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Middle Years Working Together for School Success

Question:

My son is required to complete community service hours this year, but he can't decide what to do. How can I help him?

Answer:

Doing community service will let your child help others and gain work experience. The main office or his school counselor may have a list of places where they can volunteer. They could also ask friends, relatives, and neighbors for ideas.

Then, suggest that they choose a job that matches their interests—the'll get more out of it that way. For example, they might participate in a beach cleanup if the're concerned about the environment. Or if they like working with younger children, they may play games or read with little ones at a homeless shelter while their parents attend job raining.

Finally, encourage them to keep track of their work, including names of supervisors, so they'll receive credit—and even have references for a job someday.

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Zero-Low Grade Make-up

In the 5th week of each 6 weeks, students will have an opportunity to make up a zero or low grade from the daily grade category with a "zero – low grade make-up assignment".

Retesting

Except for 6 weeks and semester tests, students may retake any major test they failed. The student must arrange a time with the teacher.

The maximum grade for a test retaken is a 70.

Homework Online

The homework online is a parent's tool to know the homework assignments for their child. All teachers post homework daily.

Follow these steps: Log onto hebisd.edu Click on 7-12 (located at top right)

Check the teacher's websites.

There are several ways to display assignments and they don't all use the same method.

10 Important Minutes

The very best academically productive time parents can spend is ten minutes per night checking the completion of homework. This procedure should start with checking "Homework Online" to find homework assignments. When the assignment is completed, parents should check the work for completeness before the students place the homework in their binder.

Warning: >Do not accept the excuse, "I left it in my locker."
Incomplete work or zeros will be the result.
>Do not accept, "The teacher took it up."
We never take up homework early.
>Do not accept, "I left my books at school."
There is a set of textbooks on reserve at the Euless Public Library.

If students complete and turn in all homework, success is the result. Zeros and/or incomplete work lead to failing grades and behavior difficulties.

TUTORING AVAILABLE

GENERAL



7:40-8:10 ROOM D2

MRS. ROWLANDS

AFTERNOON (M—TH)

3:20-4:00 ROOM C3

MRS. MARTIN

9TH GRADE MATH

SAME HOURS AS ABOVE

SEE POSTED SCHEDULES IN A HALL FOR WHICH ROOM

January 28

September 20 Black/Blue Food Drive Ends-September 25 Pep Rally

> **Next Progress Report** September 19, 2019

Next Report Card October 11, 2019

Testing Dates

October 16 7/8/9 ELA DBA 1

December 9-13* EOC English I, Biology, Algebra I Retakes

January 16 Semester Exams—all grades and subjects

7/8/9 ELA DBA 2

February 21 8 Social Studies DBA 1

March 3 8 Math DBA 1, 7 Reading DBA 1

March 26 PAP 8/9 Math DBA 1

March 31 7 Math DBA 1, 7/8/9 Science DBA 1

April 7* 7 Writing, 8 Math, 9 English I

April 8* 8 Reading

May 6* 9 Algebra I

May 7* 9 Biology

7 Math, 8 Math Retest May 11*

May 12* 7 Reading, 8 Reading Retest

8 Social Studies

BETTER HEALTH



BETTER LEARNING

When Should My Child Stay Home?



Stay home:

- Fever is 100° or above
- Vomiting or Diarrhea
- Physician orders to remain home due to injury or illness

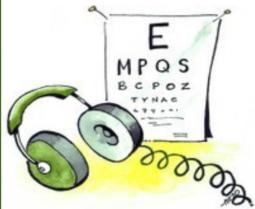
May Return When:

- Fever is below 100⁰ without the use of fever reducing medication for 24 hours
- No vomiting or diarrhea for 24 hours
- According to physician instructions and above criteria are met



REQUIREMENTS FOR MEDICATION AT SCHOOL

- Physician order is required-even for over the counter medication such as acetaminophen or ibuprofen
- 2. Parent signature is required.
- 3. ALL medication must be left in the Health Clinic.
- With physician orders and parent permission, inhalers and epinephrine injectors may be carried by student. <u>ALL</u> other medication must remain in the clinic.
- 5. Obtain Physician Request for Medication



HEALTH SCREENING

There are several state mandated health screenings that occur for Junior High students. The following screenings will be conducted during the 1st semester, beginning within the next 2 weeks.

