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Nov 19–Jan 17	Student Registration Open for SEM1 and Yearlong EvCC College in the High School Classes
Nov 1–March 14	Late Fee Charged (\$40 <u>per exam</u>) for Ordering AP Exams
Feb 3–March 3	Student Registration Open for SEM2 UW in the High School Classes

This Week

T/W/Th, Jan 14–16	Primary 2025-26 Interviews for Sno-Isle after school–3:15pm Peer Tutoring in JHS Library
M–Th, Jan 13–16	Temperance and Good Citizenship Day
Thurs, Jan 16	PACK Time: Equal Opportunity Schools Survey – <i>date change</i> 6:30–7:30pm EPS Let's Connect: Learn How AI Is Shaping Our Future, Eisenhower Middle School
Fri, Jan 17	ALIF: SGG or Other Collaboration Canvas Courses Generated for SEM2 6:15pm JHS Athletics Hall of Fame Inaugural Inductions

The Next Few Weeks

Mon, Jan 20	Martin Luther King Jr Day – NO SCHOOL
Tues, Jan 21	12:10pm Safety Drill: Earthquake (no special schedule) 30 minutes Staff Extension: Interventions and Resources 3–4pm Free Youth ORCA Cards Info , Mill Creek Library
T–Th, Jan 21–23	Primary 2025-26 Interviews for Sno-Isle after school–3:15pm Peer Tutoring in JHS Library

Thurs, Jan 23	PACK Time: High School & Beyond Lesson 2 – Task 2 – <i>date change</i> 5:30–7pm CTE Family and Community Expo (for grades 5–9 only), CRC
Fri, Jan 24	ELIF Athletics Grade Checks Deadline to Apply for Staff Wellness Mini-Grants after school–3:15pm Peer Tutoring in JHS Library
M–W, Jan 27–29	SEM1 Finals : Periods 1 & 4 (no special schedule)
Tues, Jan 28	SEM1 Finals : Periods 2 & 5 (no special schedule)
Wed, Jan 29	SEM1 Finals : Periods 3 & 6 (no special schedule)
Thurs, Jan 30	No PACK Time Due to SEM1 Finals End of SEM1
Fri, Jan 31	Teacher Work Day – NO STUDENTS
Mon, Feb 3	SEM2 Begins
Wed, Feb 5	3pm SEM1 Grades “Push” from Gradebooks into TAC late afternoon DeeAnn Will Email Teachers When TAC Is Open
Thurs, Feb 6	No PACK Time Due to Assembly MLK Assembly – <i>date change</i>
Fri, Feb 7	ELIF 3pm TAC Closes for SEM1 Grades Review/Corrections

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New CSO

We are excited to announce that **Josh Stewart** has joined our Jackson staff full-time as our new Campus Security Officer alongside Locan! Many of you know Josh as he is constantly helping us out with just about any need we have, so we could not be more excited and grateful to officially add him to our staff. Please help us welcome Josh to his new role which he began last Friday, January 10! 😊 ❤️ JHS Admin

January 16 PACK Time: EOS Survey

During this week’s PACK Time, on **January 16**, students will take the **Equal Opportunity Schools survey**. I will post the survey link and login info in the RULER/SEL Canvas page for ease of access, and info is included in Sechin’s Monday Message.

About the survey: The EOS survey helps schools collect insights from students to support equitable access and representation in advanced coursework such as AP, Dual Credit, and CiHS. After the survey, an “insight card” is created for each student with helpful information that can be used in scheduling, registration, and even MTSS. The survey takes approximately 30 minutes.

A quick note about seniors: The survey is not crucial for them to take, so if they would like to work on something else, they may. They are welcome to take it, but we mostly use the 9th-11th grade information for future planning purposes. Thank you! [Madeline](#)

Canvas Course Generation

Canvas courses for SEM2 will be generated on **Friday, January 17**.

Peer Tutoring Available

As we get close to the end of the semester, you may know some students who need some extra help. We will have peer tutors for all subjects standing by. Please reach out to individual students and suggest that they come get help to end the semester strong.

Where: JHS Library
Time: after school through 3:15pm
(out in time to catch the activities bus for those who need it)
Days: Monday through Thursday, **January 13–16**
Tuesday through Thursday, **January 21–23**
Monday through Wednesday, **January 27–29**

To make this sustainable beyond the end of this semester, we are hoping for a good showing of students looking for help. We are also developing other ways and times of the day to provide new teacher tutoring opportunities, and I'll release more about that soon.

Please encourage individual students to come in! [Sechin](#)

S/U Grades – Important!

