2023-2024 Annual Title I & Family Engagement Meeting

East Knox County Elem. School

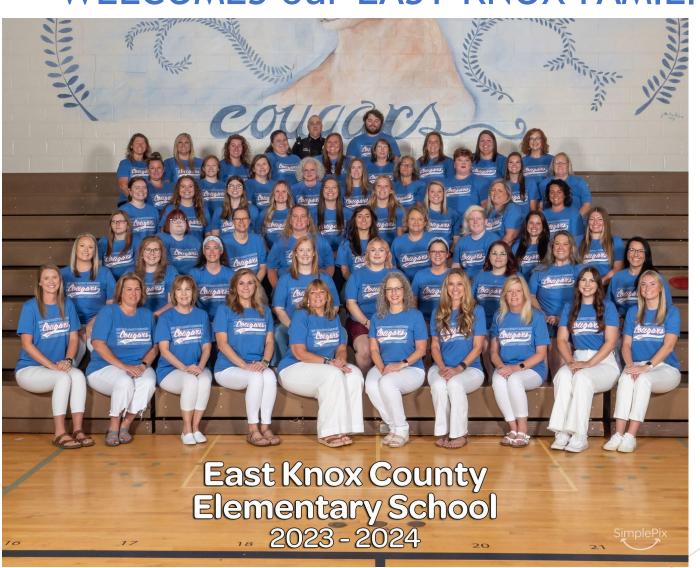
August 22 and August 24

6:00 pm in the gym

Kristi Woods, Principal

Cyndee Casselman, Assistant Principal

East Knox Staff WELCOMES our EAST KNOX FAMILIES!



Why are we here?

The Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) requires that each Title I school hold an annual meeting of Title I families in order to:

- Inform you of your school's participation in Title I.
- Explain the requirements of Title I.
- Explain your rights as parents and family members to be involved.

What will I learn?

- What is a Title I school?
- What are my rights?
- What can Title I funds be used for?
- How does our school use Title I funds?
- What is the School Plan?
- What are our school goals?
- What is our schoolwide student support system? (Behavior Coach)
- Why attendance is important? (Assistant Principal)
- How do I protect my child's assigned device?
- How is parent and family engagement funded?
- What is the Parent and Family Engagement Policy?
- What is the School-Parent Compact?
- How can I participate in a parent collaboration session?
- What curriculum does our school use?
- What tests will my child be taking?
- How can I be involved?
- Who can I see for more information about PTO?

What is a Title I school?

- ► Title I was passed in 1965 under the Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA). It is the largest federal assistance program for our nation's schools.
- ► Title I schools receive extra funding (Title I dollars) from the federal government. These dollars are used to:
 - identify students experiencing academic difficulties and provide assistance to help these students
 - purchase additional staff, programs, materials, and/or supplies
 - conduct parent and family engagement meetings, trainings, events, and/or activities

What are my rights?

- The families and parents of Title I students have a right, by law, to:
 - Be involved in decisions made at both the school and district level
 - Be provided with information on your child's level of achievement on tests in reading/language arts, writing, mathematics, and science
 - Request and receive information on the qualifications of your child's teacher and paraprofessionals who are working with your child
 - Request opportunities for regular meetings to formulate suggestions and to participate, as appropriate, in decisions about the education of your child. The school is required to respond to any such suggestions as soon as practicably possible.

What can Title I funds be used for?

- In general, Title I funds may be used for:
 - smaller class sizes
 - additional teachers and paraprofessionals
 - additional training for school staff
 - extra time for instruction (before and/or after school programs)
 - parent and family engagement activities
 - a variety of supplemental teaching materials, equipment, and technology

How does our school use Title I funds?

- For 2023-2024, our school was allotted approximately \$227,860.00 in Title I funding.
- We developed a Schoolwide Program, which means we plan to spend our funds on the following:
 - Supplemental staff:
 - Behavior Coach
 - Instructional Coach
 - Educational Assistants
 - Leader In Me Social/Emotional Curriculum

What is the SIP?

- The SIP is the School Improvement Plan. It includes:
 - the identification of the school planning team and how they will be engaged in the planning process
 - a needs assessment and summary of academic and non-academic data
 - prioritized goals, strategies, and action steps to help address the academic and non-academic needs of students
 - teacher and staff professional development needs
 - budgets and the coordination of resources
- The school must include family representatives on our school planning team.
- Please let your child's principal know (<u>Kristi.woods@Knoxschools.org</u>) if you would like to be on our school planning team.

