



Lake Washington School District

# Eastlake High School

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Eastlake Credo: At Eastlake, through intentional actions, we create an environment where students and staff feel safe, appreciated and loved. This is Eastlake. This is home. This is family. **WSPS**.

## Principal Message

Dear Wolves,

I wanted to thank the PTSA for their support of Eastlake High School. Through their recent grants, the PTSA donated \$35,000 to enrich student learning both inside and outside of the classroom. Examples of grants included funds for new pottery wheels for 3D Art, and heart rate monitors for students taking Physical Education. PTSA also supported supplemental learning activities such as a visit from the Seattle Shakespeare Company and a traveling history exhibit "The American History Museum: The Unspoken Truths." A special thank you to Nancy Colburn for her efforts in organizing this process.

The rest of the grants included the following:

- \* Distracted driving program called "Think Again"
- \* Adaptive bicycle repairs
- \* A euphonium for Band
- \* Task box activities for Special Education
- \* Additional security camera
- \* Digital camera for Photography
- \* Additional novels for Grade 9
- \* Motion, forces and energy lab equipment for Science
- \* Reflectance spectrometers for Astronomy and Physics
- \* T-shirts for a World Language culture project

Thanks for all the support

Chris Bede, Principal

## Quick Links

### Winter Wishes Week - December 11th -15th

[Eastlake Website](#)

For a reminder of what it's like you can watch this of last years celebration. click on the image to the right.

The truly great part of Winter Wishes is that we rely solely

on the kindness of others to provide for the wishes, and the wishes that are honored most are the ones we make for others! The week will wrap up with an assembly on Friday at the end of the day.



## Daily Bell Schedule

Winter Wish  
Week 2016

Eastlake DECA is sponsoring a Warm Clothing Drive for the Issaquah Food and Clothing Bank December 11-15. They are accepting new or lightly used winter clothing. Bring your items to the Eastlake main entrance before school, during lunches and after school. See [flyer](#) for more information.

## Last Chance to Purchase a Yearbook!

### Flexisched

If you haven't already paid for one you can pay online until 12/20- books are \$65. To see if you have already bought one- login to Parent Access, select Online Payments, select your student's name, then under Reports- select Purchase History. Look back to see if you paid for a \$65 Yearbook in August or September of 2017. If you see it listed, you are all set!

### Attendance

Eastlake DECA Collecting Winter

## Positive Discipline Parenting Class Series

Feeling Challenged by your child's whining, attitude, sibling conflict, morning or bedtime routines, homework battles or something else?

Elevate your family from good to great in a six-week Positive Discipline parenting class! Bring more peace and connection to your home and become the parent you wish to be! Join us for this fun and interactive class...You will come away with a toolbox of fresh new parenting ideas!

### EHS PTSA Page

Wednesday evenings, January 10- Feb 14. Seating is limited so [register](#) today!

To find out more about Positive Discipline, check out a Blog at <https://sounddiscipline.wordpress.com/>, or go to [www.positivediscipline.org](http://www.positivediscipline.org)

## Education Apps:

The Library of Congress just released 3 new education apps. Below are the two that are good for middle and high school students:

<https://www.loc.gov/item/prn-17-157/>

- Eagle Eye Citizen, developed by the Roy Rosenzweig Center for History and New Media at George Mason University. Eagle Eye Citizen engages middle and high school students in solving and creating interactive challenges on American history, civics and government with Library of Congress primary sources in order to develop their civic understanding and historical thinking skills.
- Engaging Congress, developed by Indiana University Center on Representative Government. Engaging Congress is a series of game-based learning activities that explores the basic tenets of representative government and the challenges it faces in contemporary society. Primary-source documents are used to examine the history and evolution of issues that confront Congress today.

- Kathleen Dunbar, Eastlake Librarian

## Attendance Scenario -

**Scenario** -Your student comes to Eastlake a few minutes (or more) after the tardy bell rings. The teacher has already taken attendance and your student was marked ABSENT. The teacher is in the middle of teaching and forgets to change the ABSENT into a TARDY. You then get an automated call saying that

your child missed their class, when, in fact, they were only late.

**Answer** - If your student is tardy to school they need to check in at the Attendance office before going to class. Then I can change the ABSENCE into a tardy and that will prevent an automated call to your home during the dinner hour.

This important message brought to you by Attendance Matters!-  
Haven Scholtz, Eastlake Attendance secretary.

## Rotary Student of the Month - Math

Congratulations Nayha Auradkar, Eastlake senior, Rotary Student of the Month for Math.

"Nayha is truly an exceptional student and person. She not only had an outstanding performance in math, but she stood out through the depth of her thinking and reasoning. She would come to class or before/after class to ask if her solutions make sense to me or which solution is better. Many times she was able to come with creative, original solutions, that showed deep understanding and reflection over what she was learning. At the same time, she is humble and kind, very respectful and incredibly hard working. I am truly honored to have had the chance to be her teacher, and I can easily say that she is one of the top students that I have had the chance to work with in my entire teaching career of almost 15 years." Mariana Timofte, Eastlake math teacher.



Nayha Auradkar with Mariana Timofte

## College, Counseling and Career News:

### Eastlake College Visits for the Week of 10/30

\*Full college visit calendar and [sign-ups](#) on PowerSchool\*



### Congratulations YoungArts Finalist, EHS student Akhilesh Vadari

Eastlake 10th grade student, **Akhilesh Vadari**, has been named a [Finalist](#) in the prestigious YoungArts competition. Selected from the most competitive pool of applications to date and representing artists from 47 states, YoungArts winners gain access to one of the most comprehensive programs for emerging artists in the United States, offering financial, professional and artistic development opportunities over the course of their careers. At the end of January, Akhilesh will participate in the 37th annual National YoungArts Week in Miami.