It is CRUCIAL that all students who qualify for S/U grading have the appropriate grades throughout the semester. As we approach the end of the grading period, this is a good time to double check that these are correct. Please review IEPs and change grades in the gradebook immediately if they need it. Consult a student's case manager if you have questions.

Finals Schedule

As in recent years, we will not have a change in bell schedule for finals. For those of you who give finals (you are not required to do so!), your team leaders and administrators ask that you space them out accordingly so as not to overwhelm students on any given day:

Tuesday, **January 28**: Periods 1 and 4

Wednesday, **January 29**: Periods 2 and 5

Thursday, **January 30**: Periods 3 and 6

Staff Wellness Mini-Grant

Staff wellness and self-care is a strategic focus and highlighted by Board Policy 5515, workforce secondary traumatic stress. In support of this work, we facilitated a staff wellness professional learning session designed to empower staff with tools and strategies to enhance their well-being, build resilience, and thrive professionally and personally. The session was recorded and is posted on the district's [wellness website](#). Staff need to be signed into the district website to access the [wellness webpage](#).

The session focused on valuable resources and tools for:

- **Understanding the Burnout Cycle:** Learn how to identify, balance, and combat burnout effectively.
- **Discovering Your Stress Response Patterns:** Utilize the “3Bs” framework (body, behavior, beliefs) to manage stress.
- **Setting Healthy Boundaries:** Explore three types of boundaries and gain practical tips to implement them.
- **Focusing on Holistic Well-Being:** Uncover five major well-being areas and strategies to apply them in daily life.
- **Embracing Gratitude:** Recognize your unique gratitude style and integrate gratitude into your routine.

Schools and departments have an opportunity to apply for a **staff wellness mini grant**, up to \$500, to purchase resources specific to staff wellness and self-care. The mini grant form provides details, timelines, and information regarding resources and items to cultivate staff wellness. Access the [staff wellness mini grant form](#) to apply for funds.

The deadline for staff wellness mini grant applications is **Friday, January 24**, 2025. Grant awards will be announced by Friday, February 7, 2025.

Jackson Basketball – School Spirit!

This **Friday, January 17**, both our boys and girls basketball teams are in action in the JHS gym! **We would love to see a HUGE STAFF SECTION supporting our students and repping school spirit!!!**

Friday, Jan. 17 – 1st Annual Jackson Athletic Hall of Fame Induction Night:

3:30 Boys JV
5:00 Boys Varsity
6:15 JHS Athletic Hall of Fame Ceremony
7:15 Girls Varsity

** Also, JHS Pep Band and JHS Cheer!*

Let's show out!!! Go T-Wolves!!! [Kyle Peacocke](#)

Athletic Hall of Fame Recognition Ceremony

We hope you will be able to join us on **Friday, January 17**, for our **Athletic Hall of Fame Recognition Ceremony** to celebrate the following outstanding individuals!

Henry M. Jackson High School is pleased to announce the inaugural Athletic Hall of Fame class to include:

Individual Athletes:

Dustin Duke, Cross Country/Track & Field, Class of 1999
Johnie Kirton, Football, Class of 2003
Travis Snider, Baseball, Class of 2006
Kristi Kingma, Basketball, Soccer & Track & Field, Class of 2008
Jason Todd, Basketball, Class of 2014
Nicole Limberg, Swim, Class of 2017
Jon Cook, Swim, Class of 2018
Iyanla De Jesus, Softball, Class of 2019

Team:

Baseball Team 2006. Members Include Curtis Nelson, Riley Lillibridge, Chris Lynch, Geoff Brown, Mark Schuermeyer, Alex Vancour, Danny Oh, Matt Ojala, John Wahl, Jeff Mohrweis, Ricky Kellogg, Travis Snider, Mike Jefferies, Kawika Emsley-Pai, Joey Lind, Michael Robertson, Joe Markovich, Cameron Nobles, Joey Petosa. Coach Allenson, Coach Nobles, Coach Nicholson, Coach Briggs & Athletic Trainer Brenda Black.

Coaches:

Judi Montgomery, Girls Tennis
Eric Hruschka, Cross Country & Track & Field

Special Contributor:

John Arevalo, Custodian

CTE Family and Community Expo

TEACHERS OF **FRESHMEN**: The CTE Ambassadors, with support from the CTE Department, will host a CTE Family and Community Expo on **Thursday, January 23**, 5:30–7 p.m., at the CRC. This event is intended to give all students and families in **grades 5 through 9** a chance to learn more about programs and clubs available to them as they move up to middle and high school.

