East View Academy School Newsletter

February 17, 2023

The best love is the one that makes you a better person, without changing you into someone other than yourself.

From the Principal's Desk

Thank you to all of our families that attended our recent AVID night! What a great turnout! This is reminder that we will be off on Monday, February 20 in observance of Presidents Day. Enjoy the day off!

UPCOMING DATES

Friday, February 17 - 3.5 Hour School Day (8:00 - 11:30 AM)

Monday, February 20 - NO SCHOOL Presidents Day

Friday, March 3 - NO SCHOOL

Friday, March 3 - STEAM Night at OHS

Friday, March 3 - 6-7:30 PM Community Food Pantry at Oswego Center 61 Franklin Oswego.

March 7 - 17 Grades 3 - 8 Illinois Assessment of Readiness Testing

March 16 - Need Groceries? Mobile Food Pantry held at Long Beach Elementary School. 5 - 6:30 PM.

Week of March 20 - Grades 5, 8, 11 Illinois Science Assessment Testing

SPRING BREAK - NO SCHOOL

March 27 - March 31

April 12 - Grade 11 SAT Test

April 13 - Grades 9 & 10 PSAT Test

Allison Sulkson

Parent Survey- May 11, 2023 Awards Ceremony

We are asking for your feedback on our upcoming awards ceremony. Please take a minute to complete this survey. Here is the link.

May 11 Parent Survey Link







Physicals, Immunizations, and Dental Forms - OH MY!

IT'S NOT TOO EARLY!!!! It's time to schedule your appointments for Physical, Immunizations, and Dental Forms! All forms completed now are valid for the next school year. Incoming K, 2, 6, 9, and 12th graders and new students will need updated forms. All families are encouraged to visit the website to see what will be needed for your child. All families are encouraged to • submit these completed forms as soon as possible, preferably prior to the end of this school year! All forms may be submitted to your current school. We want to avoid any school exclusions for these forms! Please remember that any student participating in a sport must have a sports physical completed within 13 months of the sport. Please clarify to your physician if a sports or school physical is needed to ensure you have the correct form





Steam Night Information and Registration Link





GRADES 3 - 8

What is the Illinois Assessment of Readiness (IAR)?

The Illinois Assessment of Readiness (IAR) is the Illinois state achievement test. All public school students in grades 3 to 8 must take the IAR. The IAR is given every Spring. (The IAR fully aligned with the Common Core State Standards uses the same test questions from is predecessor, the PARCC exam. The IAR is taken on a computer and is designed to provide information about student progress toward the long-term goal of college and career readiness.

The Illinois State Board of Education (ISBE) has a section of its website devoted to the IAR. You can access the ISBE website clicking ISBE IAR Resources.



Grades 9, 10, 11

What is the SAT With Essay, PSAT 10, PSAT 8/9?

The SAT Suite of Assessments is made up of the SAT, PSAT/NMSQT, PSAT 10, and PSAT 8/9. The College Board's assessments examine the same skills and information at a level that is acceptable for the various grade levels taking the tests.

All assessments in the suite test reading, writing and language, and math skills. Typically, testing starts with the 8th and 9th graders taking the PSAT 8/9. Then in 10th grade students take the PSAT 10 or PSAT/NMSQT. Once in the 11th grade, students can take the PSAT/NMSQT, the SAT or both. Finally, most students take the SAT for the first time in the spring of their junior year, and then again at the beginning of their senior year.

The overarching goal of the SAT Suite of Assessments is to make it easy for students, parents, and teachers to understand and track student progress toward college preparedness.

Grades 5, 8 11

What is the Illinois Science Assessment (ISA)?

In compliance with federal testing requirements, Illinois will administer a science assessment to students enrolled in a public school district in Grades 5, 8, and once at the high school level. The high school assessment utilizes a course-based model with content aligned to Biology I. The assessment will be administered in an online format and is aligned to the Illinois Learning Standards for Science incorporating the Next Generation Science Standards (NGSS), which were adopted in 2014.

More information will be coming out in early March 2023.