



# EAST LAKE MIDDLE SCHOOL ACADEMY OF ENGINEERING

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Happy New Year! I hope everyone had a great break. Just so everyone is aware grades are due January 10th and report cards will come on January 21st. This is the district time line. Also, I know it is a little bit colder than lately so parents and students it is important that students remain in dress code during the school day. Students can wear any jack/coat to school, but it must remain in their locker during the school day. If students are wearing sweatshirts or sweaters they must be gray, light blue, royal blue or white. Of course, any ELMS logo sweatshirt is allowed, including the ELMS tie dye sweatshirts.

If students, choose to wear a non-ELMS logo sweatshirt their logo can be no bigger than a half dollar. There were many students before break that I had to keep reminding that their sweatshirt was a dress code violation because it has a big logo on the front of their sweatshirt. Please go over this with your students.



Principal Karen Huzar

## DECEMBER STUDENTS OF THE MONTH

### 6<sup>TH</sup> GRADE



Samantha Abde



Luke Kaly

### 7<sup>TH</sup> GRADE



Gabriella Ales



Joshua Crown

### 8<sup>TH</sup> GRADE



Maddie Bostak



Lucas Snyder

# January



2020

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7 Schools resumes Write Score Field Test 6 <sup>th</sup> grade only	8 Walk to School Day	9	10	11
12	13 NJHS meeting	14 SAC Meeting	15 Tijuana Flats Fundraiser	16	17	18
19	20 No School MLK Day	21 8 <sup>th</sup> grade and club pics	22	23	24	25
26	27 Al county orchestra concert	28	29 Beginning Band concert	30	31	

## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

- Jan. 7 - School resumes for students
- Jan. 7 -WriteScore TField Test 6<sup>th</sup> grade
- Jan. 8 - Walk to School Day 8:20 Calvary Church on the Hill
- Jan. 13 - NJHS meeting 4:15 p.m.
- Jan. 14 - SAC meeting 8:00 a.m.
- Jan. 15 - Tijuana Flats Spirit Night 5-8 p.m.
- Jan. 20 - No School MLK Jr. Day
- Jan. 22 - 8<sup>th</sup> grade and club pictures
- Jan. 27 - All County Orchestra Concert 7:00 p.m.
- Jan. 29 - Beginning Band Concert 7:00 p.m. East Lake High School Theatre

## ELMS SECOND SEMESTER TESTING SCHEDULE

2020

January 2020

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

February 2020

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29

March 2020

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

<b>Jan. 7 / 6<sup>th</sup> grade FSA field test</b>
<b>Jan. 21 &amp; 22 / 6<sup>th</sup> grade SRI testing</b>
<b>Jan. 27 &amp; 28 / 7<sup>th</sup> grade SRI testing</b>
<b>Jan. 29 &amp; 30 / 8<sup>th</sup> grade SRI testing</b>
<b>Mar. 5 &amp; 6 Algebra &amp; Geometry testing cycle 3 / math classrooms only</b>
<b>Mar. 9 Civics testing cycle 3 / all 7<sup>th</sup> grade students / civics classrooms only</b>
<b>Mar. 10 &amp; 11 Science testing cycle 3 GAP testing 8<sup>th</sup> grade only</b>
<b>Apr. 8 FSA Writing all grades</b>
<b>FSA Reading</b>
<b>May 4<sup>th</sup> &amp; 5<sup>th</sup> / 7<sup>th</sup> &amp; 8<sup>th</sup> grades</b>
<b>May 5<sup>th</sup> &amp; 6<sup>th</sup> / 6<sup>th</sup> grade</b>
<b>May 7<sup>th</sup> / 7<sup>th</sup> grade Civics EOC</b>
<b>May 12 &amp; 13 FSA Math all grades</b>
<b>May 14<sup>th</sup> / 8<sup>th</sup> grade Science SSA</b>
<b>May 18 &amp; 19 Algebra &amp; Geometry EOC</b>
<b>May. 22, 26, 27 &amp; 28 Final Exams all grades / regular classrooms</b>



= Special Observance Days – No testing

April 2020

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		

May 2020

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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31						



## FBLA Families:

All FBLA students at East Lake Middle School participated in the FBLA district competition. The top seven in each category from all middle schools in Pinellas are invited to the Awards of Excellence!

Please join me on January 13, 2020 at 6:00 p.m. at Pinellas Park High School. Cake and punch will be served. The dress code is business casual. There you will find out what place your son or daughter place. – Ms. Hill



