From the Principal

I know that you are all aware of what is going on regarding the recent health concerns. Please know that the district continues to monitor the situation while working closely with the Snohomish County Health Department. Updates and alerts will be provided by the district on a regular basis.

Registration Season

March means our students will be registering for next year’s classes. Counselors will be meeting with each student individually to ensure students select an interesting and challenging set of courses that also meet the graduation requirements as well each students High School and Beyond plan. Full information about our course offerings, graduation requirements, and the registration process can be accessed through this [LINK](http://www.everettsd.org/everetths) or by visiting our website.

8th Grade Parent Night on March 3 at 5:30 in the Auditorium

We will be holding our 8th Grade Parent Night on Tuesday, March 3 at 5:30 in the auditorium. We will provide information about the Everett High School program, including the registration process, Medical Pathways, Advanced Placement and College in the High School classes, clubs, activities, athletics, and more. Help your students start strong by learning about the School of Champions!

4th Annual AP Roadshow on March 3 at 5:30 in the Library

Did you know that students can not only receive college credit, but additional high school credit as well when they take an AP course and are successful on the exam? One of the best ways to help lower college costs, and ensure success in college, is by taking AP course while in high school. Come learn from current students and teachers about AP and which courses might fit best into your high school plans.

Medical Pathways at EHS – Information at AP Roadshow

With state capital funds, the district has been able to begin modernization of the Everett High School’s Vocational Building in support of the launch of the medical and health careers pathway program. With these funds, the district was able to modernize two existing
classrooms into medical simulation labs and four existing classrooms into STEM labs. With the ability to start this modernization, the school district is able to offer an exciting opportunity to next year’s Juniors and Seniors. Our Medical and Health Careers Pathway program hosted at Everett High School will be offering a new 3 period, full year course called Fundamentals of Patient Care that will be occurring at Everett High School in our newly renovated Medical and Health Careers Pathway space. This intensive course is for students to explore the challenging and exciting career possibilities in healthcare as well as prepare students to work with patients to provide the highest level of patient care by offering hands-on, patient-oriented training.

Students will have opportunities to earn certifications and attend clinical internships in health care facilities. Patient care skills learned in this class will include taking vital signs, helping patients exercise, dress and bathe, infection control, and supporting social and mental health needs. Students will be preparing to take the Nursing Assistant state exam. Nursing Assistant is an entry-level position in healthcare that provides experience in the medical field. It can be the first step toward other medical careers including physician, nurse, therapist, or technician. Interested students should visit www.everettsd.org/CTE for more information and the application to the program lottery or see their local school counselor.

**Everett High PTA/Blue & Gold Auction Saturday, March 21 at the EVCC Fitness Center**

The annual Everett high school PTA/Blue & Gold auction will be held on Saturday, **March 21 from 5:00 PM – 9:30 PM** at the Everett community College Fitness Center, located at 2206 Tower Street in Everett. Dinner will be provided, with beverages available for purchase. Please note that this is a 21 and over event. We have two silent auctions, with close to 100 items in each silent auction and we have a live auction with about 25-30 great items. Weekend getaways, wheel barrows of beverages, fishing trips, quilts, art work, a pig roast, theater tickets and signed Seahawks memorabilia are just some of the live auction items we have had in the past. This is a great event that is sure to liven up your Saturday night. Come out for a great night and support EHS with each winning bid. We hope to see you there! Tickets are on sale now at: [http://bit.ly/38SFidT](http://bit.ly/38SFidT)

**SAT on Wednesday, March 4 at 7:30 AM for All Juniors**

All juniors will be taking the SAT on March 4. Please makes sure your student gets a good night of sleep, and that they are in their assigned room and ready at 7:30 am. There is no cost for this exam, and scores will be available approximately 4 weeks after the testing day. Please see attached flyer with full information.

