

# Cascade Bruin News

CASCADE HIGH SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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## From the Principal

Dear Cascade Families,

Welcome to the 2021-22 school year! I hope this message finds you safe and healthy, and that you and your family experienced a positive and productive summer during very challenging circumstances. As we start this school year under still truly extraordinary conditions but hopefully moving in the right direction, I believe that this year it will be more important than ever to continually prioritize our sense of community and continue to do our best to stay connected and together as much as possible.

Working over this summer to prepare for this school year, much of our team's focus has been continually reflecting on how to ensure that each and every student receives a positive school climate and classroom culture, while also receiving engaging and supportive instruction every day. Personally, in both my roles as an educator and as a parent of three (two elementary and one middle school aged) students, I, probably like many of you, have spent a great deal of time thinking about the impact that this time period may have on the education and development of our children. But much of this summer I've been thinking about the opportunities and potential our young people have and how it is our job as adults in their community to foster and support them in realizing their potential. Our school's mission is to prepare each student to be college, career, and citizenship ready. How might we use what we've collectively undergone to better understand and value each other and to appreciate the opportunities we have in front of us to better ourselves? As we begin this year, I am reminded of Winston Churchill's quote, "a pessimist sees the difficulty in every opportunity; an optimist sees the opportunity in every difficulty." As we move into another start of a school year marked by uncertainty, it would be easy to see only the barriers, the obstacles, the difficulties. Shifting our paradigm to thinking about the potential and the opportunities ahead of us reframes this school year as a time to commit to work together to ensure that we all succeed both as individuals and as a system. This year I ask that we commit to the following actions in support of our students' success:

- *Be involved, ask questions, help find solutions* – Over the last year and a half, I can certainly relate to struggling as a family through distance learning, but I think it has helped us as a family more readily accept the collective effort it takes to support each other. That's a commitment I know I have to make this year, and I think it

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Principal

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**September 8**

Welcome Back to CHS!

**September 10**

Learning Improvement Friday

**September 17**

Learning Improvement Friday

**September 24**

Learning Improvement Friday



illustrates the importance of a strong parent-teacher partnership. While I am asking our instructional staff to find ways to strengthen those relationships, I ask that you commit to do the same. As a school, we need more regular feedback from students and from parents about what is working and what isn't. Please don't feel shy this year to connect with your child's teacher or our support staff to find solutions to better support you, your child, and family.

- *Coming together in celebration.* One of the key elements of any effective community are the ways it comes together in celebration. Over the last seven years I've been at Cascade, I've watched annually as the community comes together both in support and in celebration. A key to our success this year will be supporting one another in triumph and in need. As I referenced earlier, this is a time that can be extremely exciting in forging new ground and more than ever we need to be looking for and sharing positivity and inspiration widely.
- *Forming new connections.* In a more traditional school year, many Cascade students get involved in our larger community through extracurricular activities. Well, many of those same activities will be returning, revising, and re-envisioned as we move through this year. Whether it be through members of local industry, support organizations, or a variety of community groups, or strong parent groups like Bruin Community Parents and Natural Leaders, these organizations help to support our students and parents in many ways, from helping our students learn skills that they can use in their future aspirations to providing connections to a larger Puget Sound community. I encourage and challenge you to find ways throughout this year to involve yourself as well as your student in that larger community, as the partnerships we make, the relationships we build, are essential to building a more connected school experience.

I want to express how much I appreciate each and every one of you and look forward to working with you this school year. I hope you stay safe and healthy as we move into this school year.

Sincerely,

Michael Takayoshi  
Principal, Cascade High School  
[Mtakayoshi@everettsd.org](mailto:Mtakayoshi@everettsd.org)

**Mark your Calendars Bruins!**

CHS Open House

Wednesday, October 6

More info to come....



# Cascade High School Arena Day!

## Thursday, September 16

### CHS Gym

What happens on Arena Day?

- **School Pictures:**
  - Students will receive school picture packets during the first week of school
  - You can find more information regarding Dorian School Pictures within this newsletter (page 9 & 10)
  - Online pre-orders for school pictures are available **now** – [Dorian Photography On-Line Orders](#)
  - Payment to Dorian is separate from any payment to CHS – reference back of picture packet or order online
- **Opportunity for purchases during Arena Day:**
  - ASB Card - \$45
  - Yearbook - \$60 (with current ASB card) or \$70 (without current ASB card)
  - Student Parking Pass - \$25 (with current ASB card) or \$40 (without current ASB card). Completed [parking permit form](#) with copies of a driver's license and current insurance must be turned in at time of purchase. **Student must provide copies – office will not make copies for parking permits.**
  - Opportunity to pay any unpaid fines/fee from prior school years
  - Items can be purchased with cash, check, or credit card (*we will have credit card stations set-up during Arena Day*)
  - **If student has an unpaid fine/fee from current or prior school years, it must be paid to purchase a yearbook or parking permit**
- **Yearbook Prices and Sales Timeline:**
  - \$60 with current ASB card until September 17<sup>th</sup>
  - All yearbook purchases after September 17<sup>th</sup> will be \$70, regardless of ASB status
  - Yearbook sales will reopen in December and June for 2 weeks each

Students will be released for pictures during a class period. All students will receive a CHS ID card during Arena Day. If a student has purchased an ASB card the ID card will have the ASB notation on the card, if ASB is purchased after September 16<sup>th</sup>, then the Treasurer's office will place a sticker on the ID card.

All CHS items can be purchased before Arena Day online – [ASB Card](#), [Yearbook](#), [Parking](#).

