

EASTERN EAGLES SHOW #GRIT, GOALS, & GROWTH

Eastern Elementary School was established in 1969. We have gone through two expansions as our community has grown over time.

In our building, we serve approximately 800 K-5th grade students. We are a STEM School of Distinction recognized by NCDPI.

We are a proud Title I school that uses our funding to focus on helping students most at risk of failing state assessments. At Eastern we use much of our funding by adding an Elementary Literacy Specialist, an additional Reading Instructional Coach and increasing counselor support for our students. We also purchase instructional materials and technology to enhance our students' learning experience.

We provide numerous opportunities for our students to participate in extra curricular activities. The following clubs are available for upper grade students: Robotics, Math Mania, Chorus, All County Chorus, Orchestra, All County Orchestra, Science Olympiad, Student Leadership, Battle of the Books, Boys to Mentors, Girls in STEM

PARENT ENGAGEMENT

Eastern staff work closely with parents, students, and other stakeholders to improve student achievement. Student success is a shared responsibility between the home and school; Eastern believes in the power of parent engagement and its ability to foster student success.



One way to engage with your child's school is to join PTA! We have an active PTA that collaborates regularly with our school. Please consider joining our PTA and using your voice for our community.

Eastern also encourages Parent Engagement by hosting opportunities throughout the year for parents to come and join in on student learning. Look out for day and night events!



STRATEGIES FAMILIES CAN USE AT HOME:

- Ensure that your child is at school on time everyday
- Create and follow a consistent family routine for mornings and bedtime.
- Reduce screen time and closely monitor online activity from all technology devices.
- Have scheduled quality time as a family.
- Ask your child to share a positive experience about their day at school and check in about any concerns.

To ensure efficient and effective communication, Eastern utilizes Class Dojo and Facebook as the primary way to communicate with parents.

Parents may also email, call and schedule conferences with their child's teacher!

OUR GOALS:

- Eastern focuses on academic growth for all students in all content areas.
- Eastern focuses on parent engagement throughout the school environment.
- Eastern focuses on increasing literacy proficiency for all students.
- Eastern focuses on staff collaboration towards student success.
- Eastern focuses on maximizing instructional time by following attendance standards and protocols for all staff and students.

Our school's schedule ensures maximum instructional time with minimal interruptions to the learning environment.



These goals help us focus on student learning skills. We work hard every day to provide quality instruction in literacy, math, STEM and encore. This dedication fosters collaboration, critical thinking, creativity and communication skills needed to succeed in the future.



Eastern's Commitments :

- Provide high-quality curriculum and instruction in a supportive and effective learning environment that enables the participating children to meet the challenging State academic achievement standards.
- Hold parent-teacher conferences at least annually, during which we will discuss your individual child's achievement.
- Provide parents with frequent reports on their child's progress. Specifically, the district is using Power School to share student progress with parents.
- Provide parents access to staff. Parents may schedule appointments through their child's teacher or building principal.
- Provide parents opportunities to volunteer and participate in their child's class, and to observe classroom activities. Activities include celebrations, concerts, Rock Your School, and school-wide activities.

Eastern Parent Commitments:

We, as parents, will support our children's learning in the following ways:

- Monitoring attendance.
- Making sure that homework is completed when assigned.
- Monitoring amount and content of television and social media watched by my children.
- Volunteering in my child's classroom and school.
- Participating, as appropriate, in decisions relating to my children's education.
- Promoting positive use of my child's extracurricular time.
- Staying informed about my child's education and communicating with the school by promptly reading all notices from the school or the school district, either received by my child or by mail or email, and responding, as appropriate.

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