**Bond Information – Remember to Vote on April 28!**

On April 28, residents in the Everett School District have the opportunity to make a decision on a bond measure for our schools. This $317.4 million capital bond will help ensure equitable access and opportunities for all students, increase safety and security, fund facilities and tools necessary for STEM career pathways, and ensure students have enough room to learn by adding permanent classrooms throughout the district. All of the projects on this $317.4 million capital bond can be accomplished without an increase to your school district tax rate. Currently you pay $4.87 per $1,000 assessed value on your home. If this bond passes, you will be paying $4.79 per $1,000 assessed value on your home. After talking with many of you, I know you are interested in the facts about the upcoming bond so you can make an informed decision when you vote. You especially want to know how the levy will impact our programs here at Everett High. If this bond passes, Everett High School we will have some major improvements, including:

- Replacing locksets and keying system (safety)
- Upgrade after hours intrusion detection security system (safety)
- Upgrade fire alarm system in science building (safety)
- Install access control system (safety)
- Install security fencing (safety)
- Modernize Vocational Building for Medical & Health Careers Pathway (STEM)
• Modernize classrooms and cafeteria in the auditorium building
• Renovate interior and exterior finishes at science building
• Upgrading technology infrastructure electrical systems
• Upgrading student information systems

Annual Culture Night on March 18
Come celebrate the wonderful diversity at Everett High on Culture Night which will be held on March 18 beginning at 5:00 in the gym. The evening features food, performances, and activities that celebrate the many cultures represented within our school body. Please join us for this wonderful event.

World Language Assessment on March 18
Students in grades 7 through 12 can earn high school credit in a world language by successfully passing district-approved assessments and demonstrating language proficiency in the content areas of listening, speaking, reading, and writing in this language.
• Students can earn up to four credits, depending upon the level of proficiency they demonstrate on the assessments across all four content areas.
• Students will earn proficiency-based high school credits, may meet the world language credit requirement for graduation, and may qualify for the Seal of Biliteracy on their diploma.

Student Art Show
Come view student art at the 22nd Annual Student Art Show at the Community Resource Center. High school student art will be on display from 7:30-4:30 April 6-24, with a rewards reception on April 15 at 6 p.m.

FREE learning tools for your entire family
Did you know that with your parent LMS user name and password, you have access to a powerful resource provided also to students and staff with their district logins? Hoonuit (formerly Atomic Learning) is a key partner in our dedication to providing the highest quality technology training resources.
Our subscription to Hoonuit includes:
• The Microsoft® Office Suite
• Adobe Suite
• Google Drive/apps/doc/form
• Internet Safety
• Career Skills training for personal career advancement
• Completing a FAFSA training for college planning
• Access for staff, students and their families 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.
• More than 50,000 step-by-step technology tutorials.

Go to www.atomiclearning.com/login/everettsd and log in with your district username and password. Need a login and password? Email LMS@everettsd.org.

Kindergarten registration begins this month
Do you have a child who will be 5 years old by Aug. 31, 2020? Registration begins March 2, at all 18 district elementary schools. Which school will your kindergartner attend? To find out, go to our school search page here, or call the transportation department at 425-385-4144.

Classified Employee Week

March 2 - 6, help us recognize the important work classified staff does for schools and students every day. We encourage you to take a moment and say thank you to office staff, crossing guards, paraeducators, maintenance staff, bus drivers and the many other classified staff who help schools and the district function smoothly.

22nd annual student art shows

Everett Public Schools, in partnership with Everett Public Schools Foundation, is pleased to display the work of student artists at the Community Resource Center. See the art on display during regular business hours (7:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.) or during a reception.

- Elementary school Art Show: February 25 – March 20, viewing only
- High school Art Show: April 6-24, reception on April 15
- Middle school Art Show: May 4-28, reception on May 27

High school summer internships

Summer 2020 will be year two of Everett Career Link, a partnership between the City of Everett and Everett Public Schools which offers high school students internship opportunities. Last summer, 50 students completed the Everett Career Link 90-hour summer internship and received high school credit. These students were hosted by employers representing 29 worksite locations. An overview of last summer’s program can be found below and you should expect more information about the summer 2020 program to be available soon.

Questions about the program can be directed to each high school’s Career Specialist or Career Connected Learning Internship (CCLI) Facilitator at each school. The CCLI Facilitator at JHS is Daniel Mills (dmills@everettsd.org), at CHS is Bree Youngberg (byoungberg@everettsd.org) and at EHS is Tammy Price (tprice@everettsd.org).
Calendar update

On January 28, 2020 the school board approved the 2019-20 school calendar update. We’ve had three snow days, so the last day of school has changed. As of today, the last day of school is June 18 (keeping in mind this date is subject to change).