*\*\*School picture retakes will be Thursday, October 21<sup>st</sup> during both lunches. Students **must** return original picture packet to Dorian on retake day to have new picture taken\*\**

CASCADE BRUINS



## Cascade Athletics

Fall sports season is off and running! Football started on August 18<sup>th</sup> and all other sports started on August 23<sup>rd</sup>. We are excited to welcome all of our student athletes back onto campus. We are currently looking for more students to join our fall sports programs. It's not too late! The following sports still have spots available: Football, Boys Tennis, Boys and Girls Cross Country, Girls Soccer, and Girls Swim. Whether you're a long-time athlete or new to the sports scene, we encourage you to join a team. It's a great way to meet new people and create positive experiences and memories. You can sign up on Rank One. If you have questions about joining a sport you can email Rhonda Covert ([rcovert@everettsd.org](mailto:rcovert@everettsd.org)) or Scott Stencil ([sstencil@everettsd.org](mailto:sstencil@everettsd.org))

A belated congratulations to our state champion cheer squad! They took home the state title last spring. Outstanding work!

We look forward to welcoming fans at our sports events this fall. Currently, masks are optional at all outdoor events. Masks are required at all indoor events. We will keep you updated as these requirements change daily.

Be sure to check our athletics website with links to all of our sports programs for information about each program. <https://www.everettsd.org/domain/138>

You can also follow us on Twitter: @CHSsports\_Evt

Mike Washington – Athletic Director  
Rhonda Covert – Athletic Secretary  
Scott Stencil – Athletic Coordinator

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## Laptop Checkout Information

All CHS students should have a school-issued laptop for their use in class during the 2021-22 school year. Devices can be checked out once school starts on the 8<sup>th</sup>. More information will be provided by your teachers during the first few days.

Students also have two more days before school starts to check out a laptop here on campus. It takes about ten minutes total and includes initial login on campus (required). Students can report directly to the library windows that lead to the courtyard. Students must have a signed [Student Technology Use agreement](#) to check out a laptop.



**Wednesday, September 1<sup>st</sup>, 10am-1pm**

**Thursday, September 2<sup>nd</sup>, 10am-1pm**



# 2021-22 Yearbook Senior Due Dates!



\*Senior Portraits are due before: **November 14<sup>th</sup>**

\*Senior Quotes are due before: **November 21<sup>st</sup>**

\*Senior Grad Ads are due before: **March 6<sup>th</sup>**

[Yearbook website](#)

## Welcome to the New Bruin Staff!

Tayloe Berrian ~ Para Educator  
 Eric Bigenwald ~ Math  
 Kristi Conser ~ Records Secretary  
 Natasha Cox ~ Science  
 Ibrahim Hafid ~ Para Educator  
 Anne Jensen ~ Counseling  
 Kaitlin Kalkward ~ Psychology  
 Rebekah Lee ~ Para Educator  
 Nicole Mansfield ~ Para Educator  
 Rachel Mansfield ~ Socioal Studies

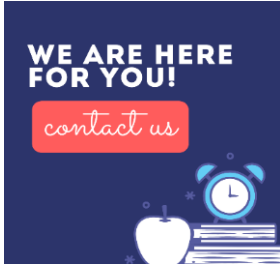
Katherine Mayan ~ Assistant Principal  
 Terri McAlister ~ Resource & Goal  
 Cheryl Mercer ~ Library Secretary  
 Derik Radcliffe ~ Para Educator  
 Pam Richards ~ Counseling  
 Katie Robles ~ Math  
 Jeannette Siemers ~ Assistant Principal  
 Donna Spencer ~ GOAL  
 Luther Stohs ~ Para Educator  
 Ellen Winningham ~ Psychology

## First Day of School Supplies

Each teacher will be providing students with a course syllabus, that will include specific supplies based on the course. All students will have a district device and textbooks will be distributed with your classes at the textbook distribution room.

For the first day of school please bring paper, pen/pencil and your Bruin Pride!





The Cascade Counseling Office is available to support you during school hours 7 am–2:30 pm. If you would like to speak to your counselor or a counseling support staff member, please let us know. You may email your counselor or counseling support staff directly or you may call the counseling office at 425-385-6010. If your need is urgent outside of school hours, please contact the 24 Hour Care Crisis Line (VOA) 425-258-4357 or 911.

**Counselors:**

Jason Himstedt	A-Co	<a href="mailto:jhimstedt@everettsd.org">jhimstedt@everettsd.org</a>	385-6024
Debbie Wade	Cr-Hur	<a href="mailto:dwade@everettsd.org">dwade@everettsd.org</a>	385-6021
Anne Jensen	Hus-Mor	<a href="mailto:ajensen@everettsd.org">ajensen@everettsd.org</a>	385-6023
San Le	Mos-San	<a href="mailto:sle@everettsd.org">sle@everettsd.org</a>	385-6022
Pam Richards	Sao-Z	<a href="mailto:prichards@everettsd.org">prichards@everettsd.org</a>	385-6025

**Support Staff:**

Leslie Brent	Student Support Advocate	<a href="mailto:lbrent2@everettsd.org">lbrent2@everettsd.org</a>	385-6017
Stacey Cole	Success Coordinator – OTG	<a href="mailto:scole@everettsd.org">scole@everettsd.org</a>	385-6027
Debbie Mehaffey	Counseling & Discipline Secretary	<a href="mailto:dmehaffey@everettsd.org">dmehaffey@everettsd.org</a>	385-6010
Sandra Olson	Intervention Specialist	<a href="mailto:solson2@everettsd.org">solson2@everettsd.org</a>	385-6013
Trish Roberts	College & Career Specialist Para	<a href="mailto:troberts@everettsd.org">troberts@everettsd.org</a>	385-6030
Kris Vasquez	Academic Support Para	<a href="mailto:kvasquez@everettsd.org">kvasquez@everettsd.org</a>	385-6049

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## Looking for Clothing Assistance?



