



# Daily Bulletin

## EPHS

**Wednesday, April 17<sup>th</sup> 2024**  
**MCA Testing (schedule below)**

### New:

- **The latest Eagle Network News newscast** can be found here [ENN newscast for 4/16/2024](#)

### Reminders:

#### **MCA Testing on Wednesday, April 17<sup>th</sup>**

- ✚ School begins for all test takers at 8:35 am.
- ✚ 10th Grade Reading & 1st Semester Science in the Activity Center & Main Gym from 8:35am – 12:15pm.
- ✚ 11th Grade Math in Connection Classrooms from 8:35am - 11:00am.
- ✚ There is a 2.5 hour late start for those who are NOT taking the assessment.
- ✚ Buses will run regular routes for grades 10 and 11 and also run additional routes 2.5 hours later for grades 9 and 12 who need transportation to school.

**Classes begin at 11:05 am Wednesday, April 17<sup>th</sup> using this schedule**

Period 1	11:05-11:45
Period 3	11:50-1:50
1st Lunch	11:50-12:20
2nd Lunch	12:20-12:50
3rd Lunch	12:50-1:20
4th Lunch	1:20-1:50
Period 2	1:55-2:35
Period 4	2:40- 3:20

- **Mac Sonoma 14.3 Operating System Upgrade** is important for upcoming testing for all grades.  
The process could take 90 minutes to upgrade your MacBook.
- **Verify that you have TestNav installed on your device!** Open "Launchpad" and search "TestNav". If you do not have TestNav, open "Self Service" and search "TestNav" then click "Install" or "Reinstall". If you have any difficulties, go to Lakeside Lab and they can help you.
- **AVID Family Night invitation extended to AVID students and their families!** **Wednesday, April 17<sup>th</sup>** from 5:30pm-7:00pm in the East Commons. Inviting all current EPHS AVID students, families, and their siblings, along with 8th-grade students and families to welcome them to the high school. The event will include carnival-style games, a presentation, and trivia game from the EPHS AVID teachers, and an upperclassmen AVID student panel. Dinner will be served to all attendees.
- **Senior Speaker and Emcee Auditions** will be held on Thursday, April 18<sup>th</sup> before school. See the Senior grade level Schoology page for information. For more Senior information go to the EPHS website and under "Student Life" choose "News, Info & Misc" then scroll down and choose "Senior Information".
- **The EPHS Key Club Polar Plunge** has been rescheduled for Monday, April 22<sup>nd</sup> during 4<sup>th</sup> Period.
- **EPHS Spring Showcase** is "Postmortem" by Ken Ludwig and Directed by Nancy Saunders April 25, 26, and 27 at 7pm in the Eden Prairie High School Performing Arts Center. Tickets (open seating) are available through [GoFan.co](#)  
[Postmortem GoFan Tickets](#) \$5 for students and senior citizens and \$7 for adults.  
Playwright Ken Ludwig has invented a thriller centered on a real-life historical figure--William Gillette, an actor world renowned for his 30-year portrayal of Sherlock Holmes. During a wild weekend at his country estate, someone is trying to murder Gillette. He suspects it is one of his guests, and Gillette plans to solve the case himself.
- **Save the date for the EPHS Spring Play "A Midsummer Night's Dream"** by William Shakespeare and Directed by Laurie Nebeker May 2, 3, and 4 at 7pm in the Eden Prairie High School Auditorium.
- **Class of 2025 College Planning Night** Each spring the Eden Prairie High School Counseling Team hosts an informational College Planning Night for the rising senior class and their families. This year we will be presenting in conjunction with Term 4 conference night on Wednesday, May 8<sup>th</sup> starting at 6:30 pm in the Auditorium. Topics will include creating your college list, requesting letters of recommendation, test-optional admissions, and Xello. We are also having speakers from Thrivent Financial to review financial aid, FAFSA, and get any questions answered. We hope to see you there! *EPHS Counseling Team and CRC*
- **College Activity Commitment Day** The EPHS Student Activities office would like to celebrate and recognize all of the EP graduating class that is going on to college and participating in an athletic, academic, or fine arts extracurricular activity! As we celebrated National Signing Day in Feb, we want to recognize all of the amazing and diverse accomplishments and activities our students will be participating in across the country! Please fill out the form below to be included in this event on Wednesday, May 15<sup>th</sup> at 8am. [Find the College Activity Commitment Day form here](#)

