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Principal's Message Mrs. Huzar



Just want to remind everyone about our testing schedule on page 3. It is important that students attend that day and appointments are not scheduled that day. If you have any questions regarding any of the assessments that your student is scheduled to take, please feel free to reach out to me.

Also we are now in our last quarter and I need all students to finish strong. If your student didn't get quite the grade that they were hoping for in quarter 3, now is the time to make it happen. Parents you can assist your student by helping them stay on track by doing the following every week:

1. Have your student check Focus - Do this with them so you can also see their grades, what assignments

are coming up and if any assignments have not been turned in.

2. If your student says that they turned an assignment in and you are not sure you can check by either seeing that they uploaded the assignment in Focus or on Canvas. If you are checking Canvas your student will need to log into Canvas and show you where it is uploaded.

3. Have your student do homework the night they receive the work (unless it is a project that requires more time). If students complete HW the night they receive it then they are always step ahead. I put this tip in because some students wait since we have an A/B day schedule and then this ends up causing stress. If they do their homework the night, they receive it then they have that extra time should something come up or they need to ask clarifying questions to their teacher.

Students entering 7th grade

TDAP Immunization

The State of Florida requires students entering the 7th grade to have the

TDAP

(tetanus, diphtheria and pertussis)

booster before the first day of school on August 11th.

- Contact your child's pediatrician for an immunization appointment.
- Florida Department of Health provides required immunizations at **NO COST**.
- Turn in your FL Certificate of Immunization 680 form to your school **before August 11, 2021**.

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301 South Disston Ave
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April Students of the Month

6th Grade



Milah
Monforti

7th Grade



Kaitlyn
Castle

8th Grade



Nala
Ayuyao

Caught Being Awesome



April's Caught Being Awesome Kid is **Mariana Savill**. Her 8th grade science teacher, Mr. Heppe said, "She is a GREAT kid. The other day, she was so concerned that the online kids were going to miss out on a demo we were doing in class, that she carried the laptop camera

and narrated everything I was doing. On a different day, we did a class discussion board, and she posted on EVERY other student's post when the minimum was 2. She said she didn't want them to feel left out."

Her Spanish teacher, Ms. Galan said Mariana asks questions to clarify her own understanding and very polite & engaged with both students and staff.



Manuel
Kunsman



Shao
Chen



Parker
Goodlet

AVID March Madness Contest!

Thank you to our AMAZING PTA for sponsoring the AVID March Madness school-wide scavenger hunt. Students were given 10 days to collect data from around the school that related to many of the AVID strategies. What a success it was! Congratulations to our winners!

6th Grade (4-way tie)

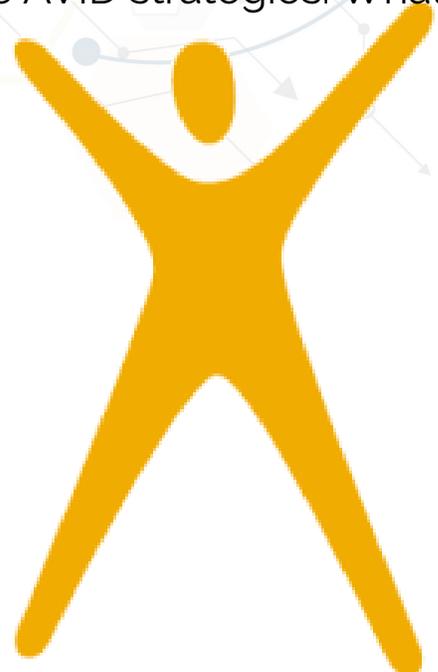
Lilly Kindig
Isabella Cuomo
Joulia Boktr
Jocelyn Wheaton

7th Grade

Jackson Pearce

8th Grade

Nick Marnell



April 2021

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3
				NO SCHOOL		
4	5	6 FSA Writing Test All Grades	7	8	9	10
11	12	13 SAC 8 AM	14	15	16	17
		https://bit.ly/2Gddt6Q				
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	

Testing Calendars

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2 No Testing Day – Special Observance	3
4	5	6 FSA Writing Test All Grades	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30 No Testing Day – Special Observance	

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1
2	3	4 FSA Reading Session 1 All grades	5 FSA Reading Session 2 All grades	6	7	8
9	10	11 FSA Math Session 1 All grades	12 FSA Math Session 2 All grades	13 Grade 8 Science SSA	14	15
16	17 No Test Day – Special Observance	18 No Test Day – Special Observance	19	20	21 Civics EOC	22
23	24 Algebra and Geometry EOC Session 1	25 Algebra and Geometry EOC Session 2	26	27	28	29
30	31	Note: Make up testing for 6 th grade testing through the 14 th Make up testing for 7 th and 8 th grades through the 28 th				

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3 Semester/Final Exams Periods 1 & 2	4 Semester/Final Exams Periods 3 & 4	5
6	7 Semester/Final Exams Periods 5 & 6	8 Semester/Final Exams Period 7	9 Semester/Final Make-ups	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	Note: Early exam can begin May 25 th		

EAST LAKE MIDDLE SCHOOL ACADEMY OF ENGINEERING

SAC

Our next virtual
meeting is on

Tuesday, 03/09 @ 8AM.

<https://bit.ly/2Gddt6Q>

The **School Advisory Council** is a collective of stakeholders tasked with assisting the principal in developing & evaluating the results of the school improvement plan & the annual school budget. It's the responsibility of the SAC to help increase student success.

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4/07/2021—5:00 p.m.—6:30 p.m.

4/15/2021—9:00 a.m.—10:30 a.m.

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Mentor Workshop webinar registration at pcsb.org/mentor or scan the QR Code



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