**Operation School Bell** is a philanthropic program of the Assistance League. This program provides clothing to student who demonstrate need and attend school regularly. Operation School Bell is a non-profit program, totally run by volunteers and is not tax supported or government sponsored. Operation School Bell is by appointment only. Please contact Leslie Brent, Student Support Advocate (425-385-6017) or Debbie Mehaffey, Counseling & Discipline Secretary (425-385-6010).

**Clothes for Kids** is a similar organization located in Lynnwood. This program provides clothing to student who demonstrate need and attend school regularly. Clothes for Kids is by appointment only. Shopping dates are 8/2/21 – 5/27/22. Please contact Leslie Brent, Student Support Advocate (425-385-6017) or Debbie Mehaffey, Counseling & Discipline Secretary (425-385-6010).



# CASCADE CLOTHING COMPANY

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 SPIRIT ITEMS

Visit our website for more details:  
[HTTPS://WWW.EVERETTSCHOOLSDISTRICTS.ORG/PAGE/39055](https://www.everettschoolsdistricts.org/page/39055)




**CASCADE ROBOTICS  
PLANNING TO BE AN  
ENGINEER?**



**JOIN TODAY**

**OTTER CHAOS** **Team 4512**

Hey Cascade! The robotics team is currently recruiting new members. If you are interested in STEM or just want something to do after school, feel free to join us after school on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 3:00 - 6:00 pm. You do not need any experience to join!

Also stay tuned the week that school starts since the robotics team will be on KOMO News! Thank you to Ryan Yamamoto for this opportunity.

If you have any questions, you can email our coaches at [NPalachuk@everettsd.org](mailto:NPalachuk@everettsd.org) and [SKnoefler@everettsd.org](mailto:SKnoefler@everettsd.org). You can also DM us on Instagram at @otterchaos4512

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**9:00 AM - 11:00 AM  
(BEFORE SCHOOL STARTS)  
AND  
2:15 PM - 4:00 PM  
(ONCE SCHOOL STARTS)**

**For more information:  
<https://www.everettsd.org/Page/6601>**





# Dorian®

## Picture Day is Coming for Your School!

*¡El día de la foto llegará pronto a su escuela!*



## Cascade High School

You have the ability to order pictures online by visiting [dorianstudio.com](http://dorianstudio.com) and searching for your school's name.

Your online order can be placed before and up to four (4) days after picture day.

*Los padres pueden ordenar fotos en línea en [dorianstudio.com](http://dorianstudio.com) buscando el nombre de su escuela. Su pedido en línea se puede realizar antes y hasta cuatro (4) días después del día de la foto.*

After the 4-day grace period expires, a personalized access key will be sent home with picture delivery. A \$7 shipping and handling fee will be added to all orders made with a personalized access key and orders will ship directly to your home. *DESPUÉS DE QUE EXPIRE EL PERÍODO DE GRACIA DE 4 DÍAS: Un código de acceso personalizado le será enviado a su hogar con sus pedidos. Estas órdenes incluyen una tarifa de \$7 de envío.*



## Here are some tips to make picture day great!

*Aquí tiene algunos consejos para hacer de día de la foto un gran día.*



### Schedule haircuts

7-10 days prior to picture day is best!

***Programe los cortes de cabello.***

*Es el mejor 7 a 10 días antes del día de la foto!*



### Simple Clothing

Solid shirts or small patterns, along with sleeves, photograph best. A simple collared shirt is a timeless classic.

***Ropa sencilla.***

*Las camisas sólidas o los diseños pequeños junto con las mangas fotografían mejor. Una camisa sencilla con cuellos es una prenda clásica que siempre queda bien.*



### Logo and Text

Graphics or wording may not photograph completely and become partially cropped out of your picture.

***Logos y texto.***

*Es posible que los gráficos y los textos no sean captados completamente o se vean cortados en la foto.*

### Questions?

Call our Customer Advocate Department at (800) 826-3535.



## College Entrance Exam Dates 2021-2022

\*\*\*\*Dates subject to change or cancellation due to covid19 pandemic\*\*\*\*

### ACT TEST DATES

Register at [www.act.org](http://www.act.org)

Test Date	Registration Deadline	Late Deadline
September 11, 2021	August 6, 2021	No late fees
October 23, 2021	September 17, 2021	October 1, 2021
December 11, 2021	November 5, 2021	November 19, 2021
February 12, 2022	January 7, 2022	January 21, 2022
April 2, 2022	February 25, 2022	March 11, 2022
June 11, 2022	May 6, 2022	May 20, 2022
July 16, 2022	June 17, 2022	June 24, 2022

### SAT TEST DATES

Register at [www.collegeboard.org](http://www.collegeboard.org)

SATURDAY Test Date	Registration Deadline	Late Fee Deadlines (online - phone)
August 28, 2021	July 30, 2021	August 17, 2021
October 2, 2021	September 3, 2021	September 21, 2021
November 6, 2021	October 8, 2021	October 26, 2021
December 4, 2021	November 4, 2021	November 23, 2021
March 12, 2022	February 11, 2022	March 1, 2022
May 7, 2022	April 8, 2022	April 26, 2022
June 4, 2022	May 5, 2022	May 25, 2022

CLASSES OF 2017 AND BEYOND*		
SUBJECT	SAT	ACT
Math	430	16
ELA*	410	14
Science	Not required for graduation	

- ✓ The ACT & SAT exams are approved State Graduation Pathways and can be used for credit recovery as well.
- ✓ Contact the Assessment Success Coordinator for assessment graduation requirements or your Counselor.

