceed into the Commons to get your book.
- If you are in AP French or AP Spanish or Spanish 4 your textbooks have been pre-checked out. Go to the front checkout station in the Commons and a staff member will verify your class, teacher, your name and give you your book.
- If you are in other World Language classes, find the book you need on one of the tables, which will have the course name and the textbook name. Double check the course name on your class schedule and take it to the checkout station.

If you can't come Wednesday the 16th, you can come during other times the building is open. On Wednesday, Sept 16th, students can come for other items including other textbooks for some classes and laptop drop off or pick up for repair.

Picture Make-Up Day - Wednesday September 16th 7:30AM - 4:00PM

Picture make-up day is September 16th 7:30am – 4:00 pm. No hats, wigs, masks or make-up which alters your normal appearance. Pictures will be in a secure, non-foot traffic area and safety protocols will be observed to allow for the brief removal of masks for the photo. To order photos follow this [link](#).

Curriculum Night September 30th

Our teachers are ready to welcome you into their classrooms. For this year, our Curriculum Night will be an online event. Starting September 30th at 4:00 pm (or any time after that) parents will be able to access recorded presentations made by each of your student's teachers. They will share information such as who they are, the best way to communicate, what the course is like and what to expect for schoolwork. This is an opportunity to meet each of your student's teachers and to learn more about each course's curriculum and expectations. We will have more information as we get closer

to September 30th.

Student Rights and Responsibilities/EHS Student Handbook:

Students will be receiving an email with a Microsoft Forms that links you to the LWSD Student Rights and Responsibilities and EHS Student Handbook. It is important that you review these with your student(s) and submit the Forms to acknowledge your receipt and understanding.

PSAT

The Preliminary SAT/National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test (PSAT-NMSQT) typically happens across the nation in October. In the Lake Washington School District, 11th graders optionally take the exam as practice for the SAT and as a qualifier for National Merit and other National Recognition Programs. All 10th graders take the test as an early practice opportunity. Due to COVID-19, Eastlake PSAT plans are on hold while the District evaluates later testing options which preserve National Merit and other Recognition Program eligibility for 11th graders and an early practice for 10th graders. Thank you for your patience as we collaborate with College Board. We will provide updates as they are available.

Student ID Cards

Students who had their school picture taken by Lifetouch two weeks ago will be able to pick up their Eastlake ID card starting Wednesday, September 23rd, from 9:00AM – 3:00PM. There is no requirement for any student to pick up their school ID card now but we will have them for any student who would like theirs. If we are able to transition to in-person learning we will decide how to process the off-campus permissions and ASB payments, and we will print a second round of ID cards to show these designations.

EHS Library - Database Information

Eastlake Databases & Login Information

EHS now has databases exclusively for student use in addition to all the options through KCLS. To access our EHS Databases you need a user name and password which is included in this [document](#).

King County Library Database Access

Students can access anything in the King County Library System digital collection with their student ID number. See the [directions](#) for more information.

Equity at Eastlake

National Hispanic Heritage Month (Sept. 15-Oct. 15)

“The Library of Congress, National Archives and Records Administration, National Endowment for the Humanities, National Gallery of Art, National Park Service, Smithsonian Institution and United States Holocaust Memorial Museum join in paying tribute to the generations of Hispanic Americans who have positively influenced and enriched our nation and society.”

“Each year, Americans observe National Hispanic Heritage Month from September 15 to October 15, by celebrating the histories, cultures and contributions of American citizens whose ancestors came from Spain, Mexico, the Caribbean and Central and South America.

The observation started in 1968 as Hispanic Heritage Week under President Lyndon

Johnson and was expanded by President Ronald Reagan in 1988 to cover a 30-day period starting on September 15 and ending on October 15. It was enacted into law on August 17, 1988, on the approval of Public Law 100-402.

