The North Lake ECHS Newsletter

October 1, 2021

BUILDING FUTURES TOGETHER









A Message from Mr. Lysowski

North Lake Family,

This week we have ACPs and Final Exams for 9, 10, and 11 grade students. Students will still attend their college classes from 8-9:30am and then follow the ACP Bell Schedule that is provided below. Please note that Friday is a staff development and student holiday.

Parents/guardians, please take note that there is only one week remaining in the first nine-week grading period and final exams will occur this week. We encourage all families to check their student's progress on Parent Portal. For dual-credit information, please have your student log on to their eCampus account to view assignment submissions and current grades.

Mr. Lysowski

North Lake ECHS Principal

ACP Test Window

North Lake ECHS 2021-2022 A	ACP Bell Schedule	
1st/2nd Period Dual Credit Coursework	8:00-9:20	NLC 80 mins
ACP Testing/MAPS 3rd Period Bio, Chem, Geometry, Alg 2 (10/4/21) 5th Alg 2, Geometry, English 1, English 2 (10/5/21) 6th Biology, Chemistry, English 1 English 2 (10/6/21) Make Ups (10/7/21 If Necessary)	9:30-11:40	DISD 130
Lunch 11:45-12:25	5	
3rd Period	12:35-1:30	DISD 55 mins
5th Period	5th Period 1:40- 2:35	DISD 55 mins
6th Period	2:45-3:40	DISD 55

Parent Portal

The Dallas ISD Parent Portal system uses **PowerSchool**. It is a valuable resource available in English and Spanish for parents/guardians to use to become more involved in their children's education.

Parent Portal provides parents/guardians with three key benefits:

- 1. Secure on-line access to their children's grades, assignments, and attendance
- 2. Email alerts of absences and grade average changes
- 3. A two-way communication tool for parents and teachers

Register today for a PowerSchool Parent Portal account and become a partner in your child's education.

New and Returning Users:

If this is your first time signing up for a PowerSchool account, click on the link below then select "Parent Sign In" followed by "Create an Account Here"

https://dallasisd.powerschool.com/public

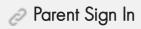
Para ver esta información en español, pulse aquí.

Questions? Send an email to ParentPortal@dallasisd.org.

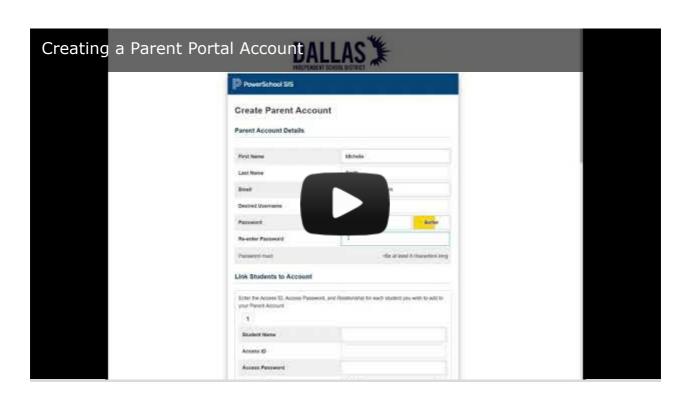
Resources

- Parent Portal Video Library
- English | Spanish
- How to Create an Email Account

- English | Spanish
- Terms and Conditions



dallasisd.powerschool.com



Family Engagement Survey

Responses to this survey will aid North Lake ECHS in planning family engagement activities for the 2021-2022 school year. Thank you for providing us with feedback to improve the experience here at North Lake ECHS!



2021-2022 Family Engagement Family Survey

North Lake Early College HS

Sign in to Google to save your progress. Learn more

* Required

Upcoming Events!

Link to School Calendar

Monday, October 4-Thursday, October 7--ACP Testing/Final Exams for Q1

Monday, October 4--COVID-19 Vaccine Clinic

Wednesday, October 6--ECHS Uniform Day

Thursday, October 7--Quarter 1 Ends

Friday, October 8--Elementary Fair Day (Student Holiday, No School)

Monday, October 11--DISD Quarter Two Begins

Monday, October 11-Thursday, October 14--Mock Surveys (Student and Staff)

Tuesday, October 12--Virtual Coffee with the Principal, 8:30am

Wednesday, October 13--PSAT/NMSQT (10th grade students and all DISD Scholars)

Wednesday, October 13--ECHS Uniform Day

Friday, October 15--Secondary Fair Day (Staff/Student Holiday, No School)

Tuesday, October 19--DISD Quarter One Report Cards Issued

Blazer News

This year, we have officially launched our extracurricular programs here at North Lake. One of those programs is our Yearbook and Newspaper club. On Friday, October 1, our student's released the first edition of the Blazer News, a student-led and student-created digital Newsletter. I would encourage all our families to review Volume 1, Number 1. Shout-out to Ms. Seymour, who has done an amazing job of leading this hard-working group of students!