#### Activities:

For updates check the web site:

[www.lakeconference.org](http://www.lakeconference.org)

Golf Boys JV	2pm
Bluff Creek Golf Course	
Golf Girls V	3pm
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Golf Girls JV	3:30
Glen Lake Golf Club	
Badminton V	4pm
EPHS Main Gym	
Baseball 9A	4:30
Hopkins West Jr High	
Baseball 10	4:30
Hopkins High School	
Baseball V	4:30
Hopkins High School	
Softball B	4:30
Miller Park	
Softball JV	4:30
Miller Park	
Softball V	4:30
Miller Park	
Baseball JV	6:30
Hopkins High School	
Softball 9	7pm
Miller Park	

## Reminders continued:

- **The EPHS Junior-Senior Prom “A Red Carpet Affair”** is Saturday May 18<sup>th</sup> from 8-11pm at US Bank Stadium. Presale tickets will be available April 18<sup>th</sup> – May 2<sup>nd</sup> at \$60 per EP Student. Regular ticket sales will be available May 2<sup>nd</sup> – May 9<sup>th</sup> at \$75 per EP Student. Underclassmen attending Prom are considered outside guests and must also have a guest form completed by the EP Student who is inviting them. All non EP Students must pick up a guest form, complete the form in its entirety and turn it into the Activities Office by May 7<sup>th</sup> to receive a link to buy a guest ticket. All guest tickets are \$15 above EP pricing. Please note the deadlines as there are no exceptions. More information to come.
- **Connect 9 leader applications are now available** on Schoology for current 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> grade students!  
-*What is a Connect 9 Leader?* Our Connect 9 leadership team welcomes our 9<sup>th</sup> grade students to EPHS! Each Connect 9 leader will be assigned to a small group of 7-10 freshmen to answer questions and run Freshman Orientation on September 3<sup>rd</sup>. Connect 9 Leaders give valuable EPHS insight and will meet monthly with these freshmen about a variety of topics during Connections. Connect 9 leadership positions are open for juniors and seniors in the 2024-25 school year. These positions are incredibly valuable to EPHS, as we create a transition and an experience to ensure each of our students can answer YES to our three questions: Do I Belong Here? Is this Meaningful? Can I do this?  
-*What is the time commitment?* You must be able to commit to:
  - \* 4 hour required summer training in August (Dates TBD)
  - \* Freshman Orientation 7:30 am- 3:30 pm on Tuesday September 3<sup>rd</sup>, which is the first day of school (this is mandatory).
  - \* You will also be required to meet with your Freshman Connections group once a month during Connections time. This means you must be able to attend each of these Connections sessions **(cannot be in PSEO or Online out of the building)**.  
[Connect 9 google application form](#)
- **After School Support** Tuesdays & Thursdays from 3:30-5:30pm in the Media Center. Homework assistance, credit recovery, exam preparation, academic planning, goal setting, project support & time management are offered.
- **In addition to “After School Support” offered at EPHS, the Eagles Homework Help and Tutoring Program** is a resource that is available through Eden Prairie Community Education. Go to the Eden Prairie Community Education webpage and under “Adult & Community” choose “Eagles Homework Help and Tutoring Program”. Included is a registration link and contact information. You can also find information in English, Spanish & Somali about the program for families and potential tutors.
- **The Nest School Store:** The Nest is our School Spirit Store and is located next to Student Activities. During the school year (when school is in session) the Nest is open: Tuesdays: 11:30am-1:30pm Thursdays: 11:45am-1:45pm and 5:00-8:00pm  
Follow us on Instagram: @edenprairie.nest for extra open times, giveaways and contests throughout the year!
- **The United States Naval Academy Summer Seminar** is the first step in navigating your future to becoming one of our nation's next generation of leaders.  
--If you are currently in your junior year of high school and considering the Naval Academy as your college of choice, we strongly recommend you consider applying to Summer Seminar. Summer Seminar will introduce you to life at the Academy, where you will experience first-class academic, athletic, and professional training at the #1 public college in the Country (released 2022 U.S. News & World Report College Ranking Report). Your Summer Seminar application will also serve as a preliminary application to the Academy that you will complete before or during your senior year.  
--During the six-day session, you will become a part of the Academy. You will live in Bancroft Hall (the dormitory all midshipmen live in), participate in academic and leadership workshops, and experience a variety of other activities on the campus. You will have an opportunity to see firsthand what the Academy has to offer through its exceptional academic, athletic, extracurricular activities and leadership training programs  
[U.S. Naval Summer Seminar Flyer](#)
- **The Royal Credit Union** is Located in The Perch (above South Commons). Open Monday-Wednesday-Friday during 3<sup>rd</sup> Hour (all lunches). The RCU is staffed by EPHS Business Students.
- **Follow EPHS Student Activities** @epactivities
- **Follow our Student Resource Center on Instagram** @ephscollegeandcareer