What are East Knox's school goals?

- Tier 1 English Language Arts: Excellence in Foundational Skills
- Tier 1 Math: Excellence in Algebra
 1 Foundational Skills
- Success for Every Student

Schoolwide Language

- Expectations
- Safe
- Respectful
- Responsible
- Earning



East Knox County Elementary



School-wide Expectations

	Be Safe	Be Respectful	Be Responsible
Arrival	Calm and safe bodyGet breakfastGo to classroom	 Voice level 1 Greet teachers and classmates Use kind words and actions 	 Follow 1st request Be on time and ready to learn Clean up area
Classroom	 Calm and safe body Stay in area Ready to learn position 	 Eyes on the teacher Listen to teacher instructions Quiet mouth and use positive words Raise hand and wait to speak Focus on learning 	 Follow 1st request Use classroom materials appropriately. Work consistently on work. Use breaks appropriately
Cafeteria	Calm and safe bodyStay in area	Voice level 2Use good manners	■ Follow 1 st request ■ Clean up area
Hallways	Calm and safe bodyWalk on right side in a line	Voice level 0Eyes on the teacherSilent greetings	 Follow 1st request Keep hands and feet off walls Use a pass if not with class
Bathroom	Calm and safe bodyWash and dry hands	Voice level 1 Respect others privacy	 Follow 1st request Flush Waste in proper place
Playground	 Calm and safe body Stay in recess area Follow playground equipment rules 	 Share equipment Include everyone Use kind words and actions 	 Follow 1st request Return equipment Gather belongings
Bus	Calm and safe bodyStay seatedFace forward	 Voice level 1 Use kind words Listen to driver and bus assistant 	■ Follow 1 st request ■ Keep belongings in backpack
Dismissal	 Calm and safe body Stay seated Face forward 	Voice level 0Listen for name or bus	 Follow 1st request Gather belongings quickly and quietly

How it looks in the classroom:

Daily Point Sheet

- •Throughout the school day, each student has the opportunity to <u>earn</u> points for being Safe, Respectful and Responsible.
- •Every student has the opportunity to earn 100 daily points.
- •The point sheet travels to lunch, recess and Encore.

EKCE Daily Point Sheet – 1st grade (use rubric codes to mark points not earned) Class: Date: 10:55-11:25 LUNCH Transition Transition TOTAL POINTS 7:45-8:00 8:00-8:40 9:25-10:55 11:25-11:50 11:50-12:25 1:10-2:20 SOC/EMO Schedule ELA ELA SCI/SS MATH ELA (100– points not earned) LIM 15 3 27 9 18 2 Earnable Points 5 3 3 3 9 10. 11. 12. 13. 15. 18. 19. 20. 22. 23. 24.



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Points Rubric



	Be Safe	Be Respectful	Be Responsible
ation	Calm and safe body.	Eyes on the teacher. Listen to instruction.	Follow 1st request.
ctati	Stay in my area.	 Quiet mouth and use positive words. 	 Use classroom materials appropriately.
Expe	Ready to learn position.	Raise my hand and wait to speak. Focus on my learning.	Use breaks appropriately (calm corner, bathroom, etc)

3 Points	Met ALL expectations.	
2 Points	Needed a reminder to follow expectations.	
1 Point	Struggled to follow expectations and required extra teacher support.	
No (0) Points	No (0) Points Had to leave the classroom learning environment.	













Stormy Day 0-74 points



How it looks at home?

Monthly Calendars

- Daily/Weekly communication sent home
- Student ownership of their earned points for the day
- Tomorrow is ALWAYS a new day

East Knox Daily Point Sheet

August 2023

Student:

Teacher:

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
7	8 First Day for	9	10	11
	Students (½ day)			
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14	15	16	17	18
		Early Release Day for Students		
Signature:	Signature:		Signature:	Signature:
21	22	23	24	25
Signature:	Signature:	Signature:	Signature:	Signature:
28	29	30	31	
	In-service Day Student Holiday			
Signature:		Signature:		