Spreadsheets

**Nathan Lwin  
Mark Bober  
Aiden Short**



Keyboarding

**Jackson Yambor  
Addison Weaver  
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Desktop applications

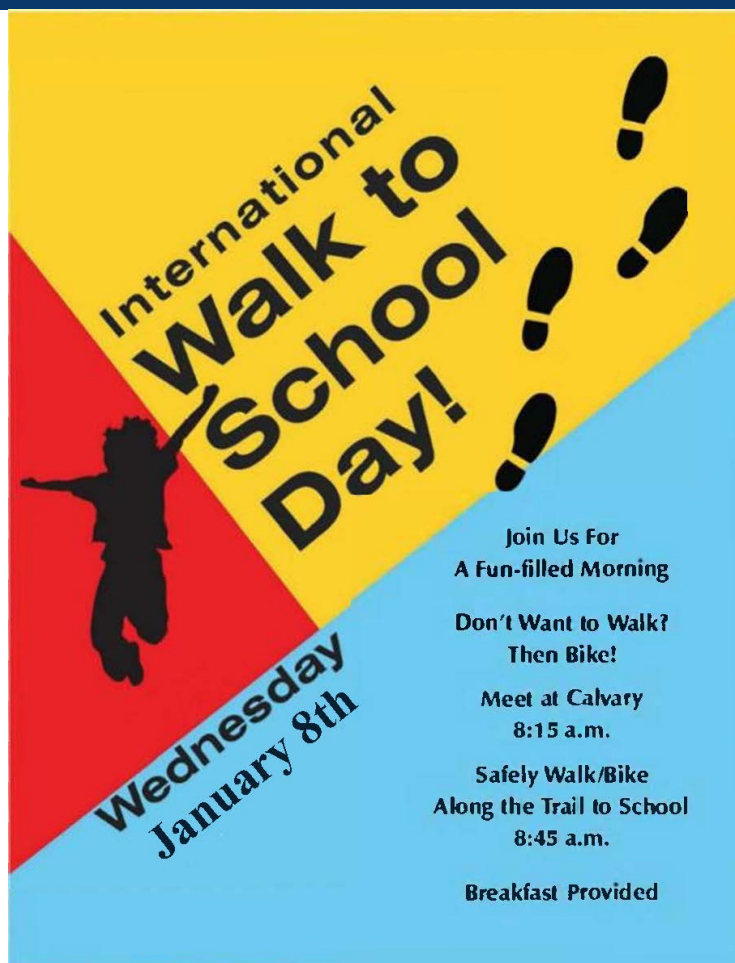
**Ty Abbas  
Rustam Agakhanov  
Evan Dumont  
Joseph Weidner  
Amogh Kanchiraju**

## CAUGHT BEING AWESOME

Each month one student is recognized as a student caught being awesome. This event is sponsored by the Lutheran Church of the Resurrection and The American Legion post 46. The winner each month is given a plaque and a \$25.00 check. The winner for December was Cassandra Lindon who found a high school wallet while biking home and biked back to the school to turn it in!



**Michael Jenness and 6th grader Cassandra Lindon**



International  
**Walk to  
School  
Day!**

Join Us For  
A Fun-filled Morning

Don't Want to Walk?  
Then Bike!

Meet at Calvary  
8:15 a.m.

Safely Walk/Bike  
Along the Trail to School  
8:45 a.m.

Breakfast Provided

Wednesday  
January 8th



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## Find out now if your student's bus is going to be delayed

Pinellas County Schools Transportation Department is implementing a new system to inform you when your child's bus is going to be delayed. Our school is part of a pilot effort to use a system called Bus Bulletin.

The Bus Bulletin notification system will notify schools, parents and students when there are bus delays and schedule changes. If you would like to receive instant notifications when delays or incidents affect your student's bus, please register with Bus Bulletin.



- There is no cost to you for this service.
- Registration is simple and fast.
- You can choose to receive either text messages, phone calls, and e-mails or all of these options.
- All contact information is stored securely and will not be shared or sold. Your privacy is protected.
- Please note: this system is not related to Pinellas County Schools new emergency text message communications through SchoolMessenger.

For more information, or to sign-up and start receiving notifications, please visit:  
[www.BusBulletin.com/parents](http://www.BusBulletin.com/parents).

If you need assistance with registration, call Pinellas County Schools Transportation Department at 727-587-2020.



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### CATEGORIES

Memberships

Business Sponsorship

Direct Donation



### Parent/Guardian

THIS IS A SINGLE PERSON MEMBERSHIP- FAMILY MEMBERSHIP IS THE SAME PRICE

\$15.00



### Family Membership

FAMILY MEMBERSHIP INCLUDES 2 ADULTS

\$15.00



### Business Sponsorship \$100

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2018-2019

# SCHOOL GRADES



EAST LAKE MIDDLE SCHOOL



**#1** Middle Schools in  
PINELLAS COUNTY



**#13** Middle Schools in the  
STATE OF FLORIDA

Top Middle Schools in Pinellas County	
1	East Lake Middle School Academy
2	Clearwater Fundamental
3	Thurgood Marshall Fundamental
4	Joseph L. Carwise Middle
5	Palm Harbor Middle
6	Safety Harbor Middle
7	Fitzgerald Middle
8	Seminole Middle

Top Middle Schools in the State of Florida	
1	Somerset Academy
2	Doral Academy of Technology
3	Okaloosa Stemm Center
4	Archimedean Conservatory
5	Bak Middle of the Arts
6	International Studies Middle
7	Somerset Academy Charter
8	George Washington Carver
9	Terrace Community
10	Herbert A. Ammons
11	Don Estridge Middle
12	Julia Landon Prep
13	East Lake Middle School Academy





East Lake Middle School Academy of Engineering

2018-2019  
SCHOOL GRADES

**Top Middle Schools in Pinellas County**

1	East Lake Middle School Academy
2	Chaparral Fundamental
3	Thurgood Marshall Fundamental
4	Joseph L. Cantos Middle
5	Palma Harbor Middle
6	Valley Harbor Middle
7	Flagstaff Middle
8	Veronica Middle

**Top Middle Schools in the State of Florida**

1	Scoville Academy
2	David Academy of Technology
3	Chalona Women Center
4	Archdiocese of Miami
5	St. Michael of the Arts
6	International Studies Middle
7	Sevenson Academy Charter
8	George Washington Career
9	Temple Community
10	Harbert & Sonoma
11	Don Ertel Middle
12	Julia London Prep
13	East Lake Middle School Academy



**Number 1 Again, 2018-2019!**  
**ELMS finished number one in Pinellas**  
**county for all middle schools, and number**  
**13 in the state of Florida!**

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#### **MISSION 100% STUDENT SUCCESS**

**East Lake Middle School Academy of Engineering will prepare students to be college and career ready and have the skills to compete in a global society.**

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