



Welcome Back Information

Welcome to the **2020-2021 school year** at Everett High School (EHS), the School of Champions and **Home of the Seagulls!** We are so excited to meet each of you and we want to provide you with an at-a-glance document for beginning this year “in the know”. We can’t wait to see what you bring to the flock! See our latest principal’s video message [here](#). Also, stay up to date by visiting our [website](#) often.

Counseling and Schedules

Schedules were released Monday, August 31st at 8 am. They can be accessed on the Home Access Center (HAC) link [here](#). Requests for schedule changes can be made **if** you are missing a class, **if** you are a senior who is missing a course for graduation, or **if** you don’t have the prerequisite for a class on your schedule. Requests for schedule changes must be done **online only** by clicking [here](#). Please do not email the counselors with requests--this form gets to them much quicker, we promise!

School Structure and Bell Schedule

We are beginning the year in 100% distance learning mode. The schedule** for fall distance learning days is [here](#). Your **first day of school** will be September 9th, and you begin **by logging in to Canvas** through our website at the beginning of each period. **Important note: for the first three days of school (September 9th, 10th and 11th), we will begin on a **2.5 hour reduced schedule** to allow parents and students time to meet and conference with their teachers. You **will receive the specific schedule** from the school next week about where to go during these times.

Technology

Each EHS student needs a device to access content. We realize some of you have some awesome laptops and devices at home, but they won’t work with your classes. Please be sure you have an EHS device, and that you log in to update before the first day of school. If you need help with technology, please click [here](#). If you do not have a device, please email Eric Jennings [here](#).

All of your classes will be run through CANVAS. The pathway to CANVAS is
[EHS website](#)→ Students tab→ CANVAS tile

Textbooks and other supplies

We will distribute textbooks, free backpacks and other supplies from 3 pm to 7 pm each day on the following days: September 14th, 15th, and 16th. Not ALL classes will have a physical textbook; your teacher will let you know if you need a textbook. Expect more communication about these days soon.

Communication

We want our students to feel connected and have a strong sense of belonging at EHS and this starts with **great communication**. We will communicate in multiple modes: the **website, email, CANVAS, Youtube** (channel Amanda Overly) **Twitter** (@EPS_EverettHS), **Instagram** (@we.are.everett), Blackboard connect calls and text, **Remind, Google Voice**, and plain old phone calls. Be sure you are connected to us and that we have your most **updated information**. If you need to update your contact information, please follow [these instructions](#) or you can call the school at 425-385-4400. If you feel that you aren’t receiving the communication you need to be successful, email Principal Overly directly at aoverly@everettsd.org. Remember, find your voice at EHS!

We are Everett!