Reminder If You Need It! NY Times Digital Access

As in years past, you can access the New York Times using your ESD email address. Simply go to <https://www.nytimes.com/activate-access/digitalpass> and follow the directions to activate your account.

If you've done this before and your login doesn't work, you may need to create an account again. I believe they expire every year in the fall (not sure of the exact date). Happy reading! [Emily](#)

Opportunity for Students: Get a Youth ORCA Card

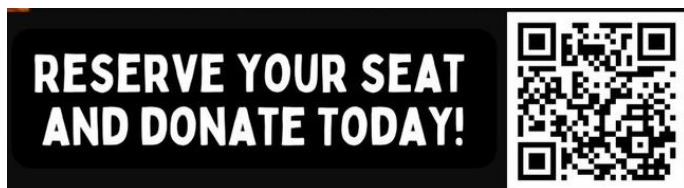
Important information for our students! Just wanted to pass this along, in case you have students or families who are interested. Community Transit will be at the [Mill Creek Library](#) on **Tuesday, January 21**, 3-4 p.m., giving out [free Youth ORCA Cards](#). There will also be a presentation on how to ride the bus, bus safety, and a route planning activity that is geared toward middle and high school students. I've seen this presentation before, and it's great! I've attached a [flyer](#). [Emily](#)

EPS Foundation's Annual Benefit Event Movie Premiere!

You are invited to attend our annual Movie Premiere benefitting the Everett Public Schools Foundation. This year's feature is **Iliana Jones and the Lost Donation**.

Opening night: **Wednesday, March 19**, doors open at 6:30 p.m.
Everett Civic Auditorium, 2415 Colby Ave., Everett

Matinee: **Friday, March 21**, doors open at 9:30 a.m.
CRC, 3900 Broadway, Everett



Sexual Assault & Abuse Resources to Print

A list of resources for sexual assault and abuse support was recently created with the help of Dawson Place and the Providence Intervention Center for Assault and Abuse. The most current version will always be accessible by scanning this QR code:

A poster/flyer was created in previous years for classrooms and other high-visibility areas at school. The QR code is the same and is still active, and the linked resource page has been recently updated.

[Sexual Assault & Abuse Poster](#)

[Sexual Assault & Abuse Resource List](#)



Check Out January's Family District News

District news is shared with families on the first Tuesday of every month. [Click here](#) to view what our families are reading.

EduBytes Newsletter

Check out the **January** issue of the [EduBytes newsletter](#)!

- Staff Spotlight
- Synergy Updates: *Deadlines May Be Closer than They Appear*
- Instructional Focus of the Month: *Semester Transition Reminders – Gradebook, Crosslisting*
- AI in the Workplace: *Student AI Pilot*
- Supporting Equity with Technology: *Translation Is Everywhere*
- Digital Citizenship & Media Literacy: *Digital Literacy in 5 – I'm Informed*
- Digital Tool Tips: *Using Sweep in the New Outlook to Clean Up Quickly*
- What Changes Are Coming? *Canvas Speed Grader | New Studio Interface | Canva for All*

Commons/Annex Tables

I would like to kindly ask that if you move the cafeteria tables in the Commons or Annex, please put them back correctly. I came in two days to a disarray of tables—which took 40 minutes out of my morning routine.

In the Commons, there are marks on the floor to indicate where the tables should go. We need to have 4 feet in between the tables, for wheelchair access—and for fire safety!

There are no marks in the Annex, but I would prefer to come into the Annex with the tables up, instead of having to lift, move, and then put them down! 😊

Thank you!! ❤️ [Gina](#)

Facility Request Submissions

This is a friendly reminder that **ANY** facility request must be submitted **2 weeks PRIOR** to the event date. Any requests that are not 2 weeks prior will be denied. Thank you for understanding. [Sukawt](#)

Advisor Needed for New Club: Fashion & Cosmetology

Thank you for considering being advisor to this group of enthusiastic and organized young people. Please contact [Judy Baker](#) if you're willing to be that person.

Hello, I'm Emma Phillipson. Diana Pastukhova, Ellie Nguyen, and I want to start a fashion design and cosmetology club. We have set some goals we want to accomplish in this club, and we would be so happy if you would be willing to work with us!

FASHION AND COSMETOLOGY CLUB

Things we want to accomplish:

- Advertise (posters, TikTok account, sign-up sheet)
- Talk about budget
- Research school policies
- Understand the requirements

Purpose: Focus on fashion designing, hair styling, modeling, make-up

Define club rules:

- Will help attract members
- Create a club Constitution

We have discussed leadership roles, and Ellie will be our treasurer (looking after purchases for materials and how much money people would be willing to spend for the fashion shows); Diana will be the vice president (help me create agenda for the week and take over if I am not there); I will be the president (looking after the club, creating agendas, and teaching methods we can use for both makeup and fashion).

