



EVERGREEN PARK COMMUNITY HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT 231
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Mr. Thomas O'Malley
Superintendent

Mr. William Sanderson
Assistant Superintendent/Principal

September 17, 2018

Dear Parents:

In an effort to better communicate with our families, we will send information home to you each month using the e-mail system on Family Access. We will also post the same information on our website. We hope you find that this is an efficient and cost effective way for EPCHS to stay connected with our families and provide you with information on upcoming events.

Sincerely,

Mr. William J. Sanderson

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Asst. Superintendent/Principal

7th Annual Science Storytime

For Evergreen Park Residents 5th grade and
under (MUST be accompanied by
parent/guardian)

*Wednesday,
September 19, 2018*

5:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

*Story will be read in the Science Commons Area
(enter building at Main Entrance)*



THIS YEAR'S STORY AND ACTIVITY WILL BE ABOUT

COLORS!

**POPCORN AND LEMONADE
WILL BE AVAILABLE DURING
THE STORY.**



- ❖ **THIS EVENT IS HOSTED BY THE E.P.C.H.S. BOOK CLUB AND SCIENCE CLUB**
- ❖ **PLEASE R.S.V.P. BY TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 2018 TO ANNA PAPASIDERIS
(708) 398-1301 OR apapasideris@evergreenpark.org**



Attention Parents



Wednesday, October 10, is an all-school testing day.

Students should arrive to school on time.

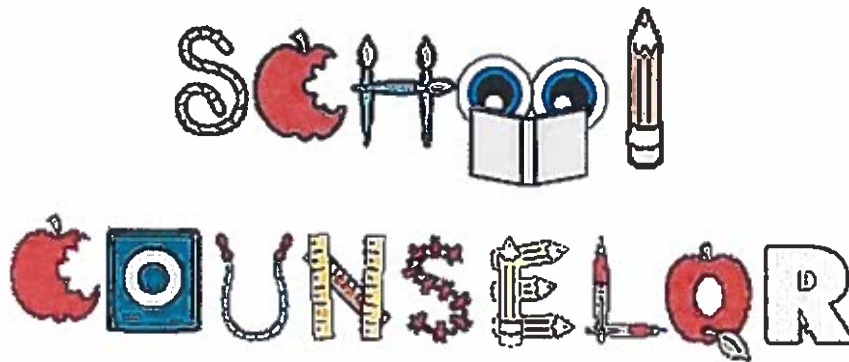
Seniors – DO NOT HAVE SCHOOL
Juniors – will take the PSAT/NMSQT
Sophomores – will take the PSAT-10
Freshmen – will take the PSAT-9

Students should eat breakfast and come prepared with pencils and a calculator.

Phones should be left at home.

At the completion of testing, students will be dismissed early from school.

Students will not be able to go to their lockers when their tests are over.



Upcoming Events

Wednesday, October 10 – FAFSA Workshop

Please be advised again this year you can apply for FAFSA beginning October 1, 2018. In conjunction with that change, the annual FAFSA workshop for **parents of seniors** will be conducted by Tom Schillo (EPCHS '99), Director of System Integrity, at the University of Chicago. This workshop will take place in the LRC at 6:00 p.m. prior to the College/Career Fair. Parents should bring the following information with them to the workshop:

1. FSA ID's for one parent and the student. Obtain these from <http://fsaid.ed.gov>. This is used to sign your online FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid).
2. Social security number for student and parent(s). If you do not have one you will enter 000-00-000 on the FAFSA
3. Records of income from work and business, child support paid or received, and any other untaxed income.
4. Bring your W-2 forms from 2017 or your 2017 Federal Income Tax Return - IRS 1040, 1040A, or 1040EZ.
5. Information about assets such as savings, certificates of deposit, stock options, bonds, 529 plans and other college savings programs, also investments in real estate, business, and farm.
6. Driver's license number for student and parent(s), if you have one.
7. Month and year of marriage, separation, divorce, or other changes in marital status during 2017.
8. Alien Registration Number if your student is not a U.S. citizen.

Wednesday, October 10 – College/Career Fair

Evergreen Park Community High School is hosting an evening College/Career Fair for **all EPCHS students and their parents** from 6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., in our large gym. This is the perfect opportunity for students and their parents to meet with representatives from four-year colleges, Moraine Valley Community College, the military, and specialty schools. If you have any questions, please contact Tom Eisenbraun at 708/398-1290 or teisenbraun@evergreenpark.org.



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Report Card Pick-Up Parent-Teacher Conferences Thursday, October 18, 2018 4:00 p.m. – 6:45 p.m.