*Good luck, Akhilesh, you make us proud!*

Are you looking for interesting opportunities, programs, and contests for your student? Akhilesh learned about YoungArts via the Wolves Weekly Update. We profile some in the WWU and keep a longer list on the Counseling and Career Center [PowerSchool](#) page. Dream big, Wolves!

### Seeking Career Speakers

Eastlake is seeking parents, student alumni and community members from a wide variety of occupations to be part of our career speaker series held during Wolf Time, Tuesdays or Thursdays 9:10-9:55 am. We'll often pair speakers for a fun and informative session. Would you and/or a colleague be willing to share a little about your job, education, experience and career path? Please add [your name](#) to our list of potential participants and we'll reach out to you.

### December Wolf Time

#### ROTC (Army) Information Session

**Tuesday, December 12, 2017, Wolf Time**

Learn more about Army ROTC's two-, three-, and four-year scholarships, which pay full tuition and fees, book allowance and a monthly stipend. Scholarships are offered at more than 600 colleges throughout the US. Guest Speaker, Ann B. Voss BSN, RN, Second Lieutenant, Army Nurse Corps, University of Washington.

### College Application Working Sessions

**Thursday, December 14, 2017 Wolf Time**

As regular deadlines approach for many colleges, get your last-minute questions answered by the EHS counseling and Career Center team and/or just take advantage of time and space to finish them.

### **Eastlake Post High School Planning Night**

**Wednesday, January 17, 2017, EHS Theater**

Join us as we review post high school options, including 4- and 2-year colleges, technical schools, apprenticeships, military and gap year pathways. We'll review "right fit" strategies, the college application process, timelines, and important resources. This event is designed for 11th grade students and their families but all are welcome.

### **Scholarship Bulletin**

**EHS Scholarship Bulletin -**

click [here](#) to see scholarships on our radar.

### **Northwest Washington Regional Envirothon**

**March 27, 2018, Brightwater Center in Woodinville.**

Each [Envirothon Team](#) consists of five high school students who work together to demonstrate their knowledge in five subject areas: Forestry, Soils/Land Use, Wildlife, Aquatic Ecology, and a current environmental topic. This year's environmental topic is "Western Rangement Management: Balancing Diverse Views." The first-place team from each county in the regional event is eligible to compete in the Washington State Envirothon. [Learn more.](#)

### **LWSD Culinary Competition**

**Saturday, January 6, 2018, 9:30 am, Lake Washington High School**

Two-person teams from across LWSD [test drive their culinary talents](#), compete for prizes and have fun. Interested Eastlake students should inquire with [Maria Garsi](#), EHS Food Science Teacher.

### **Area Events**

[DigiPen Undergrad Preview Day](#)

Saturday, December 9, 2017

[UNIV 304 & Give Information Session CWU Sammamish\(Earn College Credit Volunteering Abroad\)](#)

Tuesday, December 12, 2017

[Service Academy Information Night](#)

Wednesday, December 27, 2017

[National Portfolio Day](#)

Saturday, January 6, 2018

[Stanford University Music Auditions](#)

Sunday, January 7, 2018

[New York Film Academy Audition Tour](#)

Saturday, Jan 20, 2018

[Gap Year Fair](#)

Thursday, February 15, 2018



### **Eastlake Athletics**

Check out the [Wolves](#) in action this past week.

Come out and support the Wolves this next week - they are many home events including a QUAD basketball on Friday December 15 vs. Mount Si. Lets pack the house!

Visit [KINGCOATHLETICS](#) for all Eastlake sports schedules and standings.

### **Give Your Senior the Gift of Celebration**

Senior Send Off makes a perfect gift for the holidays - give an experience instead of more stuff and encourage your student in their final push by anticipating the joy of graduation. Senior Send-Off is a super fun and safe all night party that follows the graduation ceremony. Go to the [PTSA website](#) to sign up. If you would like a special gift certificate mailed to you or if you have further questions, please send an email to

[srsendoff@ehsptsa.org](mailto:srsendoff@ehsptsa.org)



with your name, your student and your mailing address.

## Senior Ads for the Yearbook

Senior Yearbook ads are a great way to celebrate student success and milestones and reflect on the person your student has become. Show your pride and support your school at the same time!

Please access information at:  
[www.jostens.com/yearbookads](http://www.jostens.com/yearbookads)

**The deadline for ad creation is February 15, 2018**

## Senior Photos

Submit Your Senior Photo For the Yearbook!

Senior photos need to be submitted digitally. **Deadline is January 5, 2018!**

Please adhere to the following guidelines:



- Images should be "portrait" style with head and shoulders showing.
- Please DO NOT submit landscape photos!
- The head should be approximately 1/2 the total width of the photo.
- Avoid accessories such as cars, animals, weapons, musical instruments.
- Students should be appropriately dressed to meet the school dress code.
- Digital images should be at least 300 dpi and in a .jpg, .tiff or eps format - Word, excel, publisher or other formats will not be accepted.
- Be sure to complete ALL requested fields so the image is assigned to the correct student.

All photos are to be uploaded to the address below. This will put the photos directly into the yearbook Program: <https://images.jostens.com/408913603>. You should be taken directly to a spot to upload the photo. If the systems asks for a Username, enter in the series of numbers at the end of the link (408913603).

If you have any questions, concerns, or issues regarding senior photo submittal, please contact the Yearbook adviser, Meghan Delaney at [mdelaney@lwsd.org](mailto:mdelaney@lwsd.org).

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