While we are only freshmen and don't know much about the fashion world yet, we are so excited to learn and pass it on to people who have the same ideas. I have been studying about starting a club for a while and I'm finally ready to put it in motion with my best friends! Thank you for considering, Emma Phillipson (ID: 456415)

Inclement Weather

In the event of severe weather, power outages, or other emergencies, Everett Public Schools may adjust schedules to ensure the safety of students and staff. Using multiple communication methods, we aim to inform families and staff about schedule changes by 5:30 a.m. We will post any school closure or delay decision on the [district website](#) as soon as it is made.

[School closure and late start information](#)
[Inclement weather policies & procedures](#)

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Master Schedule with teacher and room assignments for SEM1 and SEM2: [2024-25](#)

Lunches for 2024-25: [SEM1](#) | [SEM2](#)

Bell Schedules: [reg-Pack-LIF on one page](#) | [2-Hour Late Start \(regular day\)](#) | [2-Hour Late Start \(LIF day\)](#)

Phones: JHS Phone List for 2024-25: [SEM1](#) | [SEM2](#)
[Frequently Used Phone Numbers, 2024-25](#)
[District Phone Directory](#)
[Phone Instructions](#)

[Counselor and Admin Alphas, 2024-25](#)

[Admin Responsibilities](#) and [Admin Supervision](#), 2024-25

Calendars for 2024-25: [Student At-a-Glance Calendar](#)
[Student Impact Calendar](#) (cultural and religious observations)
[Student Art Calendar](#)
[EEA Work Calendar](#)
[Payroll Calendar](#)
[Employee Calendars](#)

[JHS Letterhead](#), as of Aug 2024

JHS Maps: [lower level](#) | [upper level](#) (now updated per latest portable removals)

[JHS Graphics Standards](#) | [JHS Spirit Email Signature How-to](#)

[JHS Staff Handbook for 2024-25](#)

District High School Course Catalog: [2024-2025](#)

[District Policies & Procedures in DocuShare](#)

[COVID Info](#) on District Website

[CPS/DCYF Report Form](#)

[Student Multiple Tardies Lunch Detention Form](#) | Questions? [Kristina Monten](#)

Worksite Learning: [Video](#) | [Sign](#) | [New Worksite Learning Student Forms](#) | byoungberg@everettsd.org

JHS PTSA: [website](#) | [membership form](#)

[Everett Public Schools College in the High School Application](#): apply March 1 – June 14 for EvCC or Edmonds College | apply Jan 10 – Feb 11 for UW | list of teachers/ courses [already CiHS approved](#) | for info/questions, cihs@everettsd.org

Course Proposal Forms for 2025-26: [New CTE Course](#) (due by Oct 1, 2024) | [New Course Equivalency](#) (due by Oct 1, 2024) | [New Course](#) (due by Dec 2, 2024) | [Course Revision](#) (due by Dec 2, 2024)

Athletic Shares:

Erik Heinz: X (Twitter) @CoachHeinz57, Instagram @ehein4, email EHeinz@everettsd.org

Kyle Peacocke: X (Twitter) @KylePeacockeJHS, Instagram @jhsathleticcoordinator, email KPeacocke@everettsd.org, cell 206-755-0888

[Stay Connected](#): Where to Look for Various District Communications

[Staff News Hub](#) (must be signed in to see content): newsletters, current notifications, and more

Looking Ahead [\(jump to top\)](#)

Wed, Feb 12	8–11am ASVAB , Career Center (prior registration in the Career Center required): ASVAB Fact Sheet ASVAB Career Exploration Program Overview
Thurs, Feb 13	9:15am Safety Drill: Evacuation (extended PACK Time schedule)
Fri, Feb 14	ELIF Athletics Grade Checks
Mon/Tues, Feb 17–18	Mid-Winter Break including Presidents Day – NO SCHOOL
Thurs, Feb 20	PACK Time: 2026 Registration Kick-off Video (9th–11th); HS&B Tasks Reminder (12th) 60 minutes Staff Extension: SAT Training – date change
Fri, Feb 21	ALIF: Collaborate to Assess
Thurs, Feb 27	PACK Time: RULER Lesson 4 – date change
Feb 28–April 9	Student Registration Open for SEM2 Edmonds College in the HS Classes
Fri, Feb 28	ALIF: Collaborate to Respond

