

Everett Seagull News

EVERETT HIGH SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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From the Principal

Dear EHS Families,

Happy Springtime! I hope everyone had time to relax and restore over spring break.

The week before break, we had one of my favorite events of the year, we had our transition days at Eisenhower, Evergreen and North. We look forward to welcoming our new Seagulls to the wonderful EHS Community. Our future Seagulls are excited to join this magical community. We also spent the month of March having our current students register for classes next year.

I want to acknowledge the amazing support of our EHS Community including parents/guardians, alumni, Natural Leaders, PTA and Blue and Gold Club. We are so lucky to have these advocates for our students. It is not too late, to get a ticket for the EHS Auction on April 15 at 5:00 p.m. sponsored by our PTA and Blue and Gold Club. All of the funds raised at this event support Everett High School Students. Tickets are available at

https://everettsd.ejoinme.org/MyEvents/EHSAuction2023/Tickets/tabid/1330395/Default.aspx

We are almost to mid-semester. This is a perfect time to check your students grades at <u>https://www.everettsd.org/grades</u>. We will be hosting Seagull Saturday (Academic Support) on Saturday, April 22 from 9-11 and every Tuesday and Wednesday after school.

I encourage you to continue to find ways for you and your students to be involved in our community. Trying a new activity, sport, club or class is what high school is all about.

Thank you for all your support or our school.

Kelly Shepherd Principal

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Mission – We collectively ensure that each student learns and grows at high levels.

April 12 Natural Leaders Meeting, 6:00 pm (Library)

April 15 AP Practice Exams EHS Auction, 5:00 pm (EvCC)

April 21 Spring Fling, 7:00 pm (Gym)

April 22 Seagull Saturday, 9:00 – 11:00 am

April 25 Make-up SAT Day, 7:30 – 11:00 am



Multicultural Festival

Come celebrate the diversity of our Everett High School community! The Multicultural Festival is around the corner, Friday night May 5, 2023. Everyone is welcome and encouraged to represent our multicultural community—students, families, community leaders and organizations. Save the date 5/5/2023!

Join the fun by coming to set up a booth, and/or add to our performance roster. Please contact <u>agalvan@everettsd.org</u> with your interest!

EHS PTA

Everett High's annual auction is happening this Saturday April 15th! Catered by Avocados Mexican Grill with over 300 items in the silent and live auctions, this event will not disappoint! Please come and experience this fun-filled evening while supporting Everett High School.

Everett Community College Walt Price Fitness 2206 Tower Street, Everett 98201 Saturday, April 15th, 5p-9:30p

Purchase tickets or volunteer at https://everettsd.ejoinme.org/EHSAuction2023

Kindergarten registration is open

Will your child be **5** years old by August 31? You can complete your child's online enrollment for kindergarten. An easy and quick process as detailed in the <u>step-by-</u> <u>step parent walkthrough video</u> available in multiple languages on our website <u>www.everettsd.org/kindergartenenrollment</u>.

Enrolling early will ensure invitations to your school's kindergarten events and participation in <u>Everett Ready</u>, a transition-into-kindergarten program offered for one week in August to all enrolled kindergarteners.



EPS offers the following **Choice Programs** beginning in kindergarten– early enrollment is recommended as space is limited. Click on the links to receive additional information on the programs:

- <u>Lighthouse Cooperative</u> Housed at Jefferson Elementary School This K-5 program features standard district curriculum with an overlay of parent involvement via weekly classroom volunteering and support for enrichment activities such as field trips and parent-led specialty lessons.
- <u>Dual Language Spanish Immersion Program</u> Located at Emerson Elementary School



Students are immersed in the Spanish language and culture with the majority of instruction being in Spanish. Priority will be given to students within the Emerson Elementary school attendance area. If a high number of students apply, a lottery will be conducted to select students.

• <u>Port Gardner Family Partnership K-12</u> – located on Sequoia High School Campus Port Gardner K-12 is a parent partnership program, where parents/guardians are the primary educators of their children. Our program is a blend of on-site classes taught by certificated teachers, and remote classes taught by parents/guardians in the home.

We are looking forward to welcoming you and your student to kindergarten!

Easy access with district app

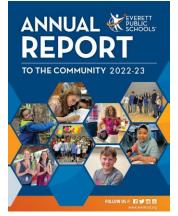
There is an app for that! Download and log into the district app with your LMS password to access your student's info quickly and easily, including grades, assignments and more. Set your delivery preferences for notifications from your selected schools and district. Quickly access contact information and connect with the press of a button. Customize the app to view the schools and feeds that you care about most, all in your native language. Your home for district and school communications. Simply the fastest way to be informed. Learn more at www.everettsd.org/MobileApp.



2023-24 calendar available

Our 2023-24 student calendar is available in English and Spanish. Visit the district's website under announcements on the homepage to view details.

Annual Report available online



The 2022-23 Annual Report to the community is available <u>online</u>. Everett School District serves over 20,000 students in 28 schools and is the twelfth largest school district in the state. The report provides information about our school district, schools, staff members and students and is designed to provide parents and community members with important demographic, budget, facility and student achievement data.

Additional information about our schools is available at the <u>Washington Office of Superintendent of</u> <u>Public Instruction</u>.



Thank you, volunteers!

April 17-21 is Public Schools Volunteer Appreciation Week, which provides a yearly opportunity for schools and families to honor and highlight the powerful contributions parents and caregivers provide at school and home to support student success.

We are grateful for the support our school community volunteers have given to support student success. Your help matters. Thank you so much.





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- Everett, WA 98213

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EVERETT HIGH SCHOOL MULTICULTURAL FESTIVAL



EVERETT HIGH GYM MAY 5, 6-8PM PERFORMANCES.

PERFORMANCES, BOOTHS, ACTIVITIES, FOOD, AND MORE!



SIGN UP TO HELP

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