	BESAFE	BE RESPECTFUL	BE RESPONSIBLE	Daily Level
3 Points	Had a calm and safe body. Stayed in my area. In a ready to learn position.	Eyes were on the teacher. Listened to teacher instruction. Had a quiet mouth and used positive words. Raised my hand and waited to speak. Focused on my learning.	Followed 1st request Used my classroom materials appropriately. Used my breaks appropriately (calm corner, bathroom, etc)	Sunny Day 93-100 points 2 brag tags
2 Points	A. Needed a reminder to have a calm and safe body. B. Needed a reminder to stay in my area. C. Needed a reminder to be in.	Needed a reminder to pay attention. Needed a reminder to be quiet and use positive words. Needed a reminder to raise my hand and wait. Needed a reminder to focus on my	Request was made more than once. Needed a reminder to use materials appropriately Needed to be reminded to use my breaks appropriately.	Cloudy Day 85-92 points 1 brag tag
	a ready to learn position.	learning.		Rainy Day
1	AA. Struggled to have a calm and safe body. BB. Struggled to stay in my	DD. Struggled to pay attention. EE. Argued with my teacher or classmate, but stopped when asked.	HH. Did not follow teacher requests. II. Struggled to use materials appropriately	75-84 points call home
Point	cc. Struggled to stay in a ready to learn position.	FF. Interrupted the learning environment. GG. Focused on other people.	 Did not use my breaks appropriately, but was not being disruptive. 	Stormy Day
No (0)	X. Had to leave the classroom	X. Had to leave the classroom learning	X. Had to leave the classroom learning	0-74 points

X. Had to leave the classroom learning environment

X. Had to leave the classroom learning environment

Example Monthly Calendars Grade 1-3

Example Monthly Calendars Grade 4-5 East Knox Daily Point Sheet

X. Had to leave the classroom

learning environment

X. Had to leave the classroom learning

August 2023

Student:

Tomorrow is a New Day 0-74 points

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Teacher:

but was not being disruptive.

X. Had to leave the classroom learning

Sheet		· iuguet zeze			Teacher:			
Monday Tuesday Wednesday		Thursday	Friday					
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		First Day for Students (½ day)		Behavior Points:		Behavior Points:	Behavior Points:	
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What do all these points mean?

- •Establishing consistency across the school.
- Reinforcing positive academic and social/emotional behavior
- Opportunity for positive student/teacher interactions
- •Fosters respectful, supportive relationships
- Reinforces positive behaviors
- •Students learn how to create a SAFE, RESPECTFUL, and RESPONSIBLE environment.
- Acknowledge positive student behavior

Celebrations!

- •Students will have a chance throughout the year to receive Positive Celebrations.
- •The 4th Celebration results in a Positive Office Referral.
 - Students will choose an item from our Cougar Swag Basket and we will call home:)

East Knox County Elementary Celebration Documentation 2023-2024						
Student Name:						
Grade:			Homeroom Teacher:			
Directions: Document special celebrations on this form. To receive a POSITIVE OFFICE REFERRAL, students must earn a total of 4 celebrations. Celebrations can be ACADEMIC and/Or SOCIAL/EMOTIONAL celebrations, Ideas for the first 3 celebrations that YOU can do with students are listed at the bottom of the page.						
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Congratulations for receiving your 4th CELEBRATION! Please take this document to administration. Date:						
Celebration Ideas you as the teacher can do - Not limited						
Words of Praise Brag Tags Note/card sent home Student called home Prize box Select class activity		□ Pick seat □ Lunch with □ Lunch with □ Certificate □ Use "speci	teacher	☐ VIP Seat☐ Special Snack☐ Share with another teacher☐ Share with administration☐ Other		
				EKCE 12/22		

We Teach Everyone Here!

- Reading
- Math
- Science
- Social Studies
- Leader in Me Social Emotional Curriculum
- Interventions
- Art, Music, PE, Library, Counseling
- GOAL- We need everyone here to teach them!

We Need Everyone Here!

- 23.2% of students in 2022-23 were chronically absent (missed more than 10% of the school year). This is an improvement from 21-22 School Year of 38.2% chronically absent.
- GOAL- Decrease our chronic absenteeism. Miss less than a week of school.

We Want Everyone Here!

- School opens at 7:15 a.m.
- Breakfast is served and available free for all students.
- Opportunity for students to get to their class and be prepared.
- Automated messages if child absent.
- GOAL- be here and ready to learn by 7:45 a.m.
- Here on time award- H.O.T.