\* Students must take the SAT with Essay or the ACT with Writing exams to generate ELA scores for graduation pathway..



# JOIN BCP

Are you a parent of a student at Cascade High School?

**What does my \$20-\$25 annual membership do?**

BCP is a PTO (Parent/Teacher Organization) and all membership dues stay within the organization.

BCP uses dues, donations and fundraising for:

Invest ED, staff/student grant requests,  
staff appreciation and most importantly,

**The Bruin Community Parents Opportunity Scholarship Award.**

Despite distance learning, the needs are still there and the only way BCP can continue to offer our support is through YOUR membership fees and donations.

For more information about BCP,  
how to become a member or donate please go to the website or email:  
<https://chsbcp1.wixsite.com/website> OR [chs.bcp@gmail.com](mailto:chs.bcp@gmail.com)



# Strategic Plan refresh

The Everett School district has a refreshed strategic plan for 2021-26. This ambitious, exciting and comprehensive effort will guide Everett Public Schools for the next five years and aims to bring everyone together to meet the needs of all students. The mission, vision and core values remain unchanged.



**Mission** – To inspire, educate and prepare each student to achieve to high standards, contribute to our community and thrive in a global society.

**Vision** – Our students will lead and shape the future. They will be well-rounded, healthy and flexible thinkers with a global perspective who can access resources and collaborate. They will demonstrate empathy, pride and advocacy for self, school and community while respecting the diversity and worth of others. They will acquire the knowledge, attitudes and skills to adapt to the emerging needs of a changing world.

Six **Priority Student Outcomes** are agreed upon targets for 2021-26 and will be achieved through six strategic priorities.



Each **Strategic Priority** has initiatives created for the first year of the strategic plan. These 2021-22 initiatives will help meet the theme goals which will ultimately help the district achieve our Priority Student Outcomes. Each initiative is assigned a sponsor, an owner and team members.

Follow Strategic Plan progress at <https://www.everettsd.org/StrategicPlan>





## 2021-22 Calendar

The 2021-22 calendar was part of our contract negotiations this year and was ratified in late August. The Student Art Calendar will be distributed through your student's school when it is available.



## Meals free 2021-22 school year



Along with returning to 100% in-person this fall, we are also able to continue serving FREE meals to all children until June 30, 2022! Free meals are available this school year for all on-site students! The meal program is federally funded, and meal costs are reimbursed by the USDA. To find out the menu for breakfast and lunch at your student's school, please visit the food and nutrition website on [everettsd.org](http://everettsd.org).

**Families who qualify for Free and Reduced Meals should still complete an annual application form.** Approved free and reduced applications help fund other programs and can also help waive other fees for your family. Applications are available online or at your student's school.

## Attendance procedures

We look forward to seeing your child at school every day. Regular school attendance is important, and we will work with you to ensure your child is present to benefit from an excellent education. If your child is absent, please email the school at their attendance email address, which you can find on the school website.



If email is not possible, and even if you leave a message with the school attendance line, please send a written note to the school office within 30 days after your student returns to school.

## 2021-22 Immunization Records

As a reminder as of August 1, 2020, a change in state immunization rules has affected two areas of immunization compliance:

- The definition of "conditional status" has been clarified. **Students must turn in their immunization paperwork on or before the first day of in-person learning.**
- All new immunization records from students need to be **medically verified**.

A medically verified record includes one or more of the following and can be submitted by email to

[EPS.BuildingRN.MailList@everettsd.org](mailto:EPS.BuildingRN.MailList@everettsd.org):

- A Certificate of Immunization Status (CIS) printed from the Immunization Information System
- A physical copy of the CIS with a healthcare provider signature
- A physical copy of the CIS accompanying medical immunization records from a healthcare provider verified and signed by school staff
- A CIS printed from your MyIR account.



## Access your family's immunization information

To access your family's immunization information from the Washington State registry visit, sign up for [MyIR](#) to view, download and print your student's immunization records securely online. Once you register, you can access the records anytime you need them. You can print your child's Certificate of Immunization Status for school, childcare and camp programs.

## Ways to stay in touch and stay connected

On the communications department webpage, you can sign up for [InTouch](#) announcements and school board meeting agenda highlights delivered to your email box twice monthly. You can also follow us on [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#) and [Instagram](#).

Visit our social media directory at [www.everettsd.org/socialmediadirectory](http://www.everettsd.org/socialmediadirectory) to follow along with school pages, district pages, teachers, clubs, teachers, student groups, and more. Stay connected with us to learn the latest news! We can't wait to see you there!



Everett Public Schools believes communication with parents and the community is very important. One resource available for families is our “Stay Connected” chart, which will show you the different ways you can regularly keep informed. Visit the communications overview page on the district's website at [www.everettsd.org/communications](http://www.everettsd.org/communications) to download your copy.



Please also make sure your student's school has your updated contact information so the district can communicate effectively with you.

## Have you downloaded our mobile app?

News and information about our schools are as close as your smartphone. Download and log into the district app to access your student's info quickly and easily. See top stories, Parent University, Canvas, books checked out from the library, and find the staff directory, school websites, calendars and more.

Available for Apple and Android devices and can be downloaded in 3 easy steps:

1. On your smartphone, go to the iTunes App Store® or Google Play®
2. Search **Everett Public Schools**
3. Then select our app for free download

Once you've downloaded the app, log in to “student info” with your LMS password to see student-specific information for each of your children. Read content in one of many languages available in the settings.