7th grade boys: Vision, hearing, height, weight, blood pressure and Acanthosis Nigricans

7th grade girls: Vision, hearing, height, weight, blood pressure, Acanthosis Nigricans and spinal.

8th grade boys: Spinal, height, weight, blood pressure

Students new to district: vision, hearing, height, weight, blood pressure and additional screening required for age.

Contact the nurse at 817-399-3830 or dianafisher@hebisd.edu with any questions.

HEB ISD • COLLEGE FAIR

Hurst Conference Center

Monday, September 16, 2019 6:00 - 8:00 P.M.

Abilene Christian University Angelo State University **Arizona State University Arlington Career Institute** Austin College **Baylor University** Blinn College Centenary College of Louisiana Colorado State University - Pueblo Criswell College **Dallas International University Dallas Baptist University Drake University** FIDM/Fashion Institute of Design and **Merchandising** Hardin Simmons University **Hollins University**

Johnson & Wales University Kansas State University KD Conservatory College of Film & Dramatic Arts Letourneau University Lincoln College of Technology

International University Alliance

Iowa State University

Louisiana State University Louisiana Tech University **McMurry University**

Michigan State University Midwestern State University

Mississippi State University

Missouri University of Science and Technology

Montclair State University

New Mexico Highlands University

New Mexico State University

New York University

Northern Arizona University

Northwestern State University

Ogle School Hair Skin and Nails

Oklahoma Baptist University

Oklahoma State University

Ouachita Baptist University

Penn State University

Purdue University

Sam Houston State University

Scarborough College

Simpson College

Southern Arkansas University

Southern Methodist University

Southern University A&M College

Southwestern Assemblies of God University

St. Edward's University

St. Louis College of Pharmacy

Stephen F. Austin State University

Tarleton State University

Tarrant County College

Texas A&M University - College Station

Texas A&M University - Commerce

Texas A&M University - Corpus Christi

Texas A&M University - Galveston Campus

Texas Christian University

Texas Southern University

Texas State Technical College

Texas State University

Texas Tech University

Texas Wesleyan University

Texas Woman's University

The University of Alabama

The University of Alabama at Birmingham

The University of Texas at Arlington

The University of Texas at Austin

The University of Texas at Dallas

The University of Texas at San Antonio

The University of Texas of the Permian Basin

The University of Texas Rio Grande Valley

The University of Tulsa

The University of Utah

Trinity University

Trinity Valley Community College

United States Army

United States Coast Guard

United States Coast Guard Academy United States Marine Corps

United States Navy University of Arizona

University of Arkansas

University of Central Oklahoma

University of Cincinnati

University of Dallas

University of Evansville

University of Georgia

University of Houston

University of Illinois

University of Iowa

University of Kansas

University of Mary Hardin-Baylor

University of Missouri

University of Nebraska-Lincoln

University of North Texas

University of North Texas at Dallas

University of Notre Dame

University of Oklahoma

University of Rochester

University of South Florida

University of the Incarnate Word Feik

School of Pharma University of Wyoming

Valparaiso University

Wade College

West Texas A&M University West Virginia University









Attendance Announcements

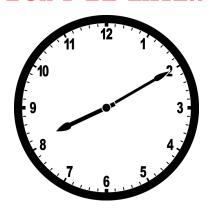


BE THERE!

Being in school all day, every day, helps your child get the most out of school. Encourage good attendance with these ideas:

- Point out that there is no substitute for being in class. Your youngster needs to be present to hear teachers explain concepts, to participate in group projects and class discussions, and to ask questions.
- Schedule doctor, dentist, and orthodontist appointments for before or after school hours whenever possible. If you can't, try to arrange them for lunchtime.
- It will be easier for your child to get up on time for school if he has had at least nine hours of sleep. Set a reasonable bedtime, and make sure he puts away electronic devices so he isn't tempted to stay awake to read messages or play games.