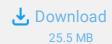




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Vaccination Clinics at North Lake ECHS

North Lake ECHS will be hosting COVID-19 vaccination clinics for first and second doses. Event details can be found below. Please know that a consent form is required for all COVID-19 vaccinations.



Dallas ISD is hosting a COVID-19 Vaccination Pop-up Clinic!



9:00am-3:00pm



North Lake ECHS 5001 N. MacArthur Blvd, Irving, TX 75038

FIRST DOSE

10/04/2021

SECOND DOSE

10/25/2021

All vaccinations are FREE for those 12 years old or older.

Visit www.dallasisd.org for more information.





COVID-19 Vaccine Incentives for Students (Updated 09/17/2021)

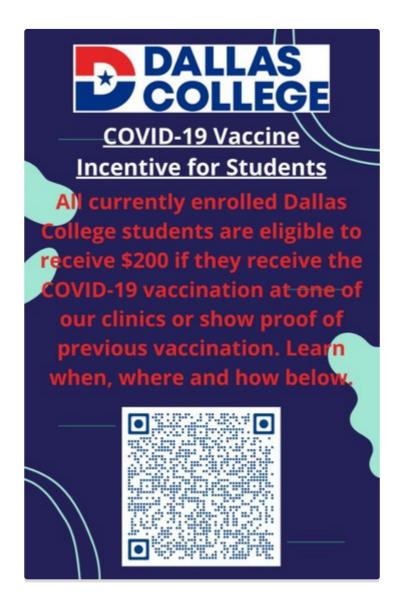
Dallas College Incentive: All North Lake ECHS students are eligible to receive \$200 if they receive the COVID-19 vaccination at one of the Dallas College clinics or show proof of previous vaccination. Starting August 30, students will submit proof of vaccination through an online portal and directions will be shared with all families once they are made available. If your family has any additional questions, please visit the <u>Dallas College Website</u> for more information.

Dallas ISD Incentive: With the safety and well-being of staff and students in mind, Dallas ISD is offering a one-time \$50 vaccination incentive to students ages 12 and older who are fully vaccinated against COVID-19. The incentive will be distributed in the form of a card that can be used as cash. To get the card, parents/guardians or students who are at least 18 should fill out the proof of vaccination form and submit a copy of the student's COVID vaccination card, IMMTrac2 print out or written confirmation from a medical provider by Nov. 15.

How to provide proof of vaccination

- Click on the link to the form https://pznwuubwfdll22r-production.adb.us-phoenix-1.oraclecloudapps.com/ords/r/prod/student-covid-vaccinations
- · Sign in using the student ID number and date of birth
- Fill out the required information
- Upload an image of the proof of vaccination (card, IMMTrac2, document from medical provider)
- Submit the form





ECHS Uniform Wednesdays!

Students are required to wear their ECHS uniform and either black slacks or a skirt (no shorter than "finger-tip length" with arms in normal position, i.e., arms hanging naturally, as student is standing straight and upright). North Lake ECHS Uniform appointments can be made by contacting Mr. Sergio Godinez at Versa Printing. ECHS uniform days will be seasonal, and a North Lake ECHS polo can be worn through September.

Failure to follow dress code requirements, including ECHS Uniform Wednesdays, will result in Friday Night Lights.



Hispanic Heritage Month Activities

In 1988, Congress designated the entire month of September 15th through October 15th as Hispanic Heritage Month (HHM).

This month, Dallas ISD is providing a series of highly engaging programs and activities centered around the celebration, empowerment, remembrance, and appreciation of our students' cultural heritages. North Lake ECHS will also be incorporating culturally relevant lessons and enrichment opportunities through MAPS and our extracurricular programming.