# What Every Parent Needs to Know video series



The Everett PTSA Council collaborated with Everett Public Schools staff and Washington Family Engagement to develop video resources for families which provide fundamental information to navigate school systems, advocate for their student(s), and actively participate in public education.

The project of five videos, entitled "What Every Parent Needs to Know," provides an overview of topics that parents felt were essential for building a foundation for authentic parent and family engagement. Video topics include: Student Education Rights, Get Engaged in Your Children's Education, What to Do About Bullying, Advocating for Your Student and Understanding Public Schools.

The initial material was created by Washington Family Engagement and further reviewed by parent and community groups, as well as Everett School District staff, to ensure accuracy, relevancy, and access. The videos were recorded by various district staff and are available on the district's Parent University webpage, with translations recorded and available in Spanish, and subtitles in Russian, Vietnamese, and Arabic.

# Care Solace resource



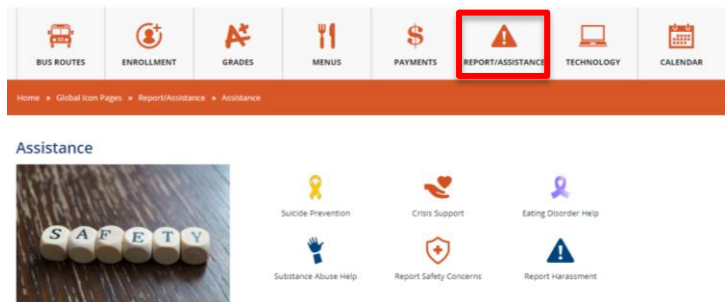
Everett Public Schools fosters a culture that promotes the health, safety and well-being of students, parents and staff. To continuously support this commitment, the district has partnered with **Care Solace**.

Care Solace is an [online resource](#) with a live 24/7 concierge meant to assist individuals in finding local mental health-related programs and counseling services. Care Solace is a tool for school staff and families to connect with community-based mental healthcare resources and providers. Their proprietary care navigation system taps into a vast database of mental healthcare resources to find carefully vetted local therapists and programs in minutes. Care Solace is available for use by district families and staff at no cost.

# New assistance icon on website

The district's main webpage has a new icon, "report/assistance," with resources and assistance for students and families on:

- Suicide Prevention
- Crisis Support
- Eating Disorder Help
- Substance Abuse Help
- Report Safety Concerns
- Report Harassment







## ECEAP preschool accepting applications for 2021-22

Everett Public Schools Early Childhood Education & Assistance Program (ECEAP) is a FREE preschool program for three- and four-year-old children from families with limited income. ECEAP prepares children for kindergarten and provides family support and health and nutrition services. It is funded by the Washington State Department of Early Learning.

The six ECEAP sites within our school district are Cedar Wood, Garfield, Hawthorne, Lowell, Madison, and Silver Lake elementary schools. Space is limited – apply early! For an application or more information, please visit the [district ECEAP website](#) or call 425-385-4628.

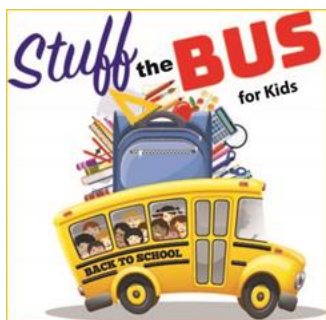


## Kids in Transition program

Kids in Transition (KIT) program supports students who qualify as homeless under the federal [McKinney-Vento Homeless Act](#). Students without a fixed, regular, and adequate nighttime residence may qualify. The KIT program works to eliminate barriers to students' academic success and extra-curricular involvement. We ensure students experiencing homelessness have access to free school meals, school supplies, and uniforms. KIT can help students access extended day or summer school classes and provide access to tutoring when needed. The KIT Program can also cover fees required to take part in activities such as school-sponsored sports, clubs, and required class fees. KIT transports eligible students to maintain school stability, as long as the commute is in the best interest of the student. Last year, Everett Public Schools served over 1,100 homeless students at some time during the school year. For more information, visit the [KIT website](#) or contact the KIT Program at 425-385-4032.



## Backpacks for students in need



Do you know a family who might be in need this year? Stuff the Bus for Kids ensures each child in Everett Public Schools starts the school year prepared to learn. In August, the EPS Foundation delivered over 2,000 backpacks, filled with school supplies, and are making them available to any Everett Public School student who may need extra assistance.

Students in need of a backpack, please reach out to your school to receive your supplies. Backpacks are available for pick up at each school.



## Student opportunities and activities eflyers




We use *Peachjar* to email approved flyers from community organizations to parents and guardians. Schools also post those flyers on their websites. Look for the Peachjar button in the *Quicklinks* section of your school home page to see those flyers. You can also register there to have those flyers delivered to your email address if you aren't already receiving them.



## Safety tip line

Do you or your student have a concern about someone experiencing bullying or harassment? **Report it!** You can talk directly with your school's office or you can call, text or email your concern.

If there is reason for concern about safety on a designated walkway to school, call 9-1-1 immediately for authorized, quick help. We have strong partnerships with local law enforcement who share our interest in safe schools and neighborhoods. Student safety is a priority for all of us. Working together, we can help make our neighborhoods and schools nurturing places for students to safely learn and grow.

<p><b>3 easy ways</b></p> <p>Text or call   855-637-2095</p> <p> 1350@alert1.us</p> <p> <a href="https://everett-wa.safeschoolsalert.com">https://everett-wa.safeschoolsalert.com</a></p>	<p>FOR EMERGENCIES, PLEASE CALL <b>911!</b></p>
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## Access to public records

District records are public records. Parents and other citizens have the right to ask to view or have copies of records defined as "public" under state and federal laws. These include parents' and legal guardians' student's records and records about discipline of school employees.