Device

- Devices will Stay at School! Devices will not be coming home unless there is an extenuating circumstance with absences. Those will be approved by administration and will occur depending upon circumstances.
- ► Device Agreements: If you have not returned your child's device agreement please do so as soon as possible. If you don't have one, we can get you one.
- Device Insurance: It is highly recommended that you buy insurance to cover incidental damages (\$20)
- Chargers: Not covered under insurance \$20 fee to replace
- Digital Citizenship: Teach your child how to be a good digital citizen while on their device at school. Digital citizenship lessons are being taught to each grade level, and students are signing an agreement that they will follow the expectations.

Device Insurance is \$20 to be paid by September 30, 2023

- Accidental Damage: The plan pays for drops, liquid damage, or other unintentional acts of damage to the device. This includes, but is not limited to the screen, keyboard, bezel, ports/buttons, or battery.
- ► Theft: Damage or loss due to theft. The claim requires the student or family to submit a police report.
- Fire: Pays for loss or damage due to fire; requires a report from the investigating authority.
- Electrical Surge: Pays for damage due to electrical power surges.
- Natural disaster: Pays for damage caused by a natural disaster.

Device Protection Plan Exclusions

- Intentional Damage. The protection plan does not pay for damage caused by negligent or intentional acts. Damage determined to be intentional will incur a replacement fee.
- Lost/Damaged Consumables. Power adapter (\$20 replacement cost) is not covered under the plan.
- Lost/Missing devices are not covered under the insurance plan (\$250 replacement cost).
- Cosmetic Alterations. Any device personalization will be charged for the replacement cost of the damaged part(s). This includes stickers, markings, graffiti, etc.

Commitment to Sign

Elementary Student Commitment:

I commit to be a good digital citizen by:

- Following rules to keep myself and others safe
- Protecting my own and others' private information online
- Communicating responsibly and kindly to others online

All information on our School Counseling Program are available on our East Knox Website.

Including:

Making a counselor or social worker referral

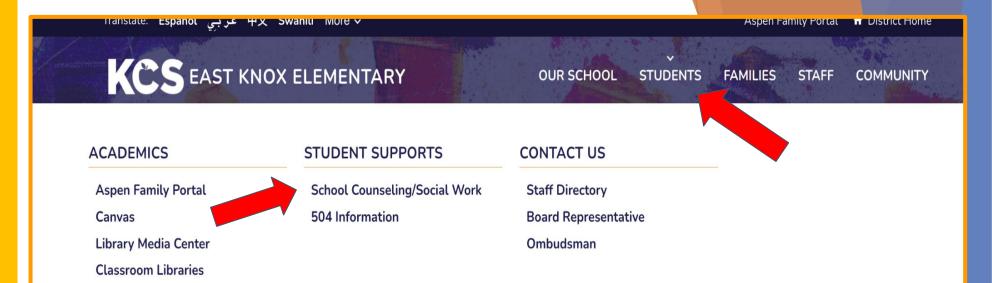
Other links and resources

Life Skills Class schedule (ALL lesson are available on CANVAS)

TN standards for a comprehensive developmental school counseling program

Any special announcements

Contact information



School Counseling/Social Work

- > News and Information
- > Making a COUNSELOR

Referral

- > Making a SOCIAL WORKER Referral
- > Mission, Vision, and Beliefs
- > How Elementary
- Counselors Help
- > Links and Resources
- > Suicide Prevention
 Information and Resources



WELCOME MESSAGE:



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"Ms. Patricia"
Professional School Counselor

How is parent and family engagement funded?

- Any district with a Title I allocation exceeding \$500,000 is required by law to set aside 1% of the Title I allocation for parent and family engagement.
- Of that 1%, 10% may be reserved at the district for system-wide initiatives related to parent and family engagement. The remaining 90% must be allocated to all Title I schools in the district.
- You, as Title I parents and family members, have the right to be involved in how this money is spent.

How is parent and family engagement funded?

- ► In 2023-2024, we received approximately \$3586.00 in parent and family engagement funding. We plan to use these funds for:
 - Parent and Family Engagement
 Meeting and Events Family Fun
 Nights! Please turn in your input as
 you leave.
 - Materials/Supplies
 - Books, Games, manipulatives for FCE Events
 - Snack for FCE Events

What is a Parent and Family Engagement Policy?

