

Summer 2022 Front Office Hours

Monday – Friday: 8:30 am – 3:30 pm

YES Prep will be closed on the following dates:

- Monday, June 20th
- Monday, June 27th – Monday, July 4th

Retention / Promotion Decisions

Middle School: If the Retention Placement Committee reviews a middle school student (formally Grade Placement Committee) who is at risk of being retained due to not meeting the YES Prep Middle School Promotion standards, guardians will be informed by Friday June 11.

High School: High School Promotion, Placement, and Retention decision will be made by the campus and communicated to parents/guardians by June 11. High school students who have failed one or more semesters of a core class may be required to enroll in Summer Credit Recovery to be promoted or placed into the next grade level. Successful completion of Summer Credit Recovery is required for the student to be promoted or placed. In that case, the parent/guardian will be communicated with before the 2021-2022 School Year about final Retention and Placement decisions based on the successful completion of Summer Credit Recovery.

High School Credit Recovery: The YES Prep Credit Recovery Program is for students currently enrolled in 9th – 12th grade and is designed to help students regain credits, persist, stay on track to graduate, and go to college. All core classes, including English, Math, Science, and Social Studies courses, will be offered, and world language courses will only be offered to Juniors and Seniors. YES Prep Summer Credit Recovery will be offered in-person, on campus, using the Edmentum PLATO Platform with a YES Prep Staff member assigned to support your student. Due to the implications of COVID-19, this summer, we will waive all Summer Credit Recovery fees, and they will be offered free of charge to students. Students must complete the program by June 17 to receive credit for the course by the last day. Failure to finish or earn a passing grade will result in the student retaking the course next year and possible retention. More information will follow for students that are registered.

- Date: Tuesday, May 31 – Friday, June 17
- Time: Tuesday – Friday, 9:00 am – 12:00 pm

Summer Assignments

If a course requires a summer assignment, students will receive their assignment directly from the teacher of that course.

YES Prep Student Handbook

Access the most updated YES Prep Student Handbook on the YES Prep Website. Changes may be made to the handbook over the summer and throughout the school year; the most updated version will always be posted to the website.

<http://www.yesprep.org/student-handbook>

The YES Prep Student Handbook includes all policies and information for students and families that is consistent from campus to campus across YES Prep. It's crucial that all YES Prep students and guardians are familiar with the Handbook and the information contained within it.

Individual Campus Supplements: Each campus will create their own Individual Campus Supplement to the YES Prep Student Handbook. This supplement contains specific information to the campus your student attends. These supplements will be available on your campus's website at yesprep.org.

2022-23 Student Fees

Legal guardians should expect to pay various student fees throughout the year depending on the student's participation in special programming. YES Prep has worked to standardize student fees across campuses and ensure fees being charged to students are aligned with compliance expectations and YES Prep philosophy.

These are some general parameters applied to student fees:

- Students will not be charged for materials that are required for class.
- Students will not be charged a fee for items that have no cost.
- Students will not be charged a fee for items or services that benefits staff members.
- Cost inflation should not be variable for items with a fixed cost. i.e. ID badges should cost the same at all locations
- Maximum cost formulas may never exceed base price + 2%.
- Student fees for specific activities may change from year to year because they are based on a percentage of cost. Campuses will communicate specific fee amounts based on the parameters above as cost for items and programs are finalized.

These are **some** fees families should plan to pay throughout the next school year. Exact amounts will be shared with campuses as they are finalized. This list is not exhaustive, and there may be fees not included below:

- Advanced Placement test fees (for 8-12 grade students taking an AP exam)
- Trip fees (may include day trips and/or overnight trips)
- Athletic fees (applicable to students who participate in athletic programming)

YES Prep Atlas and Other Reading Materials

The YES Prep Atlas is the scope of texts students will be assigned to read each year in English classes. The YES Prep Atlas can be found on the “For Parents” section of [yesprep.org](http://www.yesprep.org). All required reading materials will be provided by the campus for students. Required reading materials such as novels, Spanish anthologies, or SAT prep materials will be provided for students at no cost to the family.

