

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 EDUICATION 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.elizabethschoolsdistrict.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