

ENVIRONMENTAL & ADVENTURE SCHOOL

What to Expect and What to Bring on the First Day of School

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Monday, August 31st is the first day of school. School begins at **7:50 am** and will dismiss at **2:25 pm**. The EAS shuttle will be running its normal daily route for registered shuttle riders. Families who carpool students to/from school should plan to drop off students no later than 7:40 am.

- **New this year - The EAS BUS LOOP will be CLOSED to private vehicles DAILY between 7:30-7:50 AM and again between 2:15-2:35 PM.** The EAS shuttle is the only vehicle allowed access to the EAS bus loop during these times.
- **Morning Drop-off:** Students arriving to school via private vehicles should be dropped off on the Finn Hill side of the building accessed from NE 132nd St. Students can enter the building at the main Finn Hill entrance beginning at 7:30 AM. Alternately, students may be dropped off curbside on the west side of 84th Ave. NE* and walk to the main EAS entry. The exterior doors to EAS will unlock at 7:35 AM. The interior EAS Pod doors will be open to students beginning at 7:40 AM. (**Note: If dropping off students on 84th Ave NE please DO NOT stop to let students out unless you can pull to the curb!*)
- Shuttle riders, students who walk or bike to school, and those students dropped off curbside on 84th NE can line up outside the main EAS entry until the doors unlock at 7:35 AM.
- We will have 8th grade leadership students outside (at both the EAS and Finn Hill entrances) to greet and guide our new students into the building.
- **Parents, please DO NOT walk your students to the door or enter the school building.**
- **Afternoon Pick-up:** Students can be picked up at the Finn Hill end of the building or along 84th Ave NE in the afternoons at normal dismissal time (2:25 PM or 12:40 PM on Wednesdays).

School Supplies

With the exception of outdoor gear for stewardship projects and expeditions, students are expected to bring their school supplies with them on the first day of school. The supply list can be found here: [EAS School Supply List](#).

Summer Packet Forms and School Fee Payment

If you have not already turned in your summer packet forms, these are due the first day of school. Please send all of the completed forms and school payments (Camp Hamilton - \$200.00 and Class Supply Fee - \$30.00) to school with your student on August 31.

Frequently Asked Questions

1. **When will my student receive his/her/their schedule?** – All students will receive their schedule during the first week of school.
2. **Will my student have a locker?** – Yes, all students will receive their locker assignment during the first week of school.
3. **Can the first day school fees be paid online?** – Yes! [PAY HERE](#)