

The Ewing Public Schools

# 2023–24 School Calendar & Parent Handbook

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# The Ewing Public Schools

Dear Community Members,

I am delighted to extend a warm welcome to all students, families, and community members as we approach the new school year at Ewing Public Schools. I hope everyone got some well-deserved rest and relaxation over the summer months.

Our team has been working diligently over the summer to ensure our facilities are ready for a successful academic year. With thorough cleaning, essential maintenance, and HVAC upgrades, we have created a safe and conducive environment for learning. The completion of the Antheil Elementary School parking lot project, coupled with a green initiative to plant additional trees, have enhanced school grounds.

As we look to the future, we are excited to continue our commitment to academic excellence, the arts and athletics, inclusivity, and creativity. Join us in contributing your insights during the strategic planning process this September.

Your partnership is crucial to our students' success, and I invite our community to join in this exciting journey. With gratitude for your ongoing support, let us embrace the opportunities ahead and make this school year remarkable.

Warm regards,  
Dr. David Gentile



Superintendent of Schools  
Ewing Public Schools



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Dear Parents, Guardians, Alumni, Students and Friends,



The Ewing Public Education Foundation (EPEF or Foundation) celebrates 28 years of providing grants to Ewing Public Schools for innovative educational programs. EPEF is an independent, non-profit organization whose mission is to mobilize community support, commitment, and resources to help improve the quality of education in Ewing Public Schools. The Foundation also seeks to match corporate organizational donors with teachers to find additional projects of mutual interest.

EPEF provides grants to teachers and staff members and allocates scholarships to graduating Ewing High School students through fund-raising activities, corporate and institutional sponsorship, and individual donations. These programs enhance our children's educational experience without the use of taxpayer dollars. The grants recognize the need for innovative educational opportunities in a variety of areas, inspiring the creativity of our educators and enabling them to engage the students in exciting and different ways. Scholarships provide the graduating seniors from EHS the ability to continue their educational endeavors in colleges, universities, or vocational institutions.

EPEF has stayed steadfast to our mission by providing grants to educators' innovative programs and scholarships. In the past ten years, the Foundation has awarded grants totaling over \$310,000 and in 2023 awarded \$8,000 in scholarships to our graduating EHS students.

The Foundation is a founding member of the New Jersey Education Foundation Partnership and a member of the Mercer Regional Chamber of Commerce.

EPEF continues to expand its assistance to teachers, staff members, and students with the support of individuals, businesses, and corporate sponsors. Our success depends on your contribution. Your contribution of \$25 or more will allow us to expand our commitment to Ewing Public Schools educators and students.

*For additional information about the Foundation and to make a tax-deductible contribution, visit EPEF's website at [www.ep ef.org](http://www.ep ef.org). Like our Facebook page for updates and additional information. Thank you for your support.*

Sincerely,  
**Roomana Khan, President**  
Ewing Public Education Foundation

# Superintendent Dr. David Gentile

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Dr. David Gentile began his career as the Superintendent of the Ewing Public Schools in November of 2022.

Dr. Gentile's mission is to provide every student the opportunity to achieve their dreams through education was forged long before he stepped foot in a classroom. His father, an Italian immigrant, overcame learning challenges to become a self-taught mechanical engineer who, through sheer drive and determination, founded a successful family HVAC business. His mother owned a small hair styling business that operated out of her shop built by his father in the basement of their modest home in a working-class small-town, USA.

The value of education was nurtured throughout his childhood. His parents, who always wanted more for their children, insisted they study hard and receive the best education possible. Dr. Gentile's sister earned a Ph.D. in accounting while he fell in love with teaching and learning. As a teenager, he was a swimming instructor for younger children; it was then that he discovered his passion for teaching. Schoolwork did not always come easy for Dr. Gentile, struggling especially with reading; until, as a freshman in college, a learning consultant ensured he received help to overcome this obstacle. From that point forward, he enjoyed a new world of reading, learning, and helping others become successful learners. He tutored local high school students to help work his way through college and, in doing so, confirmed his love for teaching and learning.

Dr. Gentile's family was not one of great means; however, he had some success on the athletic field which afforded him access to an education. He attributes his personal work ethic to his experience as a student, athlete, and employee. He vividly remembers extremely long days as he worked in the family HVAC business, maintained good grades, and participated in baseball and football.

He started his formal career in education in 1998 with the Millville Public School District as an elementary school teacher and high school baseball and football coach. His own experiences helped him identify with his young students and help them understand themselves better as learners. Dr. Gentile gravitated to instructing students who had learning obstacles, ultimately leading him to teach in an alternative eighth-grade program he helped design for the Runnemede Public School District.

In 2003, he officially started his leadership career as a middle school vice principal and was later promoted to the position, of principal in Runnemede, New Jersey. In 2008, he traveled up the road to become the Superintendent of Schools in the

Mount Holly Public School District. Working collaboratively with his team, they achieved many improvements and successes: reducing school violence, improving student achievement, and finding and addressing inequities. He learned how to work effectively with stakeholders throughout the school community, through a collaborative effort to pass a comprehensive bond referendum and oversee multiple capital improvement projects.

In 2010, he was appointed Superintendent of Schools in the Millville Public School District. Dr. Gentile spent the next decade working with staff and community members on a shared vision to create a world-class district. Together, they realized many improvements and successes: student achievement, establishing a professional community dedicated to instructional improvement, creating a system of classroom walkthroughs, and establishing a comprehensive professional development approach. Their professional work was recognized by both McRel and ASCD as they featured the district's efforts in their video series *Classroom Instruction that Works*. He also worked collaboratively in Millville to secure New Jersey Department of Education funding to address crowding and capacity issues, as well as other long-standing educational concerns. As a result, the district received over one-hundred million dollars in additional state funding to complete a comprehensive renovation project that completely overhauled the existing high school campus.

In 2019, Dr. Gentile was appointed Superintendent of Schools in the Voorhees Township School District, where he worked with staff and community members to create a much-needed redistricting plan, to advance full-day kindergarten and the construction of an early childhood center, as well as integrating more technology into classroom instruction. Like school leaders throughout the country, he navigated uncharted territory of the world-wide COVID pandemic. In 2022, he became the Chief Academic Officer of the Cumberland County Technical High School District, where he was responsible for student admissions, equity, curriculum/instruction, and various other special projects for the district.



Dr. Gentile's goal is to work collaboratively with the Ewing community to ensure students receive an exceptional education and are prepared for the world following graduation.



# The Ewing Public Schools

Over 3,500 students attend five public schools in Ewing Township. Students in Grades PreK-5 attend Antheil, Lore and Parkway Elementary Schools. Students in Grades 6-8 attend Fisher Middle School and Ewing High School serves Grades 9-12. A comprehensive curriculum and a wide range of programs are provided for all students.

All district K-12 programs are evaluated by the New Jersey Department of Education. The District is accredited by the State of New Jersey.

## Public Information

We believe it is our responsibility to keep parents, students, staff and residents informed. The district calendar is posted on the website and individual school calendars list current activities and events for each of the district schools.

The district phone number is 609-538-9800. Voice mail is available for all staff members as well as for a residency hotline (8999), and anonymous tip hotline (1199).

## Virtual Backpack

Information that traditionally came home in student backpacks is posted to our virtual backpacks for each school. Community information is posted as a courtesy on the community information page; look here for Ewing Township Recreation information.



## District Information

The district website, [www.ewing.k12.nj.us](http://www.ewing.k12.nj.us), provides board agendas, minutes from the board meetings, activities and sports calendars, news items, announcements, school policies and programs and many other helpful items. Every issue of the current school year's **GoodNews** is also available on the website. The individual school sites include student work, class projects, a calendar of school activities, as well as headlines featuring important and exciting information to be shared with the school community. Be sure to check the virtual backpacks and headlines for up-to-the minute information.

School Hours	Opening	Closing
Ewing High	7:45am	2:30pm
Fisher Middle	8:25am	3:05pm
Elementary	9:00am	3:40pm
O'Brien Academy	7:35am	1:55pm
Endeavor Academy	9:15am	1:00pm



## SchoolMessenger



All student contact information will be updated DAILY using the Guardian 1 and Guardian 2 contact information located in Genesis Parent Portal. Please make sure to update your phone number or email in Genesis Parent Portal if your contact information changes.

It is also important that parents and guardians create an account with SchoolMessenger. We recommend downloading the app which is available on the Apple and Android store.

To receive text messages, you will need to opt into the text(SMS) alerts. The SchoolMessenger system will send a text asking if you would like to receive text alerts. Simply respond that you would like to receive text alerts.

Please go to the following link for information on SchoolMessenger: <http://go.schoolmessenger.com>.

## Emergency School Closings

Weather conditions or the loss of utility services (heat, water or electric) can mean a delayed opening, the closing of the schools or an early dismissal. The decision to delay or close the schools is made as early as possible. A message will be posted on the district phone system (609-538-9800), the website, and a SchoolMessenger message will be sent.

Should there be a delayed opening, all students are to report to school **1 hour and 30 minutes** later than normal. Do not drop your child off at school at the usual time as there may not be sufficient staff for supervision.

	Delayed Opening	Early Dismissal
Ewing High	9:15am	12:15pm
Fisher Middle	9:55am	12:55pm
Elementary	10:30am	1:40pm
O'Brien Academy	9:05am	11:55am



# The Ewing Public Schools

## Board of Education Meetings

Business Meeting	September 18, 2023	(Monday @ EHS)
Business Meeting	October 30, 2023	(Monday @ FMS)
Business Meeting	November 27, 2023	(Monday @ Lore)
Business Meeting	December 18, 2023	(Monday @ EHS)
Business Meeting	January 4, 2024	(EHS - No closed session)

The Board of Education may meet in closed session at 6:00pm. The public segment of the meeting will follow at 7:00pm, unless otherwise noted. Meeting dates are subject to change. Check the website for meeting locations.