The district's general counsel office handles public records requests. Request records by writing to that office at PO Box 2098, Everett, WA 98213, sending an email request to [publicrecords@everettsd.org](mailto:publicrecords@everettsd.org), or calling 425-385-4150.

## Your student's records are confidential

Everett Public Schools is serious about protecting student records and privacy. The district uses multiple security measures to safeguard student transcripts and other education-related records. Only those teachers, administrators and other staff members who work directly with students (and have an educational need to know) have access to individual student records. Staff members are required to maintain confidentiality of all information in a student's records.

## Register to vote!

It's easy! You can register online at <http://bit.ly/VoteRegistration> or stop by your school office to pick up paper registration materials.



## Job opportunities!

Everett Public Schools is hiring many positions. Please share with friends and family who may be interested in joining our team. Visit [www.everettsd.org/jobs](http://www.everettsd.org/jobs) for jobs posted and how to apply.

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# Actualización del Plan Estratégico

Las Escuelas Públicas de Everett tienen un plan estratégico actualizado para el 2021-26. Este esfuerzo integral, ambicioso y emocionante servirá como guía para las Escuelas Públicas de Everett para los próximos cinco años con la intención de juntar a todos a satisfacer las necesidades de todos los estudiantes. La misión, visión y valores básicos se mantienen intactos.



**Misión** – Inspirar, educar y preparar a cada uno de los estudiantes a que logren alcanzar altos estándares, contribuyan a nuestra comunidad y prosperen en una sociedad global.

**Visión** – Nuestros estudiantes dirigirán y darán forma al futuro. Serán personas integrales, saludables y pensadores flexibles con una perspectiva global capaces de acceder a recursos y a la colaboración. Demostrarán empatía, orgullo y abogarán por ellos mismos, la escuela y la comunidad respetando la diversidad y valor de los demás. Adquieran el conocimiento, actitudes y destrezas para poder adaptarse a las necesidades emergentes de un mundo cambiante.

Se acordaron **seis resultados estudiantiles** para el 2021-26 que serán alcanzados a través de seis prioridades estratégicas.



Cada **prioridad estratégica** tiene iniciativas creadas para el primer año del plan. Estas iniciativas 2021-22 ayudarán a satisfacer las metas temáticas que ultimadamente ayudarán al distrito a lograr nuestros resultados estudiantiles prioritarios. Cada iniciativa está asignada a un patrocinador, un dueño y a los miembros del equipo.

Siga el progreso del Plan Estratégico en <https://www.everettsd.org/StrategicPlan>





## Calendario 2021-22

El calendario 2021-22 fue parte de nuestras negociaciones contractuales este año y fue ratificado a fines de agosto. El Calendario de Arte del Estudiante se distribuirá a través de la escuela de su estudiante cuando esté disponible a fines de septiembre.



## Comidas gratis para el año escolar 2021-22



Junto con el retorno a clases 100% presencial este otoño, también continuaremos sirviendo comidas GRATUITAS a todos los niños y niña, ¡hasta el 30 de junio de 2022! Este año, las comidas gratuitas están disponibles para todos los estudiantes presenciales! El programa de comidas está financiado federalmente, y los costos de las comidas son reembolsados por la USDA. Para consultar el menú para desayunos y almuerzos de la escuela de su estudiante, por favor visite el sitio web de alimentos y nutrición en

everettsd.org. **Las familias que califican para recibir comidas gratuitas y de precio reducido, deben aún completar su formulario de solicitud anual.** Las solicitudes aprobadas ayudan a financiar a otros programas y pueden también ayudar a exentar cuotas para otras familias. Las solicitudes están disponibles en línea o en la escuela de su estudiante.

## Procedimientos de asistencia

Esperamos con gusto poder ver a su hijo o hija todos los días en la escuela. La asistencia escolar es importante, y vamos a trabajar con ustedes para asegurarnos que su hijo/a estén presentes y se beneficien de una excelente educación. Si su hijo/a van estar ausentes, por favor envíe un email a la escuela al correo electrónico de asistencias que lo puede encontrar en el sitio web escolar.



Si no puede mandar un email e incluso si deja un mensaje en la línea de asistencia escolar, por favor también envíe una nota por escrito a la oficina escolar dentro de los primeros 30 días de que su estudiante regreso a la escuela.

## Registros de inmunización 2021-22

Como recordatorio, desde el 1 de agosto de 2020, un cambio en los reglamentos estatales de inmunizaciones ha afectado dos áreas de cumplimiento:

- Se ha aclarado la definición de “estado condicional”. **Los estudiantes deben entregar sus documentos de inmunización antes del primer de asistir a su aprendizaje en persona.**
- Todos los nuevos registros de inmunizaciones de los estudiantes necesitan ser **verificados medicamente.**

Un registro verificado medicamente incluye una o más de las siguientes opciones y pueden ser enviadas por email a

[EPS.BuildingRN.MailList@everettsd.org](mailto:EPS.BuildingRN.MailList@everettsd.org):

- Un certificado impreso del estado de inmunización (CIS) del sistema de información de inmunizaciones.
- Una copia física del certificado CIS con la firma de un proveedor de atención médica.



- Una copia física del certificado CIS acompañado de los registros de inmunizaciones por parte de un proveedor de atención médica verificado y firmado por el personal escolar.
- Un certificado CIS impreso de su cuenta en MyIR.

