# EAGLE NEWS 9.28.2023

#### STUDENT CLASS ATTENDANCE

-Students should arrive at school in a safe manner prior to the 8:15 AM beginning of the school day. An accumulation of more than four tardies to school or class will result in Saturday Work Detail, ISS, and/or OSS.

-If a student is absent from school, the student may submit up to five parent notes to the first period teacher to excuse an absence. Beyond five parent notes, documentation from a doctor or other formal entity will be required to excuse an absence. An accumulation of more than 10 unexcused absences will result in a loss of course credit. -View attendance information and the final exam exemption incentive program in the NCSS Parent Information Guide and Student Code of Conduct.

#### ASVAB SIGN-UP

-Students interested in taking the Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery (ASVAB) should register at <u>https://forms.gle/VZG8JTseyUrXiysR7</u> The ASVAB will be administered Tuesday, December 5th at 8AM in the EHS Auditorium. See Mrs. Harwell at <u>harwell.elizabeth@newton.k12.ga.us</u> for more information.

#### END OF FIRST NINE WEEKS

-Wednesday, October 4th will be the end of the first nine weeks of the school year.

### FALL BREAK 10/9-10/13

-The Newton County School System will observe the Fall Break 10/9-10/13. There will be no school for staff or students.

### **UNDERCLASSMEN MAKEUP PICTURE DAY 10/4**

-Makeup picture day for 9th-11th grade students will be Wednesday, 10/4.

### LAST CALL FOR SENIOR PICTURES 10/5

-Sign up NOW for last call senior photos. This is for students who need to take their photos for the first time OR need retakes. Basic Session (1 tux/drape and 1 casual) \$10; Standard Session (1 tux/drape, 1 casual, 1 cap and gown) \$20. <u>Sign up at https://bit.ly/lastcallehs</u>

### SENIOR "24" PICTURE & YEARBOOK SUBMISSION DEADLINE 10/6

-All EHS Seniors should report to the practice football field at 7:45 AM FRIDAY October 6, 2023, to form the "Senior 24" picture. Make sure you also order your senior yearbook and submit your senior ads at <u>Jostens.com</u>. Senior quotes are due, too! Submit them at <u>bit.ly/ehs24seniorquotes</u>! (Quotes must be school appropriate and originate from a verifiable sources)

# FREE ACT & SAT SUPPORT AND PRACTICE

-Eastside HS students have FREE access to ACT & SAT test prep. Check out IXL through https://launchpad.classlink.com/newtonga



# FREE AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAM EPIC

-The FREE EHS after school program entitled E.P.I.C. is still enrolling students. If you are in need of afterschool tutoring and engagement, contact Ms. Hardeman <u>hardeman.maria@newton.k12.ga.us</u> or Ms. Randle <u>randle.crystal@newton.k12.ga.us</u> for registration.

# PSAT FOR 10TH GRADE STUDENTS 10/25

-The PSAT will be administered October 25th at EHS with <u>2023 EHS PSAT</u> INFORMATION SHEET available with full details.

-Students should review the <u>PSAT Student Guide</u> which provides information about the PSAT, a practice test for exam day readiness, how to view a scored post test and information about the National Merit Scholarship offered through taking the PSAT.

### **COUNSELOR INFORMATION**

-Would you like to learn more about your child's grade level experiences? Take a moment to view the appropriate counselor video at the <u>EHS YouTube Channel</u> for information about what to expect this school year.

-Class of 2027, 9th Grade Guidance Video 9.5.2023

-Class of 2026, 10th Grade Guidance Video 9.5.2023

-Class of 2025, 11th Grade Guidance Video 9.6.2023

-Class of 2024, 12th Grade Guidance Video 9.11.2023

# YEARBOOK

-Yearbooks are on sale now at <u>Jostens.com</u>

# ACT/SAT

-Questions about the ACT & SAT??? Check out the <u>ACT-SAT Information Guide</u>.

-Our College Advisor, Ms. Gulledge can answer questions about college applications, financial aid, technical schools, admissions, and many other post-secondary options. View the <u>EHS College Advisor Information</u> to contact her.

### STUDENT PARKING PASSES

-All vehicles parked on campus must have a valid parking pass hang tag displayed and visible every day. Students are **NOT** permitted to park on campus without a physical hang tag. Students will receive a parking pass after successfully completing all tasks outlined at <u>EHS PARKING PASS INFORMATION</u> Students may begin parking on campus once the pass has been physically issued by the bookkeeper.

# FREE OR REDUCED BREAKFAST/LUNCH

-The Free/Reduced Meal Application can be completed online.

# EXPECTATIONS FOR STUDENT BEHAVIOR

-Please take a moment this evening to review the <u>NCSS Student Code of Conduct</u> with your child to discuss rules, expectations, and dispositions. As we communicate often at EHS, it is extremely important for students to behave appropriately and responsibly in all circumstances to preserve a safe and efficient learning environment.

-Hat, hoods, and headphones are not permitted on campus.

-Student cell phone usage in classroom settings will result in at least two days of In School Suspension.

-Violations of the Code of Conduct may result in Loss of Driving Privileges, Saturday Work Detail, In School Suspension, Out of School Suspension, and/or Referral to a Formal Hearing.

# Jeff Cher, EHS Principal