Go to www.everettsd.org for updated At-a-glance and student art calendars, English and Spanish versions.
Harvest of the month

This month, the Food and Nutrition Department brings you broccoli grown in the PNW! Be sure to give it a try this month by choosing our broccoli salad or roasted broccoli menu option. Did you know that broccoli is an excellent source of so many vitamins and minerals like Vitamin A, K and folate? Find out more by checking out the Harvest of the Month flyer on our website at https://www.everettsd.org

Brocc and Roll!

Remember to register to vote

By registering to vote, either in person or online, you are able to exercise a basic democratic right.

1. In person -- You may register to vote or change your registration at Snohomish County Elections, 3000 Rockefeller Ave, Everett, 1st Floor, Admin Bldg West.
2. Online -- If you have a valid Washington state driver's license, you may register with the Secretary of State quickly and easily online. You may also download a voter registration form in several languages from that site.

To learn details about elections, visit the Snohomish County Elections website.

Daylight savings time begins March 8

Sunrise and sunset will be about 1 hour later on Mar 8, 2020 than the day before. There will be more light in the evening.
Also called Spring Forward, Summer Time and Daylight Savings Time.

Do not miss out!

Our school is using Peachjar to send flyers home electronically.

Just go to the front page of our school website and click on the Peachjar Eflyer button to check it out. You do not need to login to receive or view school eflyers.

No action is required on your part. You should have already received a welcome email from Peachjar that includes a username and password. This is provided to give you the opportunity to manage your account and flyer delivery preferences. Don’t worry if you’ve forgotten your password, you can reset it at any time.

This system is used exclusively for distribution of school-approved flyers. Your email address will not be shared or used for any other purpose.
Update emergency contacts

Please call your school if your phone number or emergency contact information changes at any time during the school year. This is the contact information used by the Everett Public Schools automated phone system in emergencies and to share important school information with families.

### IMPORTANT MARCH DATES

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Everett Public Schools does not discriminate on the basis of sex, race, creed, religion, color, national origin, age, honorably discharged veteran or military status, sexual orientation including gender expression or identity, the presence of any sensory, mental, or physical disability, or the use of a trained dog guide or service animal by a person with a disability in its programs and activities and provides equal access to the Boy Scouts and other designated youth groups.

Designated to handle inquiries about nondiscrimination policies are:

- Affirmative Action Officer – Randi Seaberg, seaberg@everettsd.org, 425-385-4104
- Title IX Officer – Mary O’Brien, MO’Brien@everettsd.org, 425-385-4106
- 504 Coordinator – Becky Ballbach, ballbach@everettsd.org, 425-385-4063
- ADA Coordinator – Becky Clifford, rclifford@everettsd.org, 425-385-5250
Everett High School

Here’s what the April 28th Capital Bond will fund at our school.

- Modernize Vocational Building for Medical & Health Careers Pathway
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Learn more at: www.everettsd.org/bond2020
EVERTT HIGH SCHOOL’S 6TH ANNUAL CULTURE NIGHT PRESENTS:

WE THE FUTURE

MARCH 18TH, 2020
EHS MAIN GYM
FREE DINNER - 5PM - 6PM
PERFORMANCES - 6PM - 8PM
*DIINNER BASED ON AVAILABILITY

Building Bridges Building Communities
Earn world language credit

Can you fluently read, write, speak, and listen in a language other than English?

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March 18, 2020
Register January 13 - February 14

If you have questions about:

- a specific language exam, contact WLA@everettsd.org. There are many languages available.
- high school credit, contact your school counselor
- registering and paying for the tests, contact your high school treasurer or middle school office manager

For more information, see the World Language Frequently Asked Questions or contact WLA@everettsd.org.

Registration:
Students must register and pay the $10 testing fee to the high school or middle school treasurer within the registration window.

ATTENTION:
Students retaking the same language exam in the same school year will pay the full price of the exam which varies by test vendor. Please confirm price with school before registering.

Test day schedule

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Most tests are untimed and students finish around noon. ALTA writing tests are limited to one hour.