## Acceso a la información de inmunización de su familia

Para acceder a la información de inmunizaciones de su familia en los registros del estado de Washington, regístrese a [MyIR](#) para poder consultar, descargar e imprimir los registros de inmunizaciones o vacunas de manera segura y en línea. Una vez que esté registrada, podrá acceder a estos registros cuando los necesite. Puede imprimir el certificado del estado de inmunización para la escuela, la guardería y los campamentos.

## Maneras en que mantenerse al tanto y estar conectado

En la página del departamento de comunicaciones se puede registrar a [InTouch](#) para recibir anuncios y los puntos destacados de la junta escolar directo a su email dos veces al mes. Puede también seguirnos en [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#) e [Instagram](#).

Visite nuestro directorio de redes sociales en [www.everettsd.org/socialmediadirectory](http://www.everettsd.org/socialmediadirectory) para seguir las páginas escolares, distritales, de los maestros, clubs, grupos estudiantiles y más. ¡Manténgase conectado con nosotros para enterarse de las últimas noticias! ¡Estamos emocionados de podernos conectar con usted!



En las Escuelas Públicas de Everett creemos que la comunicación con los padres y la comunidad son muy importantes. Uno de los recursos disponibles es nuestra tabla de “Stay Connected”, que le permite mantenerse informado regularmente de varias maneras. Visite la página de información general del sitio web del distrito en [www.everettsd.org/communications](http://www.everettsd.org/communications) para que descargue una copia.

Por favor también asegúrese que la escuela de su estudiante cuenta con la información más actualizada de usted para podernos comunicar con usted de manera más efectiva.

**STAY CONNECTED**



## ¿Ya descargó nuestra app móvil?

Las noticias e información sobre nuestras escuelas están a la mano de su Smartphone. Descargue e ingrese la aplicación del distrito para acceder rápida y fácilmente a la información de su estudiante. Entérese de las noticias más relevantes, la universidad para padres, Canvas, saque libros de la biblioteca y consulte el directorio del personal escolar, los sitios web escolares, calendarios y más.

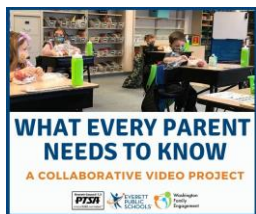
La aplicación está disponible para Apple y Android y la puede descargar en 3 pasos sencillos:

4. Vaya en su Smartphone a iTunes App Store® o Google Play®
5. Busque **Everett Public Schools**
6. Luego seleccione nuestra app gratuita para descargarla



Una vez que haya descargado la app, ingrese a “student info” con su contraseña de LMS para consultar información específica de cada uno de sus estudiantes. Lea el contenido en una de los muchos idiomas disponibles en la opción de configuración (settings) de la app.

## Video serie “Lo que cada padre de familia debe saber”



El consejo PTSA de Everett junto con el personal de las Escuelas Públicas de Everett y Washington Family Engagement colaboraron para desarrollar recursos en video para las familias que ofrecen información fundamental para poder navegar los sistemas escolares, abogar por sus hijos y participar activamente en la educación pública.

Esta serie de cinco videos titulada en inglés como "What Every Parent Needs to Know," ofrece una vista general de temas que los padres sintieron que son esenciales para forjar las bases para una auténtica participación de los padres y de las familias. Los temas incluyen: Derechos de la educación del estudiante; Participación en la educación de su hijo; Que hacer acerca del bullying; Abogando por su estudiante y Entendiendo las escuelas públicas.

El material inicial fue creado por Washington Family Engagement y revisado posteriormente por los padres y grupos comunitarios, así como por el personal del distrito escolar de Everett para garantizar su exactitud, relevancia y acceso. Los videos fueron grabados por varios miembros del personal del distrito y están disponibles en la página web de la Universidad para Padres, con grabaciones traducidas en español, y con subtítulos en ruso, vietnamita y árabe.

## Recurso de ayuda “Care Solace”



Las Escuelas Públicas de Everett fomentan una cultura que promueve la salud, la seguridad y el bienestar de los estudiantes, padres de familia y el personal escolar. Para poder brindar un apoyo continuo a este compromiso, el distrito se ha asociado con **Care Solace**

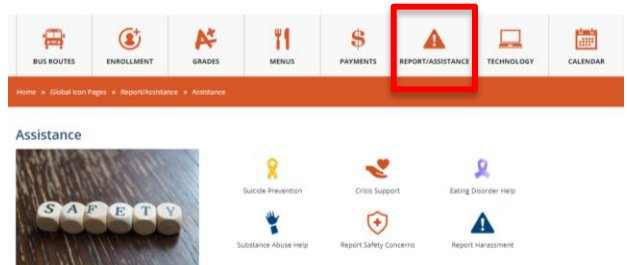


Care Solace es un [recurso de ayuda en línea](#) con un conserje en vivo 24 horas al día, 7 días a la semana para asistir a personas a que encuentren recursos y proveedores de salud mental de la comunidad. Su sistema exclusivo de navegación se conecta a una vasta base de datos de recursos de salud mental para encontrar terapeutas locales y programas cuidadosamente seleccionados en minutos. Care Solace está disponible para el uso de las familias y personal del distrito escolar sin costo alguno.