HISPANIC HERITAGE MONTH

WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 6TH 12:00 PM

CAREER SPEAKER WEBINAR



Andres Franco
Learning & Development Specialist
Mr. Cooper Mortgage Company



Rudy Rodriguez, Jr.
Sr. VP, General Counsel, & Corporate Secretary
CEC Entertainment (Chuck E. Cheese & Peter Piper Pizza)



REGISTER AT: WWW.DALLASISD.ORG/RACIALEQUITY

HISPANIC HERITAGE

MONTH

WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 13TH 12:00 PM

CAREER SPEAKER WEBINAR

featuring professionals from Match Group



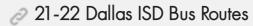


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Transportation Information





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2021-2022 North Lake Early College High School

ROUTE	AM PICK-UP TIME	STOP(s) PICK-UP & DROP-OFF LOCATION	PM DROP-OF
1097	6:20 AM	SEAGOVILLE HS	5:06 PM
	6:39 AM	WHHS	4:37 PM
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	6:29 AM	ADAMSON HS	4:59 PM
	6:46 AM	CARTER HS	4:43 PM
	6:58 AM	KIMBALL HS	4:25 PM
	7:08 AM	MOLINA HS	4:13 PM
	7:30 AM	ARRIVE @ NORTH LAKE COLLEGE, 5001 N MACARTHUR BLVD IRVING, TX75038	3:50 PM

TSIA2 Testing and Preparation

TSI is a state-legislated program designed to improve student success in college. Part of the program is an assessment to determine basic skills in reading, mathematics and writing. A passing score on the TSIA2 test is required in order to take most of the dual-credit courses on our Associate Degree crosswalks. TSIA2 scores also impact our State Accountability rating for College and Career Readiness.

Scoring Standards:

English Language Arts and Reading (ELAR) Standard:

- ELAR Score of 945+ AND Essay Score of 5 8
 OR
- ELAR Score under 945 AND ELAR Diagnostic Level of 4 6 AND Essay Score of 5 8

TSIA2 Math Standard:

- 950+ OR
- Math Score Under 950 AND Math Diagnostic Level of 6

TSIA2 Resources, Links, and Tutorials

Accuplacer Test Prep--The ACCUPLACER website features practice questions and other study tools to help you prepare for the TSI assessment. You can also login to take the Texas version of a webbased practice test to familiarize yourself with the tests three different content areas.

• https://accuplacer.collegeboard.org/students/prepare-for-accuplacer/practice

EdReady--TSIA2 test prep website. All students are required to sign-up and create an account. Create an account today using the information provided below:

- 1. Navigate to disd.edready.org and click Get Started.
- 2. After creating their accounts, they will receive an email confirmation with an activation link.
- 3. After logging in they will be prompted to enter a **goal key**. The goal key for all North Lake students is **northlake** (all lowercase). They will be able to access both the math and reading study paths with that one code. And they only need to enter the goal key one time to add it to their dashboard.
- 4. There is a <u>walkthrough video</u> and a <u>student quick start guide</u> at the bottom of the <u>disd.edready.org</u> main page if they need assistance

Extracurriculars at North Lake ECHS

Extracurricular activities are an important part of the student and teacher experience at North Lake. We are asking that all incoming freshmen complete the extracurricular survey so that we can align extracurricular offerings to student interest.

Extracurricular Expectations

- Students will model our campus vision, mission, values, and moto on campus and extracurriculars
- 100% student participation in 1 or 2 campus activities
- Have a positive attitude and explore different activities
- Be committed to your extracurricular for the full semester

Purpose

- Extracurriculars gives you another opportunity to practice, learn, and embody our campus vision, mission, values, and moto
- A way to belong, explore, and create and build friendships
- · Scholarships possibilities to 4 year universities
- Resume building for 4 year university applications and future careers

North Lake College Campus Map





North Lake Early College High School

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A Dallas Independent School District school of choice, North
Lake Early College High School (NLECHS) is housed on the
campus of Dallas College North Lake Campus, our higher
education partner. Through a collaborative effort, NLECHS
students attend both high school and on-site college classes
with the goal of graduating with a high school diploma and at
least 60 college credits or an associate degree. Our school
motto, "Learns today, Leaders tomorrow," speaks to our vision of
becoming a nationally recoginzed, elite early college dedicated to
graduating all students as creative thinkers and global leaders
of tomorrow.

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