DON'T BE LATE!!





Stallions Strive for perfect attendance!

If your child must be absent from school please call the attendance office at **817-399-3822.**

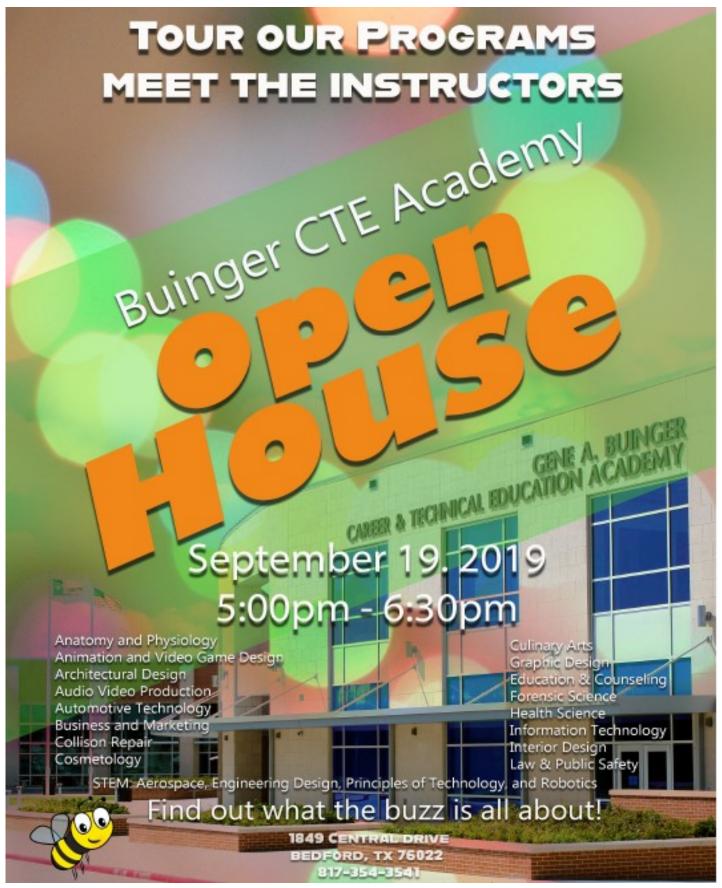
Students who maintain good attendance may receive semester **test grade** exemptions at the end of each semester. Two exemptions will be given for 0 absences during a semester; one will be given for 1 or 2 absences during a semester.

Euless Jr. High had the highest Staff attendance rate of all secondary campuses in the district for the fifth year in a row.

We are here for the students so that they can have consistent teaching methods and familiar, caring people at the head of each and every classroom.

We ask the same of our students. Show up on time. Look for something new to learn in each class, each day. Be here everyday and set your mind to learning. Find joy in learning something new.







HEB's Promotion/ Retention Policy

- Parents of 7th and 8th grade students, please be aware of the district promotion/retention policy. All 7th and 8th grade students will be required to pass English, Math, Science and Social Studies to be promoted to the next grade.
- Failure to pass STAAR may result in retention in grades 7 and 8.
- 9th graders must earn
 5 credits before advancing to 10th grade.



Commitment Is...

Making a promise and sticking to it.

Taking on a task and following through with it.

Doing what you say you will do.

Emotions in the Middle

Moody, private, self-conscious...if this sounds like your Jr. High student, you're not alone. At this age, his/her body and emotions are changing rapidly. Here are ways to help them cope.

Managing moods. Physical growth and worries about friends, sports, and schoolwork can cause moodiness. Let your child know you're available to talk. A quiet statement, such as "I remember what it feels like not to be asked to join a team," can invite him to open up about what's bothering him.

Finding privacy. It's natural for your youngster to want some time to herself. She might close her bedroom door or walk outside to take a phone call, for example. Show her that you respect her growing need for privacy by giving her space.

Fitting in. Many Jr. High students feel self-conscious. Being part of a group of people who share their interests can help your children focus on their strengths and feel more confident. Encourage them to participate in at least one activity (basketball team, student government, math club, etc.)