<https://www.yesprep.org/families/atlas>

2022-23 School Supply List

<u>6th Grade</u>	<u>7th Grade</u>	<u>8th Grade</u>	<u>9th Grade</u>	<u>10th Grade</u>	<u>11th Grade & 12th Grade</u>	<u>AP Courses Only</u>
1-2 in binder	3- Composition Notebooks	1-2 in binder	1- College Ruled Composition Notebook	1- 3 Subject Notebook	3- 1 1/2 Binder	1-2 in binder (per course)
1-1 1/2 binder	1-2 in binder	1-1 1/2 binder	1-2 in binder	Graphing Paper Pack	1- spiral notebook	
2 composition notebooks	1-1 1/2 binder	2 composition notebooks	TI Nspire Calculator (will use all through High School)	Graphing Paper Notebook	6-composition notebooks	
1- 3 subject notebook	2- packages of dividers	2- packages of dividers	2- packages of dividers	1- Wide Ruled composition Notebook	2- 3x5 Index Cards	
2- packages of dividers	different color highlighters	3- folders with brads	different color highlighters	different color highlighters	3- folders with brads	

different color highlighters	1-package of expos	different color highlighters	1-package of expos	1-package of expos	TI Nspire Calculator (will use all through High School)
1-package of expos	colored pencils	1-package of expos	colored pencils	colored pencils	1-package of expos
colored pencils	blue pens	colored pencils	blue pens	blue pens	colored pencils
blue pens	black pens	blue pens	black pens	black pens	blue pens
black pens	red pens	black pens	red pens	red pens	black pens
red pens	pencils	red pens	pencils	pencils	red pens
pencils	erasers	pencils	headphones	headphones	pencils
erasers	scissors	erasers	wireless mouse (optional)	wireless mouse (optional)	headphones
scissors		scissors	3- folders with brads	flash drive	wireless mouse (optional)
headphones	headphones	1-package of glue sticks	2- packages of index cards	TI Nspire Calculator (will use all through High School as well)	different color highlighters
wireless mouse (optional)	wireless mouse (optional)	TI Nspire Calculator (will use all through High School as well)		3- folders with brads	
		headphones			
		wireless mouse (optional)			

All 8-12th grade students are required to have a TI-Nspire graphing calculator for math class. (Do not purchase a “CAS” version as it is not allowable on assessments.)

2022-23 Back to School Forms (Formerly Re-enrollment Forms)

Back to School Forms (formerly re-enrollment forms) will take place through Skyward Family Access Center in July, like last year. Please sign into your Skyward Family Access account to complete your required back to school forms. Below is the link to sign in, and we will also send out an email to you when the forms are launched to remind you.

[Skyward Family Access Login \(https://skyward.iscorp.com/YESPrepTXStu\)](https://skyward.iscorp.com/YESPrepTXStu)

Dress Code

YES Prep Public Schools believes in the power of community and school pride while also deeply valuing a student’s right to express their individuality without the fear of unnecessary discipline, body shaming, or the confines of gender norms. Students have the right to be treated equitably and dress code enforcement at YES Prep Public Schools will not create disparities, reinforce or increase the marginalization of any group, nor will it be unfairly enforced more strictly against a student because of racial identity, ethnicity, gender expression, sexual orientation, cultural or religious identity, household income, body size or type, or body maturity.

The YES Prep East End dress code should be met each school day and should meet the expectations of district and campus guidelines. Similar to all YES Prep policies, if a student’s dress or accessory choice poses a concern for student physical or emotional safety, a campus administrator has the discretion to disallow the dress item.

Our campus-based YES Prep Polo and/or YES Prep-based Spirit Shirt is sold by YES Prep Public Schools, containing the current school and official YES Prep East End logo and is distributed by the student’s school or Athletic Department.

YES Prep Public Schools also has sweatshirts and cardigans for sale to provide multiple options for outerwear. While a student can choose to wear their own outerwear, YES Prep or campus outerwear allows for additional school-pride building opportunities. If a student chooses to wear YES Prep outerwear, it may only be provided by YES Prep or the campus Athletics Department.

Website you can purchase athletic gear/spirit gear:

[YES PREP EAST END HIGH SCHOOL EXPLORERS Apparel - HOUSTON, Texas - Sideline Store - BSN Sports](#)