- These plans address how the district and school will implement the parent and family engagement requirements of ESSA. Components should include:
 - how parents and families can be involved in decision-making and activities
 - how parent and family engagement funds are being used
 - how information and training will be provided to families
 - how the school will build capacity in families and staff for strong parent and family engagement
- You, as a Title I parent or family member, have the right to be involved in the development of these plans.

What is a Parent and Family Engagement Policy?

► The district Parent and Family Engagement Policy (I-270) can be found on the Knox County Schools website -> Our District -> Board of Education -> Board Policies

www.knoxschools.org/Page/2107

The East Knox Parent and Family Engagement Policy is on our schools website -> Families -> Family Information-> Title I Family Plan or Title I Compact

www.knoxschools.org/eastknoxes

What is a School-Parent Compact?

- A school-parent compact is a written commitment that outlines how the entire school community - teachers, families, and students will share the responsibility for improved academic achievement.
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- The compact must describe how the school will:
 - provide high-quality curriculum and instruction
 - hold parent-teacher conferences, annually in elementary schools
 - provide parents with reports on their child's progress
 - provide parents reasonable access to staff
 - provide parents opportunities to volunteer
 - ensure regular two-way meaningful communication between family members and staff, to the extent practicable, in a language family members can understand
- You, as a Title I parent or family member, have the right to be involved in the development of the compact.

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Please join us for a family input session

- To develop our School Level Family Engagement Plan
- To develop our School Compact

Coffee with the Principals

5:30 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 21, 2023

7:45 a.m. Friday, Sept. 22, 2023

What curriculum does our school use?

- The Tennessee Academic Standards provide a common set of expectations for what students will know and be able to do at the end of a grade for each subject area.
- Tennessee's academic standards form the framework for everything taught at East Knox County Elem. School
- For more information about Tennessee's academic standards, see:

https://www.tn.gov/content/tn/education/instruction/academic-s
tandards.html

Curriculum

TN BENCHMARK ADVANCE (READING LANG.ARTS)
 BENCHMARK EDUCATION CO
 CURRICULUM ASSOCIATES

- ► (K-2) SOLID Start (**SCIENCE** Oral Language and Literacy Development from the Start of School)
- ► TN INSPIRE **SCIENCE** BE A SCIENTIST NOTEBOOK (3-5) MCGRAW HILL EDUCATION
- ► TN EXPERIENCE **SOCIAL STUDIES** (Grades 3-5) GALLOPADE
- ► INTO **SOCIAL STUDIES** (Grade 2) HOUGHTON MIFFLIN HARCOU
- ► TN **STUDIES** WEEKLY (Grade K&1)

HOUGHTON MIFFLIN HARCOURT
AMERICAN LEGACY PUBLISHING

What tests will my child be taking?

- Universal Screener: Reading and Math 3 times a year (K-5)
- Mastery View Predictive Assessment 2 times a year (2-5)
- TCAPs for 3rd-5th grade (paper)
 - April 15-30, 2024
- Classroom assessments

How can I be involved?

- We need you! Research has proven that family engagement in education has more impact on student achievement than any other factor.
- Please contact <u>Kristi.woods@Knoxschools.org</u> to get involved with the school improvement plan
- To give input on our Parent and Family Engagement Policy, please complete the survey.
- To give input on our School Parent Compact, please complete the survey.
 Your voice matters
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- Support your child's teacher
- Come to Family Fun Nights
- Volunteer at the Winter Festival, Saturday, Dec. 2nd
- Join our PTO....

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Admin Wish List:

- Door prizes for Staff Meetings
- Treats for teachers / staff "Woohoo wagon"
- Lunches for Staff
- Donations to provide teacher incentives
- Donations toward Water Bottle Filling Station for yellow wing (\$1300)
- Outdoor Eating & Learning at back entrance (courtyard)

See any of our PTO Board Officers for more information....



President:Amber Lindsey

Secretary:Christy Henson

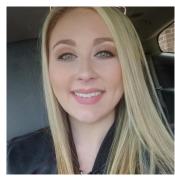




Vice President:Sarah Reynolds

Treasurer:
Candace Adkins





Co-Vice President:Catelyn Henderson

Co-Treasurer: Shawn Parsons





THE CLASS WITH THE MOST

MEMBERSHIPS BY SEPTEMBER 12TH

WILL GET A PIZZA PARTY!

Memberships are \$5 and can be paid online by scanning the QR code below

or in person at the

membership meeting on September 12th

Gat 6:00 in the library.