Host a screening to help spark change.

Find event listings on our site.

Stay in touch with the Screenagers community on <u>Facebook</u>, <u>Twitter</u> and at www.screenagersmovie.com.

Other TTTs you might be interested in:

Cyberbullying, how to make a difference

Small acts of kindness online

Counseling for screen time struggles





NEED <u>MORE</u>

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY STUDENTS AT TRINITY HIGH SCHOOL

OFFER **FREE** TUTORING <u>EVERY MONDAY</u>

4-6 PM IN THE THS LIBRARY



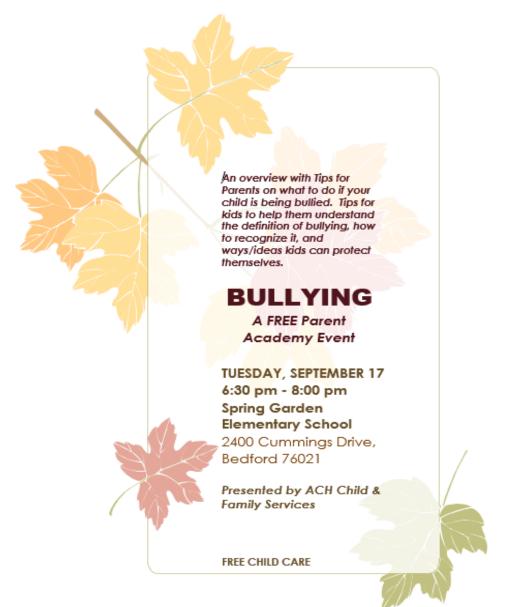
Counselors Remind Page!

TEXT the code belonging to your child's class to 81010

9th Grade Parents—"EJH Counselors—2023" code @3b7g6a

8th Grade Parents—"EJH Counselors—2024"code @39agd2a

7th Grade Parents—"EJH Counselors—2025" code @6aa3bg



PTA Postings



2019/2020

PTA Officers

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♦ Kellee Wright

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♦ Keli Geraty

VP Programs

Roy Miller

Secretary

Jennifer Wright

Treasurer

♦ Gina Rodez

Check out our FACEBOOK page! EJH PTA

Now has an official Facebook page.

Please check it out and



us on Facebook

Upcoming PTA dates/fundraisers:

9-17 Kona Ice at 8th grade football at EJH

9-20 Urban Air fundraiser night

9-24 Kona Ice at 8th grade football at EJH

9-27 Kona Ice after school AND back 2 School dance





Euless Jr. High PTA

Was awarded the following Awards for 2017-2018







Artful Muses



Vocal

2019-2020 Euless JH Choir Calendar

All Choir Students

DATE	TIME	EVENT	PLACE		
10/17 (THU)	7 - 8 PM	FALL CONCERT	TRINITY HS AUDITORIUM		
12/7 (SAT)	3:00 - 4:15 PM	WINTER CONCERT	THS AUDITORIUM		
2/20 (THU)	DURING SCHOOL	PRE-UIL BENCHMARK ASSESSMENT	MARTIN UMC		
3/5 (THU)	DURING SCHOOL	UIL CONTEST	MARTIN UMC		
5/16 (SAT)	12 PM -3 PM S	PRING SHOW DRESS REHEARSAL	THS AUDITORIUM		
5/16 (SAT)	3:30 - 4:45 PM	SPRING SHOW	THS AUDITORIUM		
		Field Trips!			
10/22 (TUE)	5:30-9 PM	MAIN EVENT 7TH GRADE NIGHT	MAIN EVENT - GRAPEVINE		
12/14 (SAT)	12-9 PM	SIX FLAGS 8TH/9TH GRADE DAY	SIX FLAGS OVER TEXAS		
5/14 (THU)	5:00 - 9:00 PM	NRH20 HEBISD CHOIR NIGHT	NRH20		
	Chorale Mi	xed Choir (2nd and 3rd Period)	Only		
10/6 (SUN)	2-4 PM	FATHER-SON CHORUS REHEARSAL	TRINITY HS AUDITORIUM		
10/7 (MON)	7:30 - 9 PM	THS CLUSTER CONCERT	TRINITY HS AUDITORIUM		
12/17 (TUE)	8 AM - 3 PM	ELEMENTARY CHOIR TOUR/IT'Z LUNCH	ELEM. FEEDER CAMPUSES		
	7th-8th Grad	de All-Region Choir Auditionees	Only		
11/2 (SAT)	ASSIGNED BLOCK	7 тн /8 тн GRADE ALL-REGION AUDITION	S NORTH RICHLAND MS		
11/8 (FRI)	11-4 PM	HEB REGION WORKSHOP	PAT MAY CENTER		
1/18 (SAT)	8 AM - 6 PM	7тн/8тн ALL-REGION CLINIC/CONCER	RT TBD		
	9th Grade Honor Choir Auditionees Only				
10/26 (SAT)	8 AM - 12 PM	9-10 HONOR CHOIR AUDITIONS	LD BELL HS		
11/9 (SAT)	8 AM - 6 PM	9-10 HONOR CHOIR CLINIC/CONCERT	FUMC GRAPEVINE		
Voice Students and Select Singers Only					
11/27 (WED)	3:30-6 PM	WINTER CONCERT SOLO AUDITIONS	CHOIR ROOM		
12/??	TBD	WINTER VOICE RECITAL	CHOIR ROOM		
4/6 (SAT)	8:00 AM - 12:00 PM	SOLO & ENSEMBLE CONTEST	EULESS JH (HOSTING)		
5/4 (WED)	3:30-6 PM	SPRING CONCERT SOLO AUDITIONS	CHOIR ROOM		
5/??	TBD	SPRING VOICE RECITAL	CHOIR ROOM		



Artful Muses



Band

Beginner Band

DATE	WHO	EVENT	WHERE	TIME
Oct-11th	All EJH Bands	Sour Candy/Fortune Cookie Fundraiser Begins		
Oct-25th	All EJH Bands	Boo Bash	Euless Band Hall	6:30pm - 8:30pm
Nov-1st	All EJH Bands	Money Due for Sour Candy/ Fortune Cookie Fundraiser		
*Nov-7th	*Beginners	*Beginner Band Preview Concert	Euless JH Gym	7:00pm - 8:00pm
*Dec-6th	*Beginners	*Beginner Band Rehearsal for Concert	Euless Band Hall	3:45pm - 5:00pm
*Dec-11th	*Beginners	*Euless JH Bands Winter Concert	Trinity HS Audito- rium	7:00pm

DATE	WHO	EVENT	WHERE	TIME
*Sept-25th	Sym, Con 1, Con 2	*Pep Rally Performance	Euless JH Gym	3:00pm - 3:30pm
*Oct-3rd	Sym, Con 1, Con 2	*9th Grade Football Game Performance	Trinity HS Field	4:30pm - 8:00pm
Oct-11th	Sym, Con 1, Con 2	Sour Candy/Fortune Cookie Fundraiser Begins		
Oct-25th	Sym, Con 1, Con 2	Boo Bash	Euless Band Hall	6:30pm - 8:30pm
Nov-1st	Sym, Con 1, Con 2	Money Due for Sour Candy/ Fortune Cookie Fundraiser		
*Nov-11th	Select Sym/Con 1	*HEB Honor Band Auditions (Group 1)	Harwood JH	5:00pm - 9:00pm
*Nov-13th	Select Sym/Con 1	*HEB Honor Band Auditions (Group 2)	Harwood JH	5:00pm - 9:00pm
*Dec-11th	Sym, Con 1, Con 2	*Euless JH Bands Winter Concert	Trinity HS Auditorium	7:00pm
Dec-17th	Eligible Sym, Con 1, Con 2	Elementary Christmas Tour	Start at North Euless Elementary	7:45am



CLUBS AND GATHERINGS

JOIN A CLUB!