Dress Item	Expectation
Free Dress	<p>Clothing should meet the following criteria:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • T-shirts are acceptable; however, all clothing and accessories must be school appropriate: YES Prep prohibits pictures, emblems, or writings on T-shirts that are lewd, offensive, vulgar or obscene or that advertise or depict tobacco products, alcoholic beverages, drugs, or any other substance, show gang affiliation, or depict violence in any way. • No tank tops, halter tops, tube tops, net or sheer tops, shirts with spaghetti straps, or strapless tops for any student. • No bare midribs (half shirts) allowed for any student • No open-toed shoes <p>All pants, shorts, and skirts must meet the criteria established in the “Bottoms” for pants/shorts/skirts.</p> <p><i>YES Prep polos will still be available for purchase if a student/family chooses to wear the polo as one of their daily shirt options.</i></p>
Spirit Shirts	<p>All students should own at least 1 campus spirit shirt and should have more available for families to purchase.</p> <p>Campuses may choose 1 day a week to require Spirit Shirts to be worn for school community building.</p> <p><i>Note: Spirit shirts may also serve as Senior Signing Day shirts and should be offered in approved campus colors.</i></p>
Bottoms	<p>Students may choose between pants, skirts, or shorts of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Khakis (any color) • Jeans (any color) • Joggers (any color, must be jean or khaki material- may not be sweat pant material) • Athletic shorts (must be mid-thigh or longer) <p>Students <u>MAY NOT</u> wear:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Legging • jeggings • pajama pants • Ripped jeans of any kind <p>Shorts and skirts should be no shorter than mid-thigh. Bottoms should be worn at the waist they <u>MAY NOT</u> sag below the waist.</p>
ID Badges	<p>ID Badges must be worn by all students on lanyards and must be visible at all times.</p>

<p>Shoes</p>	<p>For safety purposes, all shoes must meet the following criteria:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed-toed • Must have backs (i.e. no slides) • Must have hard soles (i.e. no slippers) • Any color is permitted <p>Crocs that are closed toed may be worn</p>
<p>Accessories/ Styling</p>	<p>Students may have visible piercings and tattoos as long as messaging and images are school-appropriate.</p> <p>Accessory items that are spiked (bracelets, belts, collars) are not permitted due to safety reasons.</p> <p>Students may wear a variety of hairstyles and colors. Head shaving designs are permitted as long as images are school-appropriate.</p> <p>Hats and sunglasses are not permitted for safety purposes.</p> <p>Religious head-coverings are permitted.</p> <p>Campuses can permit other head-coverings (i.e. scarves, wave caps) as it may be culturally responsive and affirming. Campuses may choose to not permit bandanas on campus if it impacts the safety of the learning environment.</p>
<p>Outerwear</p>	<p>Students may wear any outerwear as long as it is appropriate. However, students may also have the option of purchasing the following from YES Prep or Athletic Departments to build school-pride and community: Students may choose from the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • YES Prep sweatshirt (purchased through YES Prep) • YES Prep cardigan (purchased through YES Prep) • Campus athletics department outerwear (purchased through campus Athletics Department) • Campus-issued grade level or spirit sweatshirts etc. (purchased through campus as applicable) <p><i>*Note: Students <u>MAY NOT</u> wear hoods that cover their heads/faces on campus in order to meet safety expectations.</i></p>
<p>PE Uniform</p>	<p>Students may wear their own athletic wear for PE classes. YES Prep will not offer PE uniforms to be purchased through YES Prep. Clothing for PE class must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Have school appropriate messaging • Meet criteria in the “Free Dress” category • Bottoms may not be higher than mid-thigh

Student Portal Access

The following assessments will be available on Student Portal after Spring 2021 administration:

- TELPAS & TELPAS Alt
- STAAR Alt
- STAAR (Middle School & End-of-Course)

See schedule below for availability. You can access your student's state results online using the code assigned to your child.

- TELPAS: TBD
- TELPAS Alt: TBD
- STAAR Alt: May 31
- Middle School STAAR: June 28
- STAAR End-of-Course: June 15
- STAAR Algebra II & English III: August 2

On how to access Student Portal, please view on of the following links:

- [Student Portal Overview](#) (English)
- [Resumen Del Portal Del Estudiante](#) (Spanish)

If you need assistance accessing your student's scores, please contact your campus front office.

2022-23 School Hours and Academic Calendar

Secondary Non-Partnership

Days	Campus Hours
Monday – Friday	8:30 am – 4:00 pm
Early Dismissal Days Outlined on Academic Calendar	8:30 am – 1:00 pm

Secondary Partnership

YES Prep Eisenhower	
Days	Campus Hours
Monday – Friday	7:00 am – 2:35pm
YES Prep Northbrook Middle School	
Days	Campus Hours
Monday – Friday	8:20 am – 3:55 pm
YES Prep Northbrook High School	
Days	Campus Hours
Monday and Friday	7:45 am – 3:55pm
Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday	7:45 am – 3:00 pm

The YES Prep SY22-23 Academic Calendar can be found at: <http://www.yesprep.org/parents/district-calendar>

Key dates:

- The first day of school for all students is August 15, 2022.
- The last day of school for all students is June 1, 2023.