

ELIZABETH HIGH SCHOOL

8TH GRADE PARENT NIGHT

FOR THE CLASS OF 2029

EHS ADMINISTRATIVE TEAM

Bret McClendon
Principal

John Everhart
Assistant Principal
Students A-K
Athletics/Activities

Cory Robinson
Assistant Principal
Students L-Z

EHS COUNSELING TEAM

**Casey Waters
Counselor**

**Keith Kirkland
Counselor**

**Andrew Ponn
Counselor**

**Paula Humphrey
Counselor**

**Laurie Burke
Registrar**

The Role of Your Counselor:

- Personal/Social Individual Counseling
- Mediation with a peer or a teacher
- Academic course planning and scheduling
- College/Career exploration and planning
- Time management and organization
- ETC



ACADEMIC PLANNING AT EHS

EHS GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

English 4.0 credits

Mathematics 3.0 credits

Science 3.0 credits

Social Studies 3.5 credits

Physical Education 1.0 credit

Health .5 credit

Personal Living / Finance .5 credit

Computer Literacy 1.0 credit

Fine Arts 1.0 credit

Electives 8.5 credits

26.0 Total Credits

COLORADO HEAR

(HIGHER EDUCATION ADMISSIONS REQUIREMENTS)

<u>Academic Area</u>	<u>Requirement</u>
English	4 Years
Mathematics	4 Years Integrated I or Higher
Science	3 Years 2 Lab-Based
Social Sciences	3 Years
Foreign Languages	1-3 Year(s) varies by college
Academic Electives	1 Year

**Requirements as Determined by The Colorado Commission on Higher Education
(CCHE)**

REGISTRATION PROCESS

1. Talk with your student's CURRENT teachers about classes/track
2. Talk about class choices for next year
3. Registration forms will be in Google Classroom
4. Middle school visits for Legacy and EMS will be March 5th
5. Use Course Description Guide for all course information
 - On the EHS Counseling Webpage <https://www.elizabethschooldistrict.org/domain/796>
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Registration Worksheets will be due no later than Wednesday, March 26th. Failure to do so, will result in counselors creating your schedule.

9TH GRADE CORE CLASSES

REGULAR TRACK

ENGLISH

Literature & Composition 100

MATH

Integrated I

SCIENCE

Physical Science

SOCIAL STUDIES

World Geography

ADVANCED TRACK

ENGLISH

CP Literature & Composition 100

MATH

Integrated II

SCIENCE

CP Physical Science

SOCIAL STUDIES

AP Human Geography

9TH GRADE ELECTIVE CLASSES

REQUIRED FOR 9TH GRADE

Cardinal Grounds School
(0.5 credit/semester)

REQUIRED FOR GRADUATION RECOMMENDED FOR 9TH GRADE

Computer Applications I (0.5 credit)
Health Education (0.5 credit)

ELECTIVE CHOICES

- Body Works
- Intro Speed & Agility
- Speed & Agility
- Intro Womens Speed & Agility
- Women's Speed & Agility
- Computer Applications I
- Website Design
- Principles of Business
- Business of Economics
- Principles of Marketing
- Principles of Finance
- Fundamentals of Technology
- Culinary I
- Culinary II
- intro to Fashion & Design
- Spanish I-A & Spanish I-B
- Foundational 2D
- Intermediate 2D
- Foundational 3D
- Intermediate 3D
- Graphic Design I
- Graphic Design II
- Beginning Tech Theatre
- Theatre I & II
- Dance A
- Dance B
- Concert Orchestra
- Jazz Ensemble
- Marching Band
- Symphonic Wind Ensemble
- Chorale
- Chamber Choir
- Jazz Choir
- Bel Canto
- Video Production I
- Video Production II
- Automotive I
- Consumer Automotive
- Journalism & Media Communication
- Student Council
- Yearbook

Things to look forward to...

Arapahoe Community College

- Concurrent enrollment (High school credit at the same time as getting college credit)
- Offered on campus at EHS and online

Andrew Ponn- Concurrent Enrollment Coordinator
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Pickens/Englewoods Finest

- Cosmetology and tech school programs such as welding, HVAC etc.
- Earn credits for EHS while earning your license/certificate

Internships

- Explore Career options in a real world setting
- Earn elective credit
- Seniors can do two full school days of internship
- Weekly skills and sharing seminars
- Earn certifications at some internships

Steve Beaudoin - Internship Coordinator
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Certificate Courses

- Certified Nursing Assistant
- Automotive
- Graphic Design - Photoshop/Adobe
- Water Science

EHS BLOCK CLASS SCHEDULE

- **8 Classes**
- **Red Day Blocks 1 – 4 (Mon, Thur)**
- **White Day Blocks 5 – 8 (Tues, Fri)**
- **Stacked Days 1-8 (Wed)**
- **Thursday Late Start**
- **Friday Homeroom**



Be a part of EHS



EHS Highlights

- EHS graduation rate is 93-94%
- EHS offers a comprehensive interscholastic athletic program with sixteen varsity sports and poms.
- EHS graduates have attended MIT, the Air Force Academy, West Point, and School of Mines
- EHS State Titles: Gymnastics 2009, 2010, 2012, 2017, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022; Football 2010
- EHS offers a Student Council, National Honor Society, Quill and Scroll Journalism, International Thespian Society, Tri-M Music Honor Society, and National Technical Honor Society
- EHS has three state/national competitive leadership organizations: Future Business Leaders, Family Career and Community Leaders of America, and the Technology Student Association
- EHS offers mechanical clubs aswell including Robotics and Skills USA.
- EHS offers an Intro to Teacher Education Program, preparing students for Careers in Education
- EHS offers over 80 internships with many local businesses.
- EHS students have won prestigious awards: National Merit Finalist 2020 & 2023 and Boettcher Scholars 2016 & 2020

EHS ATHLETICS

Fall

- Football
- Boys' Soccer
- Boys' Golf
- Cross Country
- Softball
- Volleyball
- Gymnastics
- POMS/Spirit

Winter

- Girls' Basketball
- Boys' Basketball
- Wrestling
- POMS/Spirit

Spring

- Girls' Golf
- Girls' Soccer
- Track & Field
- Baseball

CLUBS & ACTIVITIES

- Art Club
- Automotive Skills USA
- Chess Club
- Color Guard
- Dungeons & Dragons
- Fall Play
- Family, Career, and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA)
- Flight Crew
- Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA)
- Marching Band
- National Arts Honor Society
- National Honor Society
- Robotics
- Spring Musical
- Student Council
- Technology Student Association (TSA)
- Thespians
- Tri-M Music Society
- Winter Guard

Opportunities for more information:

Visit the Gym:

- Clubs
- Sports
- Counseling
- Administration