## The 2023 Ewing Township Board of Education

Mrs. Deborah A. Delutis, President	Ms. Lisa A. McConnell
Mr. Michael S. Miller, Vice President	Mr. Anthony F. Messina
Mr. Daniel L. Angebrannt	Mrs. Jennifer L. Miller
Dr. Channing C. Conway	
Mrs. Nicole NW Harris	
Ms. Sandra L. Herrington	

## District Administrative Team

Dr. David Gentile, Superintendent of Schools
Dr. Danita Ishibashi, Assistant Superintendent (Curriculum & Instruction)
Mr. Dennis J. Nettleton, School Business Administrator (Fiscal Management/Governance)
Mr. Harry Louth, Director of Special Services, Operations, Grant Management
Dr. Jennifer Antoni, Director of Counseling Services & Assessment

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## September

1	<b>CLOSED – Staff Development Day</b>
4	<b>CLOSED – Labor Day</b>
5	Building Meeting/Student Orientation
6	First Day of School for Students
13	Ewing High School Back to School Night
14	Fisher Middle School Back to School Night
14	O'Brien Academy Back to School Night
19	Lore School Back to School Night
20	Antheil School Back to School Night
21	Parkway School Back to School Night
25	<b>CLOSED – Yom Kippur</b>

## October

12	Early Dismissal <b>K-8 only</b> Parent Conferences
18	Early Dismissal <b>K-8 only</b> Parent Conferences

## November

7	<b>CLOSED – Staff Development Day</b>
9-10	<b>CLOSED – NJEA Convention</b>
20-21	Early Dismissal <b>K-8</b> Parent Conferences Evening Conferences: FMS 20 <sup>th</sup> ; Elementary 21 <sup>st</sup>
22	Early Dismissal <b>K-12</b> NO PM EDP
23-24	<b>CLOSED – Thanksgiving Break</b>

## December

22	Early Dismissal <b>K-12</b> NO PM EDP
25-29	<b>CLOSED – Winter Break</b>

## January

1	<b>CLOSED – New Year Holiday Observed</b>
15	<b>CLOSED – Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day</b>
25,26,29	Early Dismissal <b>9-12 only</b> (Exams)
30	<b>CLOSED – 6-12 &amp; OBA (no students)</b>
30	Early Dismissal <b>K-5</b> & Full Day Preschool

## February

8	EHS Back to School Night 2 <sup>nd</sup> Semester
12	<b>CLOSED – Staff Development Day</b>
19	<b>CLOSED – Presidents' Day</b>

## March

6	Early Dismissal <b>K-8 only</b> Parent Conferences
29	<b>Closed – Spring Break</b>

## April

1-5	<b>CLOSED – Spring Break</b>
10	<b>CLOSED – Eid al-Fitr Staff/Development Day</b>

## May

27	<b>CLOSED – Memorial Day</b>
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## June

19	<b>CLOSED – Juneteenth Federal Holiday</b>
18,20,21	Early Dismissal <b>K-12</b> – NO LUNCHES SERVED EHS 12:00 FMS 12:35 Elementary 1:10 OBA 11:35
21	Last Day of School/EHS Graduation

# Who Should I Contact When?

On occasion, a parent may have a concern, complaint, suggestion or request related to a school decision or policy. Many questions are easily and completely answered by communicating directly with the person in charge of the class or program. Each situation should first be addressed at whatever level the initial action was taken, with appeals moving on to the next level in the chain of command. **General information (school/Board calendar, policies/regulations, employee contact information, individual schools websites, etc.) is always available for you at our website: [www.ewing.k12.nj.us](http://www.ewing.k12.nj.us). Our phone number is 609-538-9800.**

## 1. Matters concerning instruction, discipline, or extra-curricular activities at Ewing High School or Fisher Middle School:

### *Classroom Teacher, Club Advisor or Athletic Director:*

EHS Main Office:		Ext: 2100
Athletic Director (matters related to athletics):		Ext: 2126
FMS Main Office:		Ext: 3100

## 2. Matters Related to Curriculum and Instruction:

Counseling Services/Assessment:	Dr. Jennifer Antoni	Ext: 2121
K-12 English Language Arts, ESL:	Sara Graja	Ext: 2156
K-12 Social Studies, World Language, Music, Art:	Brock Mislan	Ext: 2152
Instructional Technology & Engineering	Alicia Mackall	Ext: 5127
Math & Science	Don Wahlers	Ext: 5155
Special Education Programs		
PK-5 Programs:	Maria Petsos	Ext: 4154
Grade 6 – Age 21:	Dave Hauserman	Ext: 3701
9-12 Family & Consumer Science/Business:	Shalieka Jarrett	Ext: 2106
Health & Physical Education:	Kyle Kaminskask	Ext: 2127

## 3. Matters Related to Student Discipline at Ewing High School:

Dean of Students:	David Waseleski	Ext: 2103
Dean of Students:	David Sheffel	Ext: 2105
Assistant Principal:	Lisa Lenihan	Ext: 2107
Assistant Principal:	Shalieka Jarrett	Ext: 2106
Athletic Director/Student Wellness:	Kyle Kaminskask	Ext: 2126
Principal:	Edward Chmiel	Ext: 2102

### **Matters Related to Student Discipline at Fisher Middle School:**

Dean of Students:	Rebecca Romanko	Ext: 3105
Assistant Principal:	Scott Sheplock	Ext: 3105
Assistant Principal:	Hugh Dwyer	Ext: 3105
Principal:	Dr. Maggy Hanna	Ext: 3102

## 4. Matters related to elementary schools:

### *Antheil Elementary School*

Dean of Students:	Mark Milecki	Ext: 4103
Principal:	Clifford 'Kip' Harrison	Ext: 4102

### *Lore Elementary School*

Dean of Students:	Christine Meekins	Ext: 6103
Principal:	Kelly Kawalek	Ext: 6102

### *Parkway Elementary School*

Dean of Students:	Robert Odri	Ext: 5105
Principal:	Michelle Conway	Ext: 5102

## 5. On matters involving school operations:

Food Services:	Maureen Casey	Ext: 7106
Transportation:	Irene Presutti	Ext: 7111
Buildings and Grounds:	Vincent Ferrara	Ext: 7102
Registration/Residency:	George Cahill	Ext: 7184
Extended Day Program Before School Care:	Andrea Gormerly	Ext: 7114
Extended Day Program After School Care		
Boys & Girls Clubs of Mercer County		(609) 695-6060
Program Director:	Denise Brannon-Eutsey	Ext: 202
SBA/Board Secretary:	Dennis Nettleton	Ext: 1302

## 6. Anti-Bullying/HIB Concerns:

Contact Building Level Anti-Bullying Specialist		
District HIB Coordinator:	Dr. Jennifer Antoni	Ext: 2121

## 7. To resolve all matters only after you have followed the levels outlined above:

Assistant Superintendent:	Dr. Danita Ishibashi	Ext: 1402
Superintendent:	Dr. David Gentile	Ext: 1102

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# The Ewing Public Schools

## Affirmative Action/Non-Discrimination Information

The Ewing Public Schools will not discriminate against students or employees on the basis of race, color, creed, religion, national origin, ancestry, age, marital status, affectational or sexual orientation, gender, gender identity or expression, socioeconomic status, or disability.

Harry Louth, the Director of Special Services, Operations & Grant Management, is the district's Affirmative Action Officer and Dr. Jennifer Antoni, Director of Counseling Services and Assessment, is the 504 Officer. They coordinate compliance efforts and investigate complaints of discrimination.

Policies and regulations are available for review on our website ([www.ewing.k12.nj.us](http://www.ewing.k12.nj.us)) under the Board of Education/Policies and Regulations tab.

## Sexual Harassment of Students

*Ewing Public Schools Title IX Coordinator:*

Mr. Harold Louth

Gusz Building

220 Ewingville Road

Ewing, New Jersey 08638

Email: [hlouth@ewingboe.org](mailto:hlouth@ewingboe.org)

Phone: (609) 538-9800 X7176

Policy 5751 and Regulation 5751 Sexual Harassment of Students can be located on the district website: [www.ewing.nj.k12.us](http://www.ewing.nj.k12.us) under the Board of Education tab/Policies and Regulations.

The Board of Education will not tolerate sexual harassment of students by school employees, other students, or third parties. Sexual harassment of students is a form of prohibited sex discrimination. In accordance with Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972 and the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR), 34 CFR §106, the school district adopts this Policy and implement practices to investigate and resolve allegations of sexual harassment of students engaged in by school employees, other students, or third parties

pursuant to 34 CFR §106.3(c). In addition, reports of sexual harassment shall also be investigated in accordance with the requirements of New Jersey's Anti-Bullying Bill of Rights Act and Policy 5512. Policy 5751 and Regulation 5751 Sexual Harassment of Students can be located on the district website: [www.ewing.nj.k12.us](http://www.ewing.nj.k12.us) under the Board of Education tab/Policies and Regulations.



## The Week of Respect is October 2-6, 2023

Each school year, the Ewing Public Schools recognizes the Week of Respect during the first week in October. The purpose of the Week of Respect is to teach students how to respect others, our school, our community, and ourselves, as well as how to prevent harassment, intimidation, and bullying situations. The Week of Respect also emphasizes the importance of character education and teaches students strategies on how to be compassionate, thoughtful, caring people in and outside of school.

## School Violence Awareness Week is October 16-20, 2023

Keeping Our Kids Students Safe, Healthy & In School!