# College Visits

[College Visit FAQ and sign up instructions](#)

Date	Time	College/University
4/18/24	11:00-11:30	South Dakota State University
4/18/24	2:00-2:30	University of East Anglia
4/19/24	9:00-9:30	Kansas State University

# SCHOLARSHIPS

Scholarships will be updated weekly in students SCOIR Profile located under My Drive documents

<u>Scholarship</u>	<u>Grade/Age</u>	<u>Due Date</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Brief Description</u>	<u>Type</u>
Generation Google Scholarship-CSSI	12	4/23/2024	\$10,000	Student planning to pursue computer science or computer engineering demonstrating commitment to diversity, equity, and inclusion, leadership, and academic performance.	National
Air Force Association Ferretti Scholarship	12	4/30/2024	\$5,000	Scholarship for students pursuing a degree in the area of (STEM). Based on academic and financial need, 600 word max essay and recommendation.	National
All About Education Scholarship	Age 13+	4/30/2024	\$3,000	Write a 250 word essay for the question: "How will a \$3,000 scholarship for education make a difference in your life?"	National
Association of Women Contractors Scholarship	12 Females	4/30/2024	Varies	Scholarships for outstanding students planning on studying in a construction-related field at a four-year College/University, Community/Technical College/Construction Trade School or a construction industry apprenticeship program.	Minnesota
Courage Kenny Foundation EMPOWER Scholarship	12	4/30/2024	\$2,000	Ethnically diverse students with demonstrated interest in medical or rehabilitation fields through volunteer experience.	Regional
Elevate Mental Health Awareness Scholarship	12	4/30/2024	\$500	Must have personally experienced challenges with mental health or have had people close to them who have experienced mental health challenges.	National
Keegel Yates Minnesota Teamsters Joint Council 32 Education Fund	12	4/30/2024	\$2,000	Applicant or applicant's parent or guardian must be a member in good standing of a Teamster Union affiliated with Teamsters Joint Council 32. Application includes official transcript and two letters of recommendation. Winners drawn by lot.	Minnesota
Minnesota AFL-CIO Scholarships	12	5/1/2024	\$1,000	Students who are members or a dependent of a member of AFL-CIO who plan to attend a Minnesota college.	Minnesota
Print and Graphics Foundation Scholarship	12	5/1/2024	\$5,000 renewable	For students pursuing a career in graphic communications, printing technology, printing management or publishing.	National
MN American Legion Boys State Program	11 Males	5/5/2024	Week long summer program	Talented junior males of high character to participate in week long summer leadership program	Minnesota
Missy L Olson Scholarship	12	5/22/2024	\$1,000	For students entering fields related to mental health services, financial planning, real estate, banking, social work, and any other profession needed by those who go through family law transitions.	Minnesota
Ethel Curry American Indian Leadership Scholarship	12	5/31/2024	\$1,000 - \$4,000	For students from a federally recognized tribe that can demonstrate leadership qualities within the American Indian community.	Minnesota
Boy Scouts of America - National Eagle Scout Association Scholarships	12	Varies	Varies	Multiple scholarships for Eagle Scouts through civic, religious and institutional organizations.	National
Cancer Scholarships	9-12	Varies	Varies	Multiple scholarships for students who are survivors, patients, or have parents with cancer.	Midwest/ National
Culinary Institute of America Scholarships	12	Varies	Varies	Multiple scholarships for students interested in studying culinary arts at one of CIA's locations.	College Specific
Engineering Scholarships	12	Varies	Varies	Multiple scholarships for students pursuing engineering career.	National
First Robotics Scholarships	11-12	Varies	Varies	Multiple scholarships for students with past or present participation in First Robotic.	National
Girl Scout Scholarships	12	Varies	Varies	Multiple scholarships for Girl Scouts.	MN/National
Islamic Society of North America Scholarships	12	Varies	Varies	Multiple scholarships for Muslim American students pursuing college education in the US.	National
Native American Scholarships	12	Varies	Varies	Multiple scholarships for Native American students. Certificate of Degree of Indian Blood and Proof of Tribal Enrollment needed.	MN/ National
Nursing Scholarships	12	Varies	Varies	Multiple scholarships for students pursuing nursing career.	National
Students of Color Scholarships	12	Varies	Varies	Multiple scholarships for students of color.	MN/National
<a href="https://www.student-scholarships.org/">StudentScholarships.org</a>	12	Varies	Varies	Multiple scholarship listing.	National
Undocumented Student Scholarships	12	Varies	Varies	Multiple scholarships and grants for undocumented students.	MN/ National