After School Clubs at EJH

	<u>Club</u>	<u>Days</u>	<u>Teacher</u>	Room
XXXXXXX	GAY STRAIGHT ALLIANCE	Monday	Tara Ryan	ART
İİISI	CHESS	Tuesday	Stahl	C4
Camer.	VIDEO GAMES	Tuesday	Richey	B13
difference	STUDENT COUNCIL	Tuesday	Todd Ketcham	C2
1	GAMES	Wednesday	Tara Rowlands	D2
Dêş	DUNGEONS & DRAGONS	Wednesday	Travis Baggett	A12
90 1va	ESL ENGLISH PRACTICE	Wednesday	Lacey Giles	B2
	YEARBOOK	Thursday	Susan Horn	B12
	SEWING & SERVICE	1 st Friday of Every Month	Vi	FCS
	BOOK CLUB	Meet Twice Per Six Weeks	Janis Jayroe	TBA

There are lots of fun after school clubs you can join at Euless Junior High. Contact the teacher listed with the club above for more details.



YEARBOOK

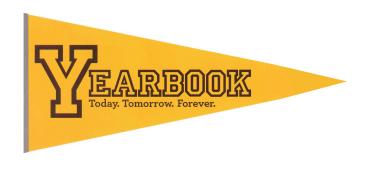
Yearbook Club

Do you like taking pictures?

Do you attend a lot of events at EJH, such as games, concerts, or other organizations?

Or maybe you would just like to help create memories in our school yearbook so that we can remember all the good times here at EJH...

Well, why not check out the Yearbook Club. It meets every Thursday after school from **3:15 to 3:45**. This is a good chance to get in on showcasing your classmates, their achievements, and their personalities. See Mrs. Horn in the B12 She has all the details.





GIRL'S SPORTS

Date	Event	Opponent	Location	Time
9-16	7th Volleyball	Watauga MS	Watauga MS	B-4:30pm/A-5:45pm
9-23	7th Volleyball	Harwood JH	Harwood JH	B-4:30pm/A-5:45pm
9-30	7th Volleyball	Hurst JH	Euless JH	B-4:30pm/A-5:45pm
10-9	7th Volleyball	Haltom MS	Haltom MS	B-4:30pm/A-5:45pm
10-12	7th Volleyball	"A" Team Tourney	Euless JH	TBA
10-16	7th Volleyball	Central JH	Euless JH	B-4:30pm/A-5:45pm
10-21	7th Volleyball	Bedford JH	Bedford JH	B-4:30pm/A-5:45pm
10-26	7th Volleyball	"B" Team Tourney	Watauga MS	TBA
10-28	7th Volleyball	Smithfield MS	Euless JH	B-4:30pm/A-5:45pm
11-4	7th Volleyball	North Oaks MS	Euless JH	B-4:30pm/A-5:45pm
11-8/9	7th Volleyball	"A" Team Big 12 District Tourney	TBA	TBA



SPORTS

Date	Event	Opponent	Location	Time
9-17	8th Football	Watauga	Euless	B-5:45/A-4:30
9-19	9th Football	@ Aledo	Aledo	B-5:00/A-6:30
9-24	8th Football	@ Aledo	Euless	B-5:45/A-4:30
9-25	9th Football	@ Hurst	Bell	B-5:45/A-4:30
10-3	9th Football	SA Central	Trinity	B-4:30/A-6:0
10-8	8th Football	Haltom	Euless	B-5:45/A-4:30
10-10	9th Football	Haltom	Haltom	B-5:00/A-6:30
10-15	8th Football	@ Central	Pennington	B-5:45/A-4:30
10-17	9th Football	Central	Trinity	B-5:00/A-6:30
10-22	8th Football	Bedford	Pennington	B-5:45/A-4:30
10-24	9th Football	ВУЕ		
10-29	8th Football	@ Smithfield	Birdville HS	B-5:45/A-4:30
10-33	9th Football	@Abilene	Abilene	B-4:30/A6:00
11-5	8th Football	Showcase Games	FAAC/Penn	ТВА
11-7	9th Football	Richland	Trinity	B-5:00/A-6:30