## Nuevo ícono de reporte y ayuda en el sitio web

La página principal del distrito tiene un nuevo ícono de “report/assistance” (reporte y ayuda) con recursos y asistencia para estudiantes y familias en:

- Prevención al suicidio
- Soporte para crisis
- Ayuda para trastornos alimenticios
- Ayuda para abuso de sustancias
- Reporte de problemas de seguridad
- Reporte de acosos



## Preescolar de ECEAP está aceptando solicitudes de admisión para el ciclo escolar 2021-22

El programa ECEAP (Educación Temprana y Programa de Asistencia) de las Escuelas Públicas de Everett es un programa GRATUITO de preescolar para niños de tres y cuatro años de familias con ingresos limitados. ECEAP prepara a los niños para el Kínder y ofrece apoyo a las familias así como servicios de salud y de nutrición. Es financiada por el departamento de Aprendizaje Temprano del estado de Washington.

Contamos con seis sitios de ECEAP en nuestro distrito escolar: Escuelas primarias Cedar Wood, Garfield, Hawthorne, Lowell, Madison y Silver Lake. El espacio es limitado - ¡Meta su aplicación hoy mismo! Para obtener una aplicación o más información por favor visite [el sitio web del distrito de ECEAP](#) o llame al 425-385-4628.







## Programa de “Kids in Transition” (niños en transición)

Los niños en transición (KIT) brinda soporte a los estudiantes que califican como niños o jóvenes bajo la ley federal McKinney-Vento Homeless Act. Los estudiantes que no cuenten con una residencia fija, regular o adecuada para pasar la noche pueden calificar. El programa KIT trabaja para eliminar las barreras para lograr el éxito estudiantil y la participación extracurricular. Nos aseguramos que los estudiantes que están sin hogar tengan acceso a comidas gratuitas, útiles escolares y uniformes. KIT puede ayudar a los estudiantes a acceder las clases de día extendido o la escuela de verano y darles acceso a tutorías cuando sea necesario. El programa KIT puede también cubrir las cuotas requeridas para ser parte de actividades como deportes patrocinados por la escuela, clubs y cuotas de clases requeridas. KIT transporta a estudiantes calificados para mantener su estabilidad escolar siempre y cuando el traslado sea de beneficio para el estudiante. El año pasado, las Escuelas Públicas de Everett sirvieron a más de 1,100 estudiantes sin hogar en algún punto durante el año escolar. Para más información, visite el sitio web de KIT o contacte al programa KIT al 425-385-4032.



## Mochilas para estudiantes necesitados

¿Conoce a alguna familia con necesidad este año? El programa “Stuff the Bus for Kids” se asegura que todos los alumnos de las Escuelas Públicas de Everett inicien el año escolar preparados para aprender. El mes de agosto, la fundación EPS entregó más de 2,000 mochilas llenas de artículos escolares, las cuales las puso a disposición de cualquier estudiante de las Escuelas Públicas de Everett que pudieran tener necesidad de una extra ayuda. Los estudiantes en necesidad de una mochila pueden comunicarse a su escuela para recibir los útiles. Las mochilas están disponibles para recogerse a principios de cada año escolar el 31 de agosto.

## Oportunidades y actividades para el estudiante eflyers

Usamos *Peachjar* para enviar folletos aprobados por email de organizaciones comunitarias a padres y tutores. Las escuelas también publican dichos folletos en sus sitios web. Busque el botón de Peachjar en la sección de *Quicklinks* de la página principal de su estudiante para buscar dichos folletos. También se puede registrar ahí mismo para que envíen los folletos a su email si aún no los está recibiendo.



## Línea de denuncia de seguridad

¿Usted o su estudiante tiene alguna preocupación de que alguien haya sido víctima de bullying o acoso? **¡Denúncielo!** Puede platicar directamente con el oficial de su escuela o puede llamar, enviar textos o un email con su informe.

Si está preocupado por la seguridad de algún camino designado para ir a la escuela, llame inmediatamente al 9-1-1 para recibir ayuda rápida y autorizada. Estamos fuertemente **asociados con** el orden público que comparte nuestro interés de tener escuelas y vecindarios seguros. La seguridad del estudiante es una prioridad para todos nosotros. Trabajando juntos, podemos ayudar a que nuestras comunidades y escuelas sean lugares acogedores y estimulantes para que los estudiantes aprendan y crezcan seguros.

**3 formas fáciles**

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## Para acceder a registros públicos

Los registros del distrito son registros públicos. Los padres y otros ciudadanos tienen el derecho de poder pedir ver o hacer copias de los registros definidos como “públicos” bajo las leyes estatales y federales. Esto incluye los registros de los padres y tutores legales y registros sobre la disciplina de los empleados escolares. Haga la solicitud por escrito a la oficina a PO Box 2098, Everett, WA 98213, o enviando un correo electrónico a [publicrecords@everettsd.org](mailto:publicrecords@everettsd.org), o llamando al 425-385-4150.

## Los registros de su estudiante son confidenciales

Las Escuelas Públicas de Everett toman muy en serio la protección y privacidad de los registros estudiantiles. El distrito usa medidas múltiples para salvaguardar los registros estudiantiles y otros registros de educación. Solamente los maestros, administradores y otros miembros del personal escolar que trabajan directamente con el estudiante (y tienen la necesidad educativa de saber) tienen acceso a los registros académicos personales del estudiante. Los miembros del personal tienen la obligación de mantener la confidencialidad de toda la información en los registros del estudiante.

## ¡Regístrese para votar!

¡Es fácil! Puede registrarse en línea en <http://bit.ly/VoteRegistration> o pasar a la oficina de su escuela para recoger los materiales para registrarse.

## ¡Oportunidades de trabajo!

Las Escuelas Públicas de Everett están contratando para varios puestos. Por favor comparta con amigos y familiares que puedan estar interesados en unirse a nuestro equipo. Visite [www.everettsd.org/jobs](http://www.everettsd.org/jobs) para consultar los puestos que se ofrecen y cómo aplicar.

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