The day of September 15 is significant because it is the anniversary of independence for Latin American countries Costa Rica, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras and Nicaragua. In addition, Mexico and Chile celebrate their independence days on September 16 and September 18, respectively. Also, Columbus Day or Día de la Raza, which is October 12, falls within this 30 day period.”

For more information please visit: <https://www.hispanicheritagemonth.gov/>

Yearbook 2020-2021

Yearbook is looking for pictures and we need your help!

Visit the [EHS website - Yearbook](#) page for directions on how you can supply photos to the 2020-2021 yearbook.

If you have any questions please contact [Dina Jay](#), Eastlake



Athletics

Message to Students from the WIAA

[WIAA 2-Minute Drill](#) - Executive Director Mick Hoffman speaks to students about the process and plan to resume athletics and activities safely.

We are hopeful that these sports seasons will occur! Check the status of our programs by visiting the EHS [athletics website](#). Please also check sport specific websites for updates.

Physical to Update?

If you need to update your students physical you can scan it to [Amy Hill](#) or drop it off during office hours. Please make sure the physical is signed, dated and stamped by the clinic.

You still register for sports for this school year through [FinalForms](#), no payment will be made for any sport until it is verified that a season will occur.



Counseling, College & Career News

Financial Aid Night Recap

- The LWSD College and Career Specialist team was joined this week by Christina Winstead of the Washington Achievement Council for a Financial Aid 101 session on how to pay for college and career training.
- Missed it? [View the Recording](#)



College and Career Specialist Virtual Live Wednesday College and Visits

The LWSD College and Career Specialist Team will be hosting a series of virtual [“Live Wednesday”](#) afternoons this fall with colleges and other postsecondary speakers. Listen, learn and ask questions with our regional reps who are often the first readers of our applications. Students and parents are welcome!

First up, is [Vanderbilt University](#) on September 16th, 1:30 pm [Join Live Event](#) and [Yale University](#) at 3:00 pm [Join live Event](#)

Pacific Northwest Association for College Admission Counseling (PNACAC)

Virtual Fairs

- Montana College Fairs-September 21-25
- Oregon Student Week-October 5-8
- Washington Student Week-October 19-23
- Alaska/Idaho Student Week-October 26-29
- Advanced Registration is Required: [Link](#)

National Association for College Admission Counseling (NACAC) Virtual College Fairs

- 600+ colleges online. [More info](#)
- Various Schools-[Sunday, Sept. 13: 12 - 8 p.m. ET](#)
- Various Schools-[Monday, Oct. 12: 1 - 9 p.m. ET](#)
- Various Schools-[Sunday, Oct. 18: 12 - 8 p.m. ET](#)
- Various Schools-[Sunday, Nov. 8: 2 - 10 p.m. ET](#)

Free College Essay Help

- [Personal Statement & College Application Courses](#)
- [How to Write the UC Personal Insight Questions Course](#)

Seniors Class of 2021

It's Time to Submit your Senior Photos to the Yearbook



- Photo must be high quality, 300 dpi
- VERTICAL head and shoulder OR ½ body format.
- It must be original image and not a photo of a photo.
- Upload to: <https://images.jostens.com/415465497> If you are prompted for a user id, to use 415465497.
- Please fill out in the description box: SENIOR PORTRAIT as all image go into the same photo bank!
- Deadline is Jan. 31, 2021.

Senior Ads - Coming soon!

Join the PTSA today!

It is time for another exciting, albeit different school year, and an important part of our Eastlake Community is our PTSA.

Eastlake High School's PTSA supports critical academic needs, is an active voice on decisions that impact your child's health, safety, and quality of education, and builds a stronger, more inclusive school community. We invite YOU to join PTSA For Your Child because when you become a member you lend your support to these various programs.

There is no right or wrong way to be involved – anything you can give, whether it's time or money, it will support your child's potential. We invite you to [join](#) because we can do more together than apart, especially during this time.

It only takes 5 minutes to join. [Click here to Join!](#)

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