# Prairie Express Coffee Shop

## located in the East Commons

**Breakfast 8:00am – 8:45am**

**Coffee Drinks** available only between 8:00 AM – 8:45 AM

Iced Coffee (Vanilla, Caramel), Chai Tea Milk, Mochas,  
Lattes & Cappuccinos (can be made with caramel and/or vanilla), Caramel Macchiato, Coffee,  
flavor shot (vanilla, caramel), Hot Chocolate, Hot Apple Cider, Hot Apple Cider with caramel

### **Breakfast and Lunch Drinks**

Bottled water, pop, G2, Tropicana Juice, Naked Juice, Kickstart, Milk, V8 Sparkling Energy,  
Gatorade,

Zero Pepsi, Baja Blast, Spark, Major Melon, Mountain Dew Zero Sugar,  
Diet Mountain Dew, Diet Dr Pepper, Iced Tea (w/ lemon or unsweetened)

### **Baked Items**

Double Chocolate Chunk scone, Sweet roll, Muffin top (variety), Double chunk muffins,  
Banana Rama (Friday), Cookies (M&M, chocolate chip)

### **Snacks**

Rice Krispie treat, Benefit bar, Fruit snacks, Pop Tart, PBJ, Fruit cups, Yogurt parfait w/fruit,  
Fresh fruit, chips, Frozen Yogurt vanilla cones (lunch only)

### **Lunch**

Chicken and cheese quesadillas (Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday)

**You must have a positive account balance to order from the coffee shop.**

## High School Menu

### **BREAKFAST**

*(served in **EAST DELI** from 8:00 -8:30)*

**Apple Frudel, Grapes, Apple Juice**

### **Lunch**

***EPHS Campus Cuisine*** *(in the South Commons)*

**Catallia Tortilla, Chicken Fajita, Shredded Cheddar Cheese,  
Pico De Gallo, Brown Rice Pilaf, Orchard Fruit, Fresh Fruit,  
Chipotle Ranch Dressing, Taco Fixings, Guacamole**

***East & West Deli*** *(in the South Commons)*

**Pizzaioli Pepperoni Pizza, Pizzaioli Sausage Pizza, Pizzaioli Cheese Pizza,  
Fresh Vegetable Bar, Wild Rice Soup, Orchard Fruit, Parmesan Cheese**

***American*** *(East Commons)* ***& Eagle Grille*** *(South Commons)*

**Hamburger, Cheeseburger, Hot & Spicy Chicken Patty,  
Crispy Chicken Filet Sandwich, Grilled Chicken, California Hamburger,  
Chicken Nuggets, Texas Garlic Toast, Grilled Cheese Sandwich, Corn Dog,  
Stealth Fries, Carrots, Orchard Fruit, Bananas, Dried Cranberries, Chipotle  
Ranch Dressing, Ranch Dressing, Condiments**