During this week, schools are required to provide students, parents, school district staff and law enforcement opportunities to discuss methods for keeping schools safe from violence, to consider school safety and security plans; and to learn how to recognize students in need of help. Activities address preventing school violence, including, but not limited to, age-appropriate opportunities for student discussion about conflict resolution, bullying prevention and issues of student diversity and tolerance.



## Red Ribbon Week is October 23-31, 2023

On January 30, 2023 the National Family Partnership (NFP) unveiled its 2023 Red Ribbon Week Theme, "Be Kind to Your Mind. Live Drug Free.™". Submitted by Danielle Helm, a Youth Service Coordinator from Russell County Middle School in Russell Springs, Kentucky. This year's theme is a reminder that everyday Americans across the country make significant daily contributions to their communities by being the best they can be because they live Drug-Free!

Each year, the National Family Partnership sponsors the Red Ribbon Week Theme Contest. The theme contest invites millions of Americans across the country to submit a unique slogan that captures the essence and mission of the campaign. Danielle's theme was chosen because it encourages us to do our individual parts to keep our communities' safe, healthy and drug free. All segments of the community, health care workers, police officers, educators, school bus drivers, parents... people just like you and me, are examples of what we can achieve through self-dedication, care, and commitment. The theme encourages everyone to use their voice to make a difference no matter who they are, where they're from or what they do. The possibilities are endless when we work together!





# Board of Education Members



**Deborah A. Delutis, President**, was elected to her second three-year term as a member of the Ewing Township Board of Education in November 2021. Mrs. Delutis is a lifelong Ewing resident and a Ewing High School graduate who has two children. Her oldest son graduated from Ewing High School in 2022, and her youngest child is a proud graduate of the Ewing High School Class of 2023.

Mrs. Delutis, who has a bachelor's degree in Humanities and Social Science from Thomas Edison State University, has worked as a manager at Pennington Quality Market for over 25 years and is in her second year as a Special Education Assistant for the Lawrence Public Schools. She has always been very involved with the community and schools. She served as team parent for many Ewing Little League teams and as President of the Parkway School PTA. Mrs. Delutis sat on Parkway's Anti-Bullying committee. She also was part of the Teacher of the Year and Title I committees at both Parkway Elementary School and Fisher Middle School, and was President of the Fisher Middle School FPA. Mrs. Delutis is also the founder and volunteer of Ewing Helping Hands.

Mrs. Delutis has shared her goal of working with the Board and administration to continue to promote practices that create a positive and harmonious school culture, and also on expanding the district's inclusive and unified practices.

*2023 Superintendent Evaluation/Board Self-Evaluation/Board Solicitor Committee*  
*2023 Sustainable Facilities Committee*



**Michael S. Miller, Vice President**, was first elected to the Board of Education in November 2019 and is serving his second term as a member of the Ewing Board of Education from 2023-2025.

Mr. Miller is a 1992 graduate of Ewing High School who earned a Bachelor's Degree in Psychology from Towson State University. He has served as the Director of Tennis at Hopewell Tennis and Swim Center since 1999. Mr. Miller has two children in the Ewing Schools and is a proud parent of a Ewing High School graduate of the Class of 2022. Mr. Miller has been involved in a number of community athletic, recreational and charitable initiatives.

*2023 Delegate to the Mercer County School Boards Association*  
*2023 Superintendent Evaluation/Board Self-Evaluation/Board Solicitor Committee*  
*2023 Sustainable Facilities Committee*  
*2023 Negotiations*



**Mr. Daniel L. Angebrannt**: At the Board Organization meeting held on January 9, 2023, Daniel Angebrannt was sworn into a three-year term on the Board of Education from 2023-2025. It is his second term serving on the Board of Education after serving a one-year term in 2022.

Mr. Angebrannt is an Auditor in the Office of Counsel Services with the New Jersey Division of Taxation.

He earned his Bachelor's Degree in Business Management and a Master's of Business Administration Degree, specializing in Accounting at Lenoir-Rhyne University in Hickory, North Carolina.

Mr. Angebrannt is a life-long resident of Ewing Township. He attended Antheil Elementary School, Fisher Middle School and Ewing High School. He lives with his wife, Ellen, a teacher at Fisher Middle School, and their children; Zoe, who will be attending Antheil in fall, and Zachary, who has not yet reached school age.

*2023 Liaison to Ewing Township Council (Alternate)*  
*2023 Delegate to the New Jersey School Boards Association (Alternate)*  
*2023 Liaison to the Ewing Township Green Team*



**Dr. Channing C. Conway** was elected to a three-year term as a member of the Ewing Township School Board. Dr. Conway, 52, has lived in Ewing since 2004 with his family, in the Mountain View section of West Trenton.

Dr. Conway earned a Bachelor's Degree in English from Morgan State University, a Master's Degree in Educational Administration from The College of New Jersey, and a Doctorate in Educational Administration and Policy Studies from Temple University.

Dr. Conway is a longtime educator who began his career as a teacher and has worked his way up the administrative ranks. He currently serves as an Assistant Superintendent in the Trenton School District and an adjunct professor at The College of New Jersey. In addition, he is also a member of the Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity Inc.

***"The function of education is to teach one to think intensively and to think critically. Intelligence plus character—that is the goal of true education."***  
***— Martin Luther King —***

*2023 Delegate to the NJ School Boards Association*  
*2023 Liaison to Ewing Township Council*

# Board of Education Members



**Mrs. Nicole NW Harris:** At the Board Organization meeting on January 9, 2023, Nicole NW Harris was sworn into a three-year term on the Board of Education from 2023-2025. It is her second term serving on the Board of Education after a one-year term in 2022.

Mrs. Harris has a Bachelor of Arts in Communications and English from Douglass College, Rutgers University and an Ed.M. in Early Childhood/Elementary Education, also from Rutgers University. She recently retired after a long career in the Ewing Schools after having served as the Vice Principal at Antheil School for nine years, then serving as the principal of Parkway Elementary School from 2007 to 2021. She is currently working at The College of New Jersey in Health and Wellness, supervising a group of peer educators and overseeing the campus Religious and Spiritual Life program.

Nicole Harris is a member of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc., Trenton Alumnae Chapter.

Originally from Jersey City, Nicole Harris has lived in Ewing since 2004 with her husband, Napoleon, and daughter Julienn.

*2023 Representative to the Vocational Coordinating Council of Mercer County*



**Ms. Sandra L. Herrington** was sworn in on January 9, 2023 for a one-year term as a member of the Ewing Township Board of Education.

Ms. Herrington is a proud public-school teacher at Kuser Elementary School in Hamilton Township, New Jersey. She has a Bachelor of Arts degree in Sociology from Arizona State University. She completed her post-baccalaureate teacher preparation program at California State University, Los Angeles, earning her California Multiple Subject Teaching Credential (K-6). Ms. Herrington also holds a New Jersey K-12 Social Studies certification. A firm believer in life-long learning, Ms. Herrington recently earned her Teacher Leader Endorsement at The College of New Jersey. She is very involved with advocacy for students and her profession at the local and state levels, sitting on a variety of committees in both the district where she works and her local, county, and state education associations. Originally from Ohio and raised in Florida, Ms. Herrington and her husband made Ewing their home in 2005. They currently have three children in the Ewing Schools, one at each level.

*2023 Liaison to the Ewing Green Team*



**Lisa A. McConnell** was first elected to the Ewing School Board in November 2015. Ms. McConnell was elected for her third term as a Ewing School Board Member in November 2021 and her current term is officially from January 2022 to December 31, 2024. She is a lifelong resident of Ewing and a third-generation resident of the township. Lisa is a proud graduate of Ewing Public Schools. Her oldest daughter graduated from Ewing High School in 2019 and her youngest daughter in 2021.

Lisa received her Bachelor of Science degree in Communications with a Business Minor from Trenton State College.

Lisa served on the Executive Board for the Antheil PTO for three years. She was the Vice President of the Fisher Parents Association for two years and was a volunteer for the EHS Parent Committee. She has previously coached for the Ewing Girls Softball Association and volunteered for Ewing Girls Soccer.

Lisa believes that the education of our children should be one of the highest priorities at both a local and national level. She is excited to be part of the process to help ensure success for both our students and teachers in the school district.

*2023 Sustainable Facilities Committee*

*2023 Negotiations*



**Anthony F. Messina** was elected to the Ewing Township Board of Education in November of 2012. His current term (fourth) on the Board runs from January 2022 until December 31, 2024.

Mr. Messina is a lifelong resident of Ewing Township. He attended township public schools and graduated from Ewing High School in 1985. Mr. Messina and his wife Kim, also an EHS graduate, have a daughter who is a proud graduate of the Ewing High School

Class of 2021.

Mr. Messina is retired from the Ewing Township Police Department. He served as the first School Resource Officer at Ewing High School from 2000 through 2010. In this role, he worked closely with the district's students, staff and administration. During this time, Mr. Messina also was the ETPD's liaison to the Ewing Township Drug and Alcohol Alliance and worked to bring many new and innovative programs to the school district. He was also a volunteer assistant football coach at EHS for many years.

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# Board of Education Members

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Mr. Messina previously served in the capacity as both Vice-President and President of the Ewing Board of Education.

Mr. Messina is an active firefighter with the Prospect Heights Vol. Fire Co. #1 here in Ewing Township. He is in his 40th year of active service to the organization and is currently serving as both the 1st Vice - President and a Trustee.

In December 2016, Mr. Messina was honored by the Mercer County Education Association as a "Friend of Education".

In February 2017, Mr. Messina was selected by the Mercer County School Boards Association to represent Mercer County on the Board of Directors for the New Jersey School Boards Association.

Mr. Messina believes that education is the vehicle that students will use to travel the road to prosperity, and is excited about the opportunity to serve the community and the children of the school district.

*2023 Sustainable Facilities Committee*

*2023 Negotiations Committee*



**Jennifer L. Miller** was elected to the Ewing Township Board of Education in November 2020 and is serving her first term as a member of the Ewing Township Board of Education from 2021-2023. Mrs. Miller was officially sworn in as a Board member at the January 4, 2021 Board Organization meeting.

Mrs. Miller is the Assistant Principal of Achievement and Culture at Achievers Early College Prep Charter School in Trenton, New Jersey. She has a Bachelor's Degree in Elementary Education/English from The College of New Jersey, a Master's Degree in Educational Administration from Rider University and is currently working on her doctorate in Educational Leadership with a focus on Educational and Community Organizations at the American College of Education. She currently has two students in the Ewing Schools and is a proud parent of a Ewing High School graduate of the Class of 2022. Mrs. Miller has previously served as a member of the Fisher Parents Association, and on the Lore Parents Association.

*2023 Liaison to the Ewing Public Education Foundation*

*2023 District Technology Committee*

*2023 District Evaluation Advisory Committee (DEAC)*

## Mission Statement

The Ewing Public Schools, an institution governed by the policies, regulations and bylaws developed by The Ewing Public Schools Board of Education and the New Jersey Department of Education, believes that all students can learn. The district's goal is to provide an educational system that dovetails academic excellence with the moral, equal, and respectful treatment of self and others in order to prepare its students to become up-standing, self-sufficient and contributing citizens. This goal will be achieved through teamwork and commitment of the district's network of educators, administrators, board of education members, support staff, parents, elected officials and the greater community. Together they form a partnership whose common vision facilitates, expects and demands ever-improving levels of achievement for Ewing's students and all stakeholders. We will accept nothing less.

## Philosophy and Belief Statements

The Ewing Public Schools are dedicated to meeting the educational needs of its students. We will identify and address the needs of students and provide them the opportunity to reach their maximum potential.

Therefore, we believe the following:

1. All students will be appropriately challenged to achieve a strong academic foundation.
2. All students will be educated in an environment that encourages them to be curious, creative life-long lovers of learning.
3. All students will be provided with opportunities to achieve academic success, exhibit self-reliance, and develop responsibility, which will enable them to make positive contributions to society.
4. All students will benefit from a partnership of the school, home, community and students in the learning process.
5. All students, their families and teachers must assume an appropriate level of responsibility for themselves and their actions.
6. All students will have the right to a safe and secure educational environment.



# September 2023



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>KEY</b> AE - Antheil Elementary School LE - Lore Elementary School PE - Parkway Elementary School FM - Fisher Middle School OBA - O'Brien Academy EH - Ewing High School BOE - Board of Education S1 - Semester 1 Q1 - Quarter 1 MP - Marking Period LPA - Lore Parents Association FPA - Fisher Parent Association BTSN - Back to School Night					1	2
					<b>CLOSED</b> Staff Development Day	

3	4 <b>CLOSED</b> Labor Day	5 Building Meetings/ Selected Student Orientations <i>No school for students</i>	6 <b>Welcome Back</b> First day of school for students	7	8	9 Dedication/Unveiling James Howard Kovalsky "Coach K" Memorial Shade Pavilion 10:30am @ EH
10 <i>National Suicide Prevention Week</i>	11 <i>National Suicide Prevention Week</i>	12 <i>National Suicide Prevention Week</i>	13 EH Underclassmen Picture Day FM Picture Day EH 9 <sup>th</sup> & 10 <sup>th</sup> Gr Counseling Dept Mtg 5pm EH BTSN 6:30pm <i>National Suicide Prevention Week</i>	14 O'Brien Academy BTSN 5:30pm FM BTSN 6:30pm <i>National Suicide Prevention Week</i>	15 <i>Hispanic Heritage Month begins</i> <i>National Suicide Prevention Week</i>	16 <i>National Suicide Prevention Week</i>
17	18 BOE Mtg 6pm @ EH Public Session 7pm AE PTO Fall Book Fair	19 LE BTSN 6:30pm AE PTO Fall Book Fair	20 AE Picture Day AE BTSN 6:30pm AE PTO Fall Book Fair	21 AE Picture Day ASYSST Community Liason Board Mtg 5pm EH Room 100 PE BTSN 6:30pm AE PTO Fall Book Fair	22 AE PTO Welcome Back Picnic 6pm AE PTO Fall Book Fair	23
24	25 <b>CLOSED</b> Yom Kippur	26 District Virtual Counseling Event: Parent Program K-12 Bullying & Peer Conflict 6:30pm	27	28	29 PE PTA Welcome Back Picnic 6pm	30 Ewing Community Day 10am-4pm EH Homecoming

# October 2023



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Week of Respect	EH Counseling Office: Financial Aid Presentation 6pm Week of Respect	LE LPA Mtg 7pm Week of Respect	PE Picture Day AE PTO Mtg 6:30pm Week of Respect	EH S1 T1 Q1 Parent Progress Reports ELEM 1 <sup>st</sup> MP Parent Progress Reports FM 1 <sup>st</sup> MP Parent Progress Reports PE 5th Gr Camp Parkway Week of Respect	



8	9	10	11	12	13	14
		FM FPA Virtual Mtg 7:15pm LE Picture Day NJGPA Testing (Fall) EH Gr 12 & Select Gr 11	FM 1 <sup>st</sup> MP Progress Reports Mailed Home NJGPA Testing (Fall) EH Gr 12 & Select Gr 11	<b>K-8 Early Dismissal Parent Conferences by appointment</b> AE LE PE No AM Integrated Preschool NJGPA Testing (Fall) EH Gr 12 & Select Gr 11	FM Fall Scholastic Book Fair NJGPA Testing (Fall) EH Gr 12 & Select Gr 11	
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
	FM Fall Scholastic Book Fair LE LPA Fall Scholastic Book Fair <i>School Violence Awareness Week</i>	FM Fall Scholastic Book Fair LE LPA Fall Scholastic Book Fair NJGPA Testing (Fall) <i>Makeups</i> <i>School Violence Awareness Week</i>	<b>K-8 Early Dismissal Parent Conferences by appointment</b> AE LE PE No AM Integrated Preschool FM Fall Scholastic Book Fair LE LPA Fall Scholastic Book Fair NJGPA Testing (Fall) <i>Makeups</i> <i>School Violence Awareness Week</i>	EH College Athletic Prep Program 6:30pm PE PTA Mtg 7pm FM Fall Scholastic Book Fair LE LPA Fall Scholastic Book Fair LE LPA Book Fair Family Event 5:30–7:30pm NJGPA Testing (Fall) <i>Makeups</i> <i>School Violence Awareness Week</i>	EH Digital Readiness Check for PSAT Gr 11 AE PTO Spooktacular 6pm PE PTA Trunk or Treat 6pm FM Fall Scholastic Book Fair LE LPA Fall Scholastic Book Fair NJGPA Testing (Fall) <i>Makeups</i> <i>School Violence Awareness Week</i>	
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
	<i>National Red Ribbon Week</i>	EH PSAT Testing Gr 10 & Select Gr 9 <i>2.5-hour delay for non-testing students</i> <i>National Red Ribbon Week</i>	EH PSAT Testing Gr 11 & Select Gr 12 <i>2.5-hour delay for non-testing students</i> <i>National Red Ribbon Week</i>	ESL Family Night @ LE 6:30pm <i>National Red Ribbon Week</i>	LE LPA Pumpkin Fall Festival 7pm PE PTA Trunk or Treat <i>Rain Date</i> <i>National Red Ribbon Week</i>	<i>National Red Ribbon Week</i>
29	30	31				
<i>National Red Ribbon Week</i>	BOE Mtg 6pm @ EH Public Session 7pm <i>EH Fall Spirit Week</i> <i>National Red Ribbon Week</i>	EH PSAT Testing <i>Makeups</i> <i>EH Fall Spirit Week</i> <i>National Red Ribbon Week</i>				

# November 2023



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2	3	4
			EH Senior Portrait Retakes LE LPA Thanksgiving Pie Sale begins <i>EH Fall Spirit Week</i>	AE PTO Mtg 6:30pm Athletic Dept: Winter Sports Parent Info Night 6:30pm EH Senior Portrait Retakes <i>EH Fall Spirit Week</i>	EH Senior Portrait Retakes <i>EH Fall Spirit Week</i>	SAT @ EH 7:30am

5	6	7	8	9	10	11
	EH Counseling Dept: AP & Dual Enrollment Parent Program (Virtual Event) 6:30pm	<b>CLOSED</b> Staff Development Day		<b>CLOSED</b> NJEA Convention	<b>CLOSED</b> NJEA Convention	
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
	EH S1 T1 Q2 Parent Progress Reports ELEM End 1 <sup>st</sup> MP FM End 1 <sup>st</sup> MP	EH Athletic Dept: Fall Sports Awards Night 6:30pm FM FPA Virtual Mtg 7:15pm	LE LPA Thanksgiving Pie Sale ends	PE Title 1 Family STEM Night 6pm PE Picture Day <i>Makeups</i>	FM Picture Day <i>Makeups</i>	
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
	<b>K-8 Early Dismissal Parent Conferences by appointment</b> AE LE PE No PM Integrated Preschool	<b>K-8 Early Dismissal Parent Conferences by appointment</b> AE LE PE No PM Integrated Preschool	<b>K-12 Early Dismissal NO PM AFTER SCHOOL CARE</b> AE LE PE No PM Integrated Preschool FM 1 <sup>st</sup> MP Report Cards/ Parent Genesis Access ELEM 1 <sup>st</sup> MP Report Cards/ Parent Genesis Access	<b>CLOSED</b> Happy Thanksgiving	<b>CLOSED</b> Thanksgiving Break	
26	27	28	29	30		
	BOE Mtg 6pm @ LE Public Session 7pm	AE Picture Day <i>Makeups</i>	LE LPA Mtg 7pm LE Picture Day <i>Makeups</i>	LE Title 1 SEL Night 6:30pm		



# December 2023



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1	2

3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	EH NJSLA Fall ELA Testing PE PTA Scholastic Book Fair	EH Counseling Dept: Financial Aid Workshop 6pm EH NJSLA Fall ELA Testing PE PTA Scholastic Book Fair	EH Mastersingers Winter Event 7pm PE PTA Scholastic Book Fair	AE PTO Mtg 6:30pm PE PTA Scholastic Book Fair	LE LPA Holiday Shop 6pm PE PTA Winter Wonderland 6pm PE PTA Scholastic Book Fair	
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
		FM FPA Virtual Mtg 7:15pm EH NJSLA Fall Math Testing	AE Winter Concert 7pm EH NJSLA Fall Math Testing	PE Winter Concert 6:30pm	AE PTO Winter Wonderland Event 6pm EH S1 T2 Q3 ELEM 2 <sup>nd</sup> MP Parent Progress Reports FM 2 <sup>nd</sup> MP Parent Progress Reports	
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
	BOE Mtg 6pm @ EH Public Session 7pm EH NJSLA Fall ELA & Math Testing <i>Makeups</i>	LE 4 <sup>th</sup> Gr Winter Concert 7pm EH NJSLA Fall ELA & Math Testing <i>Makeups</i>	LE 5 <sup>th</sup> Gr Winter Concert 7pm FM 1 <sup>st</sup> MP Progress Reports Mailed Home EH NJSLA Fall ELA & Math Testing <i>Makeups</i>	ASYSST Community Liason Board Mtg 5pm EH Room 100 EH NJSLA Fall ELA & Math Testing <i>Makeups</i>	<b>K-12 Early Dismissal NO PM AFTER SCHOOL CARE</b> <b>Preschool Early Dismissal</b> <b>AE Full Day</b> AE LE PE No PM Integrated Preschool EH NJSLA Fall ELA & Math Testing <i>Makeups</i>	
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
	<b>CLOSED</b> Winter Break	<b>CLOSED</b> Winter Break	<b>CLOSED</b> Winter Break	<b>CLOSED</b> Winter Break	<b>CLOSED</b> Winter Break	
	31					

# Student Services



The Special Services Department provides a variety of educational and related operations/grants management services to assist students in the learning process. The goal of Special Services is to help students reach their potential as learners and members of the school community.

Health and Medical Services monitor student health through screenings, routine exams and the provision of swift attention to medical problems.

Homebound Instruction is available to students confined at home because of lengthy illness or other special circumstances.

Special Education is provided in self-contained classrooms, resource rooms and inclusive general education classes throughout the district to all eligible students, ages 3-21. Arrangements are made with other school districts to provide special education for children with exceptional needs if a program is unavailable in Ewing.

Related services are also provided and include speech and language therapy, occupational therapy, physical therapy, counseling and transportation services.

Child Study Teams provide diagnosis and, when necessary, consultation or intervention for students with learning or school-related problems.

Project Child offers comprehensive services for the identification, assessment and treatment of pre-school handicapped infants and children

Developmental Kindergarten (DK) provides additional support and an initial small student - teacher ratios for newly de-classified preschool students and other qualifying kindergartens. The DK classroom is paired with another kindergarten classroom as the school year progresses to prepare students for successful transition into 1st grade. DK classroom is located at Antheil. The Preschool Program serves the needs of children who require special services ages 3-5. More information about this program can be found by following the District Information/Special Services links on the District Website.



The School Attendance Officer has a dual role of verifying student residency and working with truant students. This may involve home visitations, student counseling and parent consultations. The School Attendance Officer has the legal responsibility to ensure compliance with the Compulsory School Attendance Law.

For information on these services, contact the Director of Special Services X7176.

Supplemental Support Services in language arts, literacy and mathematics are available for Grades K-8. For information about Supplemental Services, contact the building principal. English as a Second Language (ESL) assists students in developing and acquiring English language skills. For information about ESL, contact the ESL Supervisor at X2156.

Testing and Evaluation Services are provided as mandated by state law to assess individual students' needs as well as to evaluate programs and curricula. State mandated assessments include the NJSLA (New Jersey Student Learning Assessment) for students in Grades 3-11 in English Language Arts and Mathematics, and the NJ Science Learning Assessment (SLA) in Grades 5 and 8 in Science.

The district administers the PSAT in October to students in Grades 10-11. Testing related questions may be addressed to the Director of Counseling & Assessment at X2121.

## Project Child Find

A service of federal and state agencies to locate, identify and provide services to children.

## What can we do to help?

Is there someone in your life-a son, a daughter, grandchild, niece or nephew, friend or foster child-who is developing differently or is having problems learning? If so, help is available for eligible children in New Jersey:

## For Infants and Toddlers

(Birth to Age 3)

New Jersey's Early Intervention System provides services for infants and toddlers (birth to the child's third birthday) who have developmental delays or disabilities as well as support for their families.

## For assistance or information:

Regional Early Intervention Coordination Unit  
1-888-653-4463

Project Child Clinic Program  
(609) 588-8500

## For Preschool Children and Students

(Ages 3-21)

Your public school district provides a free appropriate public education for eligible students ages 3-21.

Contact the Department of Special Services at X7176.



# Student Services

## ASYSST

The Available School Youth Services Support Team (ASYSST) is a school-based youth services program to help young people navigate the adolescent years, finish their education, obtain skills leading to employment or continuing education, and graduate healthy and drug free. ASYSST provides youth and families with a comprehensive set of services on a 'one-stop shopping' basis which includes crisis counseling, employment counseling, training and placement, individual and family counseling, drug and alcohol abuse counseling, violence prevention, and part-time and summer job development.

There are no fees or eligibility requirements and all services are confidential. For more information, contact ASYSST at X2173.

## Extended Day Program (EDP)

The Boys and Girls Club program replaced the in-house afterschool care programming previously offered by the district known as PM EDP (Afternoon Extended Day Program) last year and will continue to do so this year.

The district is still providing the AM EDP (Morning Extended Day Program) at each of the elementary schools.

The Boys and Girls Club proposal satisfied the most important criteria established by the administration and Board. The after-school care program will be housed in each elementary school, the cost of the program for district parents is fair and aligned with the district's previous fee structure, and the provider must have an outstanding record of exemplary programming.

For more information or to obtain rates and to register, please visit our website ([www.ewing.k12.nj.us](http://www.ewing.k12.nj.us)) and select EDP under District Information.



## Boys & Girls Club "Kids Club" After School Program

The Boys & Girls Club provides a state licensed after school program that ensures a safe and caring place for your child immediately after school. Our program is continually rated 'better' or 'much better' than similar program in Mercer County. The Club's programs focus on educational support, social emotional learning, character development and healthy living. Combined with school homework help and a diversity of enrichment programs each week makes for a quality program.

*Our after school activities includes:*

- Homework assistance
- Healthy snack
- Reading & Language Arts support
- Enrichment programs such as Art, STEM, Cooking, Sports
- Special interest clubs
- Social emotional learning & healthy living curriculum
- Access to our Schoology Learning Management System for 24/7 access to programming.

*Start Date:* First day of school on September 8th

*Program Locations:* Antheil School, Lore School and Parkway School

*\*Fisher students are bused to our Spruce Street Community Center for interaction with other 6-8 graders.*

*Program Fees:* Annual Membership is required for all participants: \$35

*Monthly Tuition:*

5 days per week: \$230

4 Days per week: \$175

3 days per week: \$145

2 days per week: \$80

Monthly tuition is subsidized by governmental and private funding.

Scholarships are available to any family who needs financial assistance

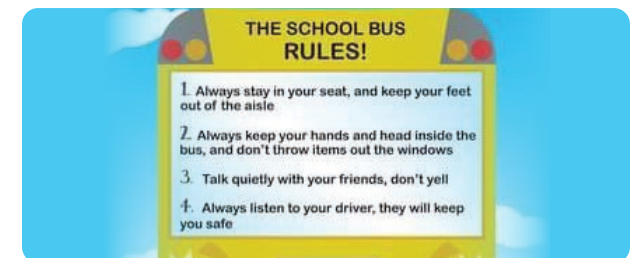
The Club accepts Child Care Connections and WFD child care vouchers.

For Scholarships & CCC you can't register on line and need to complete paper registration through our membership office and Denise Brannon.

A daily rate of \$30 is available, but parents must first become a member, complete registration forms, and then coordinate daily registration with each schools site coordinator as availability changes day to day.

For Information & Registration for the Boys & Girls Club "Kids Club" After School Program please contact Denise Brannon-Eutsey.

Denise Brannon-Eutsey, Membership Director  
[dbrannon@bgcmercer.org](mailto:dbrannon@bgcmercer.org)  
(609) 695-6060 Ext. 202





# Student Services

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## Ewing Before School Child Care (AM EDP)

On behalf of the staff of the Ewing Public School's Before School Child Care Program, we welcome you to this academic school year. The Before Care Program is professionally staffed. It is designed to complement the curriculum and activities of the regular school day. We provide your child with a "home away from home" environment with an emphasis on the needs of your child. This safe, caring environment offers structured activities, which are designed to promote the individual child's physical, intellectual, emotional and social well-being and growth.

### *Program Hours:*

AM: 7:00am–8:55am (includes breakfast)

PM (Provided by Boys & Girls Club):

Dismissal - 6:00pm (includes snack)

### *Program Locations:*

Antheil Elementary School

Lore Elementary School

Parkway Elementary School

### *To Register/Make a Payment:*

<https://ewing.revtrak.net/>

### *Tuition Refund Policy:*

Registration Fee and all Tuition monies are non-refundable.

If you have any questions regarding the Ewing Before School Care (AM Extended Day) Program please contact Andrea Gormerly at (609) 538-9800 X7114 or [agormerly@ewingboe.org](mailto:agormerly@ewingboe.org).

## Transportation

Student safety is the number one priority of the Transportation Department. Busing is provided to elementary students and to middle school students living more than two miles from the school. Transportation is provided for high school students living more than 2.5 miles from school.

To better serve our student riders, we request that ALL complaints go through the Ewing Transportation Department - not the individual bus contractors. If you have any questions concerning bus policy or bus routes, please call (609) 538-9800 X7111.

## Registration

All Registrations are now completed online through our Genesis Portal and Google. A child must be five years old by October 1st to enroll in kindergarten and six years old by October 1st to be admitted into first grade. Please visit our website ([www.ewing.k12.us](http://www.ewing.k12.us)) and select the Registration link to enroll online.

Please contact Central Registration with questions regarding the enrollment process at: (609) 538-9800 X7180, X7181, X7175 or email [registration@ewingboe.org](mailto:registration@ewingboe.org).

## Kindergarten Registration

To enroll in Kindergarten, a child must be five years old on or before October 1st. Kindergarten Roundup events are held in the spring. A completed registration and appointment are required to attend Kindergarten Roundup events.

All kindergarten registrations are now completed online through our Genesis Portal. Please 'click' the Kindergarten Registration link on the main Registration webpage for more information and to complete the enrollment process.

Kindergarten registration questions can be directed to the Central Registration Office: (609) 538-9800 X7180, X7181, X7175 or by email [registration@ewingboe.org](mailto:registration@ewingboe.org).

## Free And Reduced Price Meals

Students who attended Ewing Township Public Schools in 2022-2023, who were eligible for Free or Reduced Price Meals in June 2022 via a meal app or Snap approved will continue receiving those benefits for the first 30 school days through October 20, 2023 or until a new application is determined. Please note that kindergarteners or other new students will NOT

automatically be extended the free or reduced price benefits for their household. Parents/guardians should plan to complete a new application or contact the Food Service Office before the opening of school.

**A 2023-2024 application can be keyed in on-line or a paper copy submitted to the Food Service Office on or before Thursday, October 20 or students who were free/reduced from last school year will be classified as full price for meals beginning Monday, October 23.**

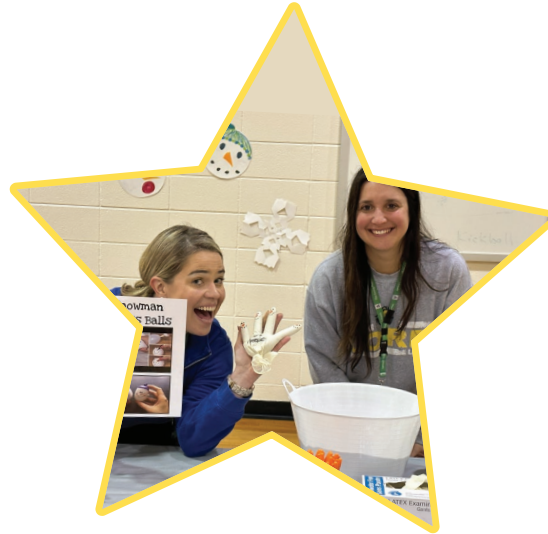
Applications may be submitted at any time during the school year, however, free or reduced price benefits do not begin until after the application is determined.

The 2023-2024 application packet is now available! Parents/Guardians may apply on-line by visiting the district website ([www.ewing.k12.nj.us](http://www.ewing.k12.nj.us)) and follow the link to the Food Services tab and simply 'click' on the Free and Reduced Price Meals located on the left of the page to access the link to the 2023-2024 application packet. Your meal status will be determined immediately! A fill-to-print application is also available. Additionally, applications are available through the Genesis Parent portal or at any school, guidance office, or Food Service Department. Interested parents/guardians should complete one application for all the children in their household. Completed paper applications should be returned to the Food Service Office at the Gusz Building, 220 Ewingville Road, Ewing, New Jersey.

**Benefits for Foster Children:** Be sure to read the instructions on the application. If you submit a current "Resource Family Parent Identification Letter" (DYFS 5-49) to the Food Service Office, it will not be necessary to complete an application for your foster child(ren) for the school year.

*Direct Certification Letters are emailed/mailed as processed. If a DC letter is received, it is not necessary to complete a 2023-2024 application; the students listed will automatically receive free meal. If all students in the household are NOT named in the letter(s), a copy of the letter must be returned to the Food Service Office with the missing student's name(s) listed, so they can also receive free meals.*

# January 2024



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4	5	6
	<b>CLOSED</b> Happy New Year!	<b>Welcome Back to School</b>		BOE Organization Mtg 6pm @ EH (NO CLOSED SESSION) AE PTO Meeting 6:30pm		

7	8	9	10	11	12	13
	EH Counseling Dept: FM Rising 9 <sup>th</sup> Gr Parent Presentation (Virtual Event) 6:30pm <i>EH Winter Spirit Week</i>	FM FPA Virtual Mtg 7:15pm <i>EH Winter Spirit Week</i>	EH Winter Vocal Concert 7pm <i>EH Winter Spirit Week</i>	FM Winter Vocal Concert 7pm <i>EH Winter Spirit Week</i>	<i>EH Winter Spirit Week</i>	
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	<b>CLOSED</b> Martin Luther King, Jr. Day		EH Winter Band & Orchestra Concert 7pm		LE LPA Indoor Movie Night 6:30pm	
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
			FM Winter Band Concert 7pm	<b>EH Early Dismissal 9-12 ONLY – Exams</b>	<b>EH Early Dismissal 9-12 ONLY – Exams</b>	
28	29	30	31			
	EH End Semester 1 End FM 2 <sup>nd</sup> MP End ELEM 2 <sup>nd</sup> MP <b>EH Early Dismissal 9-12 ONLY – Exams</b>	<b>SCHOOL CLOSED Gr 6-12 &amp; OBA</b> <b>Early Dismissal ELEM Gr K-5 &amp; AE Full Day Preschool</b> AE LE PE No AM Integrated Preschool	FM Winter Orchestra Concert 7pm			

# February 2024



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1	2	3
				AE PTO Meeting 6:30pm		



4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	ACCESS Testing for ELLs & Alternative ACCESS for ELLs	NAEP (National Assessment of Educational Progress) @ EH 12 <sup>th</sup> Gr Math & Reading ACCESS Testing for ELLs & Alternative ACCESS for ELLs	Athletic Dept: Spring Sports Parent Info Night 6:30pm FM 2 <sup>nd</sup> MP Report Cards/ Parent Genesis Access ELEM 2 <sup>nd</sup> MP Report Cards/ Parent Genesis Access ACCESS Testing for ELLs & Alternative ACCESS for ELLs	EH BTSN 2 <sup>nd</sup> Semester 6:30pm ACCESS Testing for ELLs & Alternative ACCESS for ELLs	ACCESS Testing for ELLs & Alternative ACCESS for ELLs	PE PTA Pancake Breakfast 8:30am
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
	<b>CLOSED</b> Staff Development Day	FM FPA Virtual Mtg 7:15pm ACCESS Testing for ELLs & Alternative ACCESS for ELLs	ACCESS Testing for ELLs & Alternative ACCESS for ELLs	ESL Family Night @ PE 6pm ACCESS Testing for ELLs & Alternative ACCESS for ELLs	PE Mobile Dentist Visit AE PTO Valentine's Day Dance 6:30pm ACCESS Testing for ELLs & Alternative ACCESS for ELLs	
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
	<b>CLOSED</b> Presidents' Day	ACCESS Testing for ELLs & Alternative ACCESS for ELLs	ACCESS Testing for ELLs & Alternative ACCESS for ELLs	ACCESS Testing for ELLs & Alternative ACCESS for ELLs	ACCESS Testing for ELLs & Alternative ACCESS for ELLs	
25	26	27	28	29		
	AE PTO Scholastic Book Fair ACCESS Testing for ELLs & Alternative ACCESS for ELLs	AE PTO Scholastic Book Fair ACCESS Testing for ELLs & Alternative ACCESS for ELLs	LE LPA Mtg 7pm AE PTO Scholastic Book Fair ACCESS Testing for ELLs & Alternative ACCESS for ELLs	AE Literary Festival Night 6:30pm AE PTO Scholastic Book Fair ACCESS Testing for ELLs & Alternative ACCESS for ELLs		

# March 2024



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1	2
					<p>ELEM 3<sup>rd</sup> MP Progress Reports</p> <p>AE PTO Scholastic Book Fair</p> <p>ACCESS Testing for ELLs &amp; Alternative ACCESS for ELLs</p>	

3	4 <p>EH S2 T1 Q1 Parent Progress Reports FM 3<sup>rd</sup> MP Parent Progress Reports AE PTO Scholastic Book Fair ACCESS Testing for ELLs &amp; Alternative ACCESS for ELLs</p>	5 <p>AE Spring Picture Day ACCESS Testing for ELLs &amp; Alternative ACCESS for ELLs</p>	6 <p><b>Early Dismissal K-8 ONLY Parent Conferences by appointment</b> AE LE PE No AM Integrated Preschool NAEP @ FM 8<sup>th</sup> Gr Math &amp; Reading ACCESS Testing for ELLs &amp; Alternative ACCESS for ELLs</p>	7 <p>EH Athletic Office: Winter Sports Awards Night 6:30pm PE Spring Picture Day FM 3<sup>rd</sup> MP Parent Progress Reports Mailed Home ACCESS Testing for ELLs &amp; Alternative ACCESS for ELLs</p>	8 <p>ACCESS Testing for ELLs &amp; Alternative ACCESS for ELLs</p>	9
10	11 <p>LE LPA Spring Book Fair PE PTA Spring Book Fair EH NJGPA (Spring) Gr 11 ACCESS Testing for ELLs &amp; Alternative ACCESS for ELLs</p>	12 <p>FM FPA Virtual Mtg 7:15pm LE LPA Spring Book Fair PE PTA Spring Book Fair EH NJGPA (Spring) Gr 11 ACCESS Testing for ELLs &amp; Alternative ACCESS for ELLs</p>	13 <p>EH Musical Senior Citizen Show 6pm LE LPA Spring Book Fair PE PTA Spring Book Fair EH NJGPA (Spring) Gr 11 ACCESS Testing for ELLs &amp; Alternative ACCESS for ELLs</p>	14 <p>EH Musical 7:30pm LE Title 1 Literacy Night 6:30pm LE LPA Family Book Fair Event 6:30pm LE LPA Spring Book Fair PE PTA Spring Book Fair EH NJGPA (Spring) Gr 11 ACCESS Testing for ELLs &amp; Alternative ACCESS for ELLs</p>	15 <p>EH Musical 7:30pm LE LPA Spring Book Fair PE PTA Spring Book Fair EH NJGPA (Spring) Gr 11 ACCESS Testing for ELLs &amp; Alternative ACCESS for ELLs</p>	16 <p>EH Musical 2pm &amp; 7:30pm</p>
17	18 <p>EH NJGPA (Spring) Gr 11 <i>Makeups</i> ACCESS Testing for ELLs &amp; Alternative ACCESS for ELLs</p>	19 <p>EH NJGPA (Spring) Gr 11 <i>Makeups</i> ACCESS Testing for ELLs &amp; Alternative ACCESS for ELLs</p>	20 <p>PE Musical Extravaganza 6:30pm EH NJGPA (Spring) Gr 11 <i>Makeups</i> ACCESS Testing for ELLs &amp; Alternative ACCESS for ELLs</p>	21 <p>EH NJGPA (Spring) Gr 11 <i>Makeups</i> ACCESS Testing for ELLs &amp; Alternative ACCESS for ELLs</p>	22 <p>ACCESS Testing for ELLs &amp; Alternative ACCESS for ELLs</p>	23
24	25 <p>ACCESS Testing for ELLs &amp; Alternative ACCESS for ELLs <i>EH Spring Spirit Week</i></p>	26 <p>ACCESS Testing for ELLs &amp; Alternative ACCESS for ELLs <i>EH Spring Spirit Week</i></p>	27 <p>FM 5<sup>th</sup> Gr Parent Orientation 6:30pm ACCESS Testing for ELLs &amp; Alternative ACCESS for ELLs <i>EH Spring Spirit Week</i></p>	28 <p>ACCESS Testing for ELLs &amp; Alternative ACCESS for ELLs <i>EH Spring Spirit Week</i></p>	29 <p><b>CLOSED</b> Spring Break</p>	30
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# April 2024



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4	5	6
	<b>CLOSED</b> Spring Break	<b>CLOSED</b> Spring Break	<b>CLOSED</b> Spring Break	<b>CLOSED</b> Spring Break	<b>CLOSED</b> Spring Break	



7	8	9	10  <b>CLOSED</b> Eid al-Fitr (Staff Development Day)	11	12	13
		FM FPA Virtual Mtg 7:15pm		AE PTO Mtg 6:30pm	ELEM End 3 <sup>rd</sup> MP FM Scholastic Spring Book Fair	LE LPA Craft Fair 10am-2pm
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	EH S2 T1 Q2 Parent Progress Reports FM End 3 <sup>rd</sup> MP FM Scholastic Spring Book Fair	FM Scholastic Spring Book Fair	EH & FM Jazz Through the Decades 7pm FM Scholastic Spring Book Fair	AE Title 1 Bingo Night 6pm PE Title 1 Bingo Night 6pm FM Scholastic Spring Book Fair DLM Testing Gr 3-8 & 11 (ELA, Math & Science)	FM Scholastic Spring Book Fair DLM Testing Gr 3-8 & 11 (ELA, Math & Science)	
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
		EH Mastersingers Spring Concert 7pm LE Testing Infrastructure Trail ELEM 3 <sup>rd</sup> MP Report Cards/ Genesis Parent Access DLM Testing Gr 3-8 & 11 (ELA, Math & Science)	EH Spring Band & Orchestra Concert 7pm LE LPA Mtg 7pm FM 3 <sup>rd</sup> MP Report Cards/ Genesis Parent Access DLM Testing Gr 3-8 & 11 (ELA, Math & Science)	FM Musical/Play 6:30pm DLM Testing Gr 3-8 & 11 (ELA, Math & Science)	FM Musical/Play 6:30pm DLM Testing Gr 3-8 & 11 (ELA, Math & Science)	FM Musical/Play 2pm & 6:30pm
28	29	30				
	EH NJSLA Spring Science Testing Gr 11 FM NJSLA Spring Science Testing Gr 8 DLM Testing Gr 3-8 & 11 (ELA, Math & Science)	EH NJSLA Spring Science Testing Gr 11 FM NJSLA Spring Science Testing Gr 8 DLM Testing Gr 3-8 & 11 (ELA, Math & Science)				

# May 2024



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1  LE Title 1 Bingo Night 6:30pm EH NJSLA Spring Science Testing Gr 11 DLM Testing Gr 3-8 & 11 (ELA, Math & Science) FM NJSLA Spring Science Testing Gr 8 <i>Makeups</i>	2  AE PTO Mtg 6:30pm EH NJSLA Spring Science Testing Gr 11 DLM Testing Gr 3-8 & 11 (ELA, Math & Science) FM NJSLA Spring Science Testing Gr 8 <i>Makeups</i>	3  DLM Testing Gr 3-8 & 11 (ELA, Math & Science)	4  SAT @ EH 7:30am POAC Autism Walk for a Difference 2024 @ FM 11am

5	6	7	8	9	10	11
	EH AP Exams PE PTA BOGO Scholastic Book Fair ELEM NJSLA Spring ELA Testing Gr 3-5 DLM Testing Gr 3-8 & 11 (ELA, Math & Science)	EH AP Exams PE PTA BOGO Scholastic Book Fair ELEM NJSLA Spring ELA Testing Gr 3-5 DLM Testing Gr 3-8 & 11 (ELA, Math & Science)	EH AP Exams PE PTA BOGO Scholastic Book Fair ELEM NJSLA Spring Math Testing Gr 3-5 DLM Testing Gr 3-8 & 11 (ELA, Math & Science)	ESL Family Night @ AE 6pm EH AP Exams PE PTA BOGO Scholastic Book Fair ELEM NJSLA Spring Math Testing Gr 3-5 EH NJSLA Spring Science Testing Gr 11 <i>Makeups</i> DLM Testing Gr 3-8 & 11 (ELA, Math & Science)	LE LPA Outdoor Movie Night & Mother's Day Flower Sale 7-9pm EH AP Exams PE PTA BOGO Scholastic Book Fair EH NJSLA Spring Science Testing Gr 11 <i>Makeups</i> DLM Testing Gr 3-8 & 11 (ELA, Math & Science)	LE LPA Mother's Day Flower Sale 12-2pm
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
	AE PTO Scholastic BOGO Book Fair EH AP Exams FM NJSLA Spring ELA Testing Gr 6-8 ELEM NJSLA Spring Math Testing Gr 3-5 DLM Testing Gr 3-8 & 11 (ELA, Math & Science) <i>EH Battle of the Classes Week</i>	FM FPA Virtual Mtg 7:15pm ELEM 4 <sup>th</sup> MP Progress Reports AE PTO Scholastic BOGO Book Fair EH AP Exams EH NJSLA Spring ELA Testing FM NJSLA Spring ELA Testing Gr 6-8 ELEM NJSLA Spring Science Testing Gr 5 DLM Testing Gr 3-8 & 11 (ELA, Math & Science) <i>EH Battle of the Classes Week</i>	National Honor Society Induction Ceremony 6:30pm EH S2 T2 Q3 Parent Progress Reports FM 4 <sup>th</sup> MP Parent Progress Reports AE PTO Scholastic BOGO Book Fair EH AP Exams EH NJSLA Spring ELA Testing FM NJSLA Spring Math Testing Gr 6-8 ELEM NJSLA Spring Science Testing Gr 5 DLM Testing Gr 3-8 & 11 (ELA, Math & Science) <i>EH Battle of the Classes Week</i>	LE 4th Gr Spring Vocal & Instrumental Concert 7pm AE PTO Scholastic BOGO Book Fair EH AP Exams FM NJSLA Spring Math Testing Gr 6-8 ELEM NJSLA Spring Science Testing Gr 5 <i>Makeups</i> DLM Testing Gr 3-8 & 11 (ELA, Math & Science) <i>EH Battle of the Classes Week</i>	AE PTO Tropical Vibes Spring Fling 6pm AE PTO Scholastic BOGO Book Fair EH AP Exams FM NJSLA Spring Math Testing Gr 6-8 ELEM NJSLA Spring Science Testing Gr 5 <i>Makeups</i> DLM Testing Gr 3-8 & 11 (ELA, Math & Science) <i>EH Battle of the Classes Week</i>	
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
	FM 4 <sup>th</sup> MP Parent Progress Reports Mailed Home FM NJSLA Spring ELA & Math Testing Gr 6-8 <i>Makeups</i> ELEM NJSLA Spring ELA & Math Testing Gr 3-5 <i>Makeups</i> DLM Testing Gr 3-8 & 11 (ELA, Math & Science)	LE Spring 5 <sup>th</sup> Gr Vocal & Instrumental Concert 7pm EH NJSLA Spring Math Testing FM NJSLA Spring ELA & Math Testing Gr 6-8 <i>Makeups</i> ELEM NJSLA Spring ELA & Math Testing Gr 3-5 <i>Makeups</i> DLM Testing Gr 3-8 & 11 (ELA, Math & Science)	PE Spring Concert 6:30pm EH NJSLA Spring Math Testing FM NJSLA Spring ELA & Math Testing Gr 6-8 <i>Makeups</i> ELEM NJSLA Spring ELA & Math Testing Gr 3-5 <i>Makeups</i> DLM Testing Gr 3-8 & 11 (ELA, Math & Science)	FM Spring Band Concert 7pm FM NJSLA Spring ELA & Math Testing Gr 6-8 <i>Makeups</i> ELEM NJSLA Spring ELA & Math Testing Gr 3-5 <i>Makeups</i> DLM Testing Gr 3-8 & 11 (ELA, Math & Science)	EH Friday Night Lights 7pm DLM Testing Gr 3-8 & 11 (ELA, Math & Science)	
26	27	28	29	30	31	
	<b>CLOSED</b> Memorial Day	FM Spring Orchestra Concert 7pm FM NJSLA Spring ELA & Math Testing Gr 6-8 <i>Makeups</i> EH NJSLA Spring ELA & Math Testing <i>Makeups</i> DLM Testing Gr 3-8 & 11 (ELA, Math & Science)	EH Spring Vocal Concert & Visual Arts Show 7pm AE Field Day Gr K-2 EH NJSLA Spring ELA & Math Testing <i>Makeups</i> DLM Testing Gr 3-8 & 11 (ELA, Math & Science)	EH Athletic Office: Spring Sports Awards Night 6:30pm AE Field Day <i>Rain Date</i> EH NJSLA Spring ELA & Math Testing <i>Makeups</i> DLM Testing Gr 3-8 & 11 (ELA, Math & Science)	AE Field Day Gr 3-5 PE Field Day Gr K-5 EH NJSLA Spring ELA & Math Testing <i>Makeups</i> DLM Testing Gr 3-8 & 11 (ELA, Math & Science)	

# June 2024



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	AE Spring 5 <sup>th</sup> Gr Concert 7pm AE Field Day Rain Date	AE Spring 4 <sup>th</sup> Gr Concert 7pm	FM Spring Vocal Concert 7pm	LE Field Day Gr K-5 AE PTO Mtg 6:30pm	PE Field Day <i>Rain Date</i>	LE LPA Touch a Truck 11am-2pm
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
		EH Senior Athletic Awards Night 6:30pm FM FPA Virtual Mtg 7:15pm	EH Activites Awards Night 6:30pm	LE Field Day <i>Rain Date</i> EH Senior Awards Night 6:30pm	LE LPA End of Year Celebration @ Rita's Water Ice 5-8pm	
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
		EH Final Exams Semester 2 <b>K-12 Early Dismissal No Lunches Served</b> AE LE PE Last Day PM Integrated Preschool	<b>CLOSED</b> Juneteenth	EH Final Exams Semester 2 <b>K-12 Early Dismissal No Lunches Served</b> AE/LE/PE Last Day AM Integrated Preschool FM 8 <sup>th</sup> Gr Promotion Ceremony 6:30pm	EH Final Exams <i>Makeups</i> <b>K-12 Early Dismissal No Lunches Served No PM EDP</b> <b>Preschool Early Dismissal AE Full Day Preschool</b> ELEM 4 <sup>th</sup> MP Report Cards/ Genesis Parent Access EH Graduation @ CURE Insurance Center 7pm	
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
		EH Athletic Dept: Fall Sports Parent Info Night 6:30pm	FM 4 <sup>th</sup> MP Report Cards/ Genesis Parent Access			
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# July 2024



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4	5	6
				District and School Offices <b>CLOSED</b> Fourth of July		

7	8  EH S2 T2 Q4 Report Cards/ Genesis Parent Access	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			

# August 2024



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1	2	3



4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

# Antheil Elementary School

## Location:

339 Ewingville Road, Ewing, NJ 08638

## Phone Numbers:

**Main:** (609) 538-9800 - X4100

**Fax:** (609) 883-4604

**Nurse:** Ms. Marina Mikhail - X4125

**Telesafe:** x4100

**Principal:** Mr. Clifford 'Kip' Harrison - X4102

**Dean of Students and Anti-Bullying Specialist:**

Mr. Mark Milecki - X4103

**Elementary Counselors:**

Ms. Nicole Fadell - X4110

Mr. Andrew Unger - X4111

**Anti-Bullying Specialist Back-Up:** Ms. Nicole Fadell - X4110

**Child Study Team:**

Ms. Rosemarie Bonomo - BCBA - X4189

Ms. Victoria Jordan Barros - Psychologist - X4183

Ms. Kelly O'Neil - Psychologist - X4184

Mrs. Rachel Capuano - Social Worker - X4180

Ms. Christine Magana - Social Worker - X4182

Ms. Kaitlyn Mustac - Social Worker - X4181

**Antheil Parent/Teacher Organization:**

Email address: [ptoantheil@gmail.com](mailto:ptoantheil@gmail.com)

The PTO sponsors monthly meetings, special programs and events.



# Lore Elementary School

## NJ 2010 National School of Character

## Location:

13 Westwood Drive, Ewing, NJ 08628

## Phone Numbers:

**Main:** (609) 538-9800 - X6100

**Fax:** (609) 883-1027

**Nurse:** Ms. Christine Sobey - X6125

**Telesafe:** X6100

**Principal:** Mrs. Kelly Kawalek - X6102

**Lore Main Office Email:** [LESMainOffice@ewingboe.org](mailto:LESMainOffice@ewingboe.org)

*Parents: please email daily absence information and end of day changes to the main office at the email above. Please email absences by 9:00AM and changes to dismissal by 12:00PM.*

**Dean of Students and Anti-Bullying Specialist:**

Ms. Christine Meekins - X6106

**Elementary Counselors:**

Ms. Kaitlyn Feeny - X6110

Ms. Lucrezia Tranchina - X5508

**Anti-Bullying Specialist Back-Up:** Ms. Kaitlyn Feeny - X6110

**Child Study Team:**

Ms. Shari Barkin - Psychologist - X6182

Ms. Casey Dashnow - Social Worker - X6181

**Lore Parent Association (LPA):**

Email address: [lorelpaevents@gmail.com](mailto:lorelpaevents@gmail.com)

The LPA sponsors quarterly meetings, special programs and events.



# Parkway Elementary School

## Location:

446 Parkway Avenue, Ewing, NJ 08618

## Phone Numbers:

**Main:** (609) 538-9800 - X5100

**Fax:** (609) 637-9721

**Nurse:** Meghan Wright - X5125

**Telesafe:** X5125



**Principal:** Mrs. Michelle A. Conway - X5102

## Dean of Students and Anti-Bullying Specialist:

Mr. Robert Odri - X5105

## Elementary Counselors:

Ms. Birgitta Donato - X5110

Ms. Lucrezia Tranchina - X5508

**Anti-Bullying Specialist Back-Up:** Ms. Birgitta Donato - X5110

## Child Study Team:

Ms. Debra Davis - Psychologist - X5182

Ms. Julie Pritchard - Social Worker - X5184

## Parkway Parent Teacher Association:

Email address: [parkway.pta@yahoo.com](mailto:parkway.pta@yahoo.com)

Phone number: (609) 538-9800 X8524

The PTA sponsors monthly meetings, special programs and events.



## District Wide Meal Information

**Food Service:** Students may purchase nutritious breakfasts and lunches prepared in the school cafeteria. Several different breakfast and lunch entrees are offered daily. Menus are posted throughout all schools and on the website ([www.ewing.k12.nj.us](http://www.ewing.k12.nj.us)) under the District Information/Food Service. Meal prices and breakfast schedules are also listed on the website.

The Board of Education participates in the National School Breakfast and Lunch Programs and free and reduced price meals are available to eligible students. The cafeteria uses a computerized meal system. Elementary students use their ID cards, which are kept in the elementary schools, to access their account and meal benefits. Students in Grades 6-12 enter their student ID number when making purchases in the middle and high school cafeterias.

Parents/Guardians may place money on account for students to purchase food in the cafeteria. Online access to deposit money, view meal accounts and receive email balance alerts is available through [www.payschoolscentral.com](http://www.payschoolscentral.com). If you have any questions about your student's account, please call (609) 538-9800 X7106.

School	Student Breakfast	Student Lunch	Milk	Snacks/Drinks
Elementary Schools	\$1.95	\$3.10	\$0.60	\$0.70-\$1.50
Middle School	\$2.00	\$3.25	\$0.60	\$0.70-\$1.50
High School	\$2.05	\$3.35	\$0.60	\$0.70-\$2.00
Reduced Price (all schools)	\$0.30	\$0.40	-----	-----

## Elementary School Information

**Gifted & Talented Programs:** The ACE Program (Academic Class Enrichment) is offered to students in Grades 3-5. This program stresses general intellectual skills, thinking skills and problem solving