March 4–April 18	Athletics Grade Checks
Wed, March 5	Student Registration Open for SEM2 EvCC College in the HS Classes
Fri, March 7	School-Day SAT for Juniors Bell Schedule
Sun, March 9	ALIF: Collaborate to Assess
Wed, March 12	Daylight Saving Time Begins – <i>set clocks ahead 1 hour (“spring forward”)</i>
Fri, March 14	Heatherwood Middle School Transition Meetings for 2025-26
	ELIF
	Athletics Grade Checks
Tues, March 18	Gateway Middle School Transition Meetings for 2025-26
	60 minutes Staff Extension: Equity/ML
Wed, March 19	9:30am Safety Drill: Lockdown
	7pm EPS Foundation Benefit Event Premiere, Civic Auditorium
Fri, March 21	ALIF: Collaborate to Respond
	10am EPS Foundation Benefit Event Matinee, CRC
March 21 & 22	Spring Play
Thurs, March 27	8:30am–1:30pm EvCC Students of Color Career Conference (<i>advance registration required</i>)
Fri, March 28	End of 3rd Quarter
	ELIF
March 28 & 29	Spring Play
Tues, April 1	Notification of 2025-26 Sno-Isle Student Status
Wed, April 2	Multicultural Night
Thurs, April 3	9:15am Safety Drill: Earthquake (during PACK Time)
	3pm 3rd Quarter Grades “Push” from Gradebooks into TAC
	late afternoon DeeAnn Will Email Teachers When TAC Is Open
Fri, April 4	Early Release Day
	Athletics Grade Checks
Mon–Fri, April 7–11	Spring Break – NO SCHOOL
Tues, April 15	3pm TAC Closes for 3rd Quarter Grades Review/Corrections
Wed, April 16	8–11am ASVAB , Career Center (prior registration in the Career Center required): ASVAB Fact Sheet ASVAB Career Exploration Program Overview
Fri, April 18	ALIF: Collaborate to Assess
Tues, April 22	30 minutes Staff Extension: TBD
Fri, April 25	ELIF
	Athletics Grade Checks
Fri, May 2	ALIF: Collaborate to Respond
M–F, May 5–9	AP Exams
Fri, May 9	ELIF
	Athletics Grade Checks
M–F, May 12–16	AP Exams
Wed, May 14	60 minutes Staff Extension: SBA Training
Fri, May 16	ELIF
M–F, May 19–23	AP Exams, Late-Testing
Tues, May 20	SBA ELA
Thurs, May 22	SBA Math
Fri, May 23	ELIF
Mon, May 26	Memorial Day – NO SCHOOL
Thurs, May 29	9:30am Safety Drill: Evacuation (modified schedule)
Fri, May 30	ELIF
Tues, June 3	30 minutes Staff Extension: Year in Review
	8–11am ASVAB, Career Center (prior registration in the Career Center required): ASVAB Fact Sheet ASVAB Career Exploration Program Overview
Fri, June 6	Early Release Day
	Senior Tea
	Staff vs Seniors Basketball Game, Staff Scholarship Fundraiser

Wed, June 11	12:10pm Safety Drill: Lockdown Senior Grades Due in Gradebook
Thurs, June 12	Sequoia HS Graduation
Fri, June 13	ELIF
Sat, June 14	Cascade HS, Jackson HS, and Everett HS Graduations
Mon, June 16	3pm SEM2 Grades “Push” from Gradebooks into TAC late afternoon DeeAnn Will Email Teachers When TAC Is Open
Tues, June 17	Early Release Day / Last Student Day End of SEM2 3pm TAC Closes for SEM2 Grades Review/Corrections
Thurs, June 19	Juneteenth – HOLIDAY
Fri, June 27	Last Day that eSchool Will Be Available for Use Prior to Synergy Transition
June 30–July 17	SIS Blackout Period for Transition to Synergy
Wed, Aug 27, 2025	First Student Day, 2025-26

Everett Public Schools does not discriminate in any programs or activities on the basis of sex, race, creed, religion, color, national origin, age, veteran or military status, sexual orientation, gender expression or identity, disability, or the use of a trained dog guide or service animal and provides equal access to the Boy Scouts and other designated youth groups. The following employees have been designated to handle questions and complaints of alleged discrimination:

Title IX/Civil Rights Compliance Officer | ADA Coordinator

Chad Golden | 425-385-4100 | CGolden@everettsd.org | PO Box 2098, Everett, WA 98213

Gender-Inclusive Schools Coordinator

Joi Odom Grant | 425-385-4137 | JGrant@everettsd.org | PO Box 2098, Everett, WA 98213

Section 504 Coordinator

Dave Peters | 425-385-4063 | DPeters@everettsd.org | PO Box 2098, Everett, WA 98213