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#### **December 17, 2021**

## **Upcoming Dates**

December 23 -31 No School: Winter Break

Coffee with the Principal: Jan. 10

Kindergarten Registration Event: Jan. 25, 6:00 p.m.

Kindergarten Registration Deadline: Jan 28, 4:00 p.m.

Dear EHSI Families.

We have had a wonderful start to the month for our scholars! Our teachers, support staff and scholars have all been working hard.

Please read below for important information on Teacher Time Raffle activities, early student pick up, an exciting contest around Martin Luther King, Jr. Day and more. Read to the bottom of today's newsletter for information on spirit wear orders, an update on SEF and our interns, and reminders about reporting COVID cases and new quarantine rules.

Don't forget that winter break starts next week. As a reminder, our office will be closed December 23 - 31. Have a wonderful holiday!

Sincerely,

Sr. Moncada Principal

# What's Happening at Eagle Heights

Thank you to everyone who participated in our Teacher Time Raffle! Our scholars have been having a wonderful time enjoying their special events with the teachers and administrators of Eagle Heights. In addition to lunch with Sr. Moncada and Sr. Hegland, students have been reading our librarian Sra. Kerns, art time with Sra. Bitzer, snacks and board games with Sra. Campbell and many more.

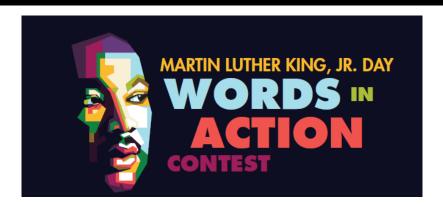








#### **Words in Action Contest**



Words in Action is a contest in honor of Martin Luther King, Jr. Day for youth who live or attend school in Eden Prairie. Participants are asked to reflect on the vision of Dr. King and actions Eden Prairie residents can take today to move toward his ideals. Students will select one of Dr. King's quotes and express what it means to them through art or writing, focusing on what actions they can take individually or that we take as a community to not just remember the legacy of Dr. King, but to carry his legacy of racial justice forward. Suggested quotes can be found at edenprairie.org/MLKContest. More information is available in <a href="this flyer">this flyer</a>.

#### **Tips For Early Student Pick Up**



If you are planning to pick up your student early, please email your student's teacher in advance. You can also let the office know at 952 975-7700. We will do our best to have your student in the office at your requested pick-up time, but please build 5 - 10 minutes into your plans as the office and classrooms can be busy at times. Please remember to bring your ID. If you having someone else pick up your student, please check that their name is

listed in your Campus account.

#### **Outdoor Recess**

Please remember that we have outdoor recess unless the wind chill is less than -10 F or playground conditions are poor. Please send your students to school with boots, gloves, hat and any other warm gear they might need.



# **Coffee with the Principal**



Do you have questions or ideas you'd like to discuss in a casual setting? Please join Sr. Moncada for "Coffee with the Principal"

**January 10, 2022** 11:00 am-12:00 am (**Zoom Link**) 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm (In-Person)

### **Intern Update**

Last Friday, our interns spent the day at Eden Prairie High School for their Professional Development day. During this time, they visited various high school classrooms - including English, Math, History, Physical Education, and Interior & Fashion Design. They all had a great time learning through this experience, and we thank all of the EPHS staff for making this day possible.

Our interns also experienced (and enjoyed) their first Minnesota winter storm! Their favorite part so far has been the beautiful views and all the activities they can enjoy in the snow. Take a look at these photos of some of our interns going sledding for the first time!







# **SEF Update**



SEF would like to thank all the families who've already made their 2021-22 Annual Contribution. If you haven't already done so, please <u>click here</u> to submit your contribution.

We'd also like to thank all the families who volunteer on our board or committees. If you're interested in a volunteer position, please contact <u>Sarah Bailey</u> to learn more about several openings we have for helping with our upcoming Cinco de Mayo event or expected openings for the 2022-23 school year.

Happy Holidays from the SEF!

- Like and follow the Spanish Education Fund (SEF) on <u>Facebook</u>.
- Check out the SEF Website

### **PTO News / Spirit Wear Orders**

We are taking spirit wear orders through <u>our website</u> now through 12/19. Orders placed will be available for pick up at the EHSI office by the morning of 12/22. Families will receive an email when their order is ready for pick up at the school.

We would love to be able to keep our spirit wear website open more of the time, but we currently have one person filling orders and that person works when the school office is open, making it



difficult to get into the office to fill orders. If you are interested in helping to fill orders at school so we can keep the store open more often, please email <a href="mailto:volunteer@ehsipto.org">volunteer@ehsipto.org</a>.

To learn more or sign up, email ptoehsi@gmail.com

#### To stay current with our EHSI PTO please feel free to:

- Like and follow the EHSI PTO on <u>Facebook</u>. Join the Eagle Heights Parents Facebook Group
- Check out the <u>PTO website</u>

### **COVID Information**



Please continue to report COVID cases to our EHSI COVID-19 Coordinator <u>Mitch Hegland</u>. In addition, students ages 5 and older are now eligible to be vaccinated for COVID-19.

Once students are fully vaccinated, they no longer need to quarantine if the following are true: (1) the COVID-19 exposure was at least 14 days after their vaccination series was fully completed, AND (2) they do not currently have any symptoms of

COVID-19. For more information, please see the district's <u>Safe Learning Plan</u> or contact Mitch Hegland at <u>mitch\_hegland@edenpr.org</u> (COVID-19 site coordinator) or Amy Antilla at <u>amy\_antilla@edenpr.org</u> (School Nurse).



#### Attendance: 952-975-7601 PTO Website SEF Website Lunch Menu

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