Dear Parents:

On Thursday, October 18, 2018, we will conduct "Report Card Pick-Up" and "Parent-Teacher Conferences" from 4:00 p.m. to 6:45 p.m. in both gyms. **Please note that this is a regular school day.** All teachers will be available for parent-teacher conferences in the gyms and no appointments are necessary. Please come to pick up your student's report card and stop by to see his/her teachers. We know that communication with parents is essential in order to better serve our students and improve student achievement and behavior.

This day is designed to offer you the opportunity for one-on-one discussions with your student's teachers and help you determine where and what your student's strengths and weaknesses are in each class. We will also work with you and offer possible strategies to help your son/daughter succeed if they are struggling. Your child's growth and development is one of our primary goals and this day is another way that we can work together for his/her success. All counselors and the social worker will be available throughout the day.

I hope to see as many parents/guardians as possible. As always, feel free to call if you have any questions.

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The Evergreen Park Community High School Scholarship Fundraiser

Chicago Bears

VS

Detroit Lions



On Sunday, November 11, 2018 at Bourbon Street

From 12:00pm-4:00pm

\$25 in advance, \$30 at the door

Buffet, beverages and desserts included

-Basket Raffles -Split the Pot -Football Squares- Silent Auction-

All proceeds go to The EPCHS Scholarship Fund

Helping students continue their education

For more information please contact Serene Dorgan

At 708-398-1275 or email sdorgan@evergreenpark.org

SAVE THE DATE

All Evergreen Park 7th and 8th Graders
and their parents are invited to attend

EVERGREEN PARK COMMUNITY HIGH SCHOOL'S

7TH & 8TH GRADE OPEN HOUSE

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 2018

Activities/Athletic Fair

6:30 - 7:00 p.m. in the Large Gym

Open House Tour begins at 7:00 p.m.

For further information call 398-1236
or visit our website at www.evergreenpark.org

REVISED 2018-19 Seminar Schedule

	Grade Level(s)	Topic
8/17/18	No Seminar	2:07 p.m. dismissal for all students
8/24/18	Seniors	Career Cruising: Transcript requests, letters of recommendation, community service
8/31/18	No Seminar	School Improvement Day – 12:05 p.m. dismissal for all students
9/7/18	Seniors	College application timeline, common application/HBCU common application
9/14/18	No Seminar	2:07 p.m. dismissal for all students
9/21/18	Juniors/Seniors	Scholarships and financial aid
9/28/18	Juniors/Seniors	Options after high school
10/5/18	Freshmen	Career Cruising: Learning styles
10/12/18	Freshmen/Sophomores	"Woulda, Coulda, Shoulda"
10/19/18	No Seminar	School Improvement Day – 12:05 p.m. dismissal for all students
10/26/18	Freshmen	High school success
11/2/18	Seniors	MVCC Part 1, financial aid follow up
11/9/18	Juniors/Seniors	Sexual harassment
11/16/18	Juniors/Seniors	Drugs and alcohol
11/23/18	No Seminar	Thanksgiving Break
11/30/18	Juniors	MVCC on-site programs
12/7/18	All School Assembly	2:51 p.m. dismissal for all students
12/14/18	Freshmen/Sophomores	Registration process 2019-20
12/21/18	No Seminar	12:05 p.m. dismissal for all students
12/28/18	No Seminar	Winter Break
1/4/19	No Seminar	Winter Break
1/11/19	No Seminar	2:07 p.m. dismissal for all students
1/18/19	No Seminar	School Improvement Day – 12:05 p.m. dismissal for all students
1/25/19	Freshmen/Sophomores	Dating violence/healthy relationships
2/1/19	Juniors	Understanding test scores and high school transcripts
2/8/19	Freshmen/Sophomores	Diversity
2/15/19	Freshmen/Sophomores	Sexual harassment
2/22/19	Juniors/Seniors	Diversity
3/1/19	Freshmen/Sophomores	Drugs and alcohol
3/8/19	Freshmen/Sophomores	Social media awareness
3/15/19	Seniors	MVCC Part 2
3/22/19	No Seminar	12:05 p.m. dismissal for all students
3/29/19	Seniors	MVCC Part 3, Senior wrap-up
4/5/19	Juniors	Legacy
4/12/19	No Seminar	2:07 p.m. dismissal for all students
4/19/19	No Seminar	Spring Break
4/26/19	No Seminar	Spring Break
5/3/19	No Seminar	2:07 p.m. dismissal for all students
5/10/19	Students attending Prom	Mandatory student prom meeting for all students attending prom
5/17/19	No Seminar	School Improvement Day – 12:05 p.m. dismissal for all students
5/24/19	No Seminar	Last day of school – 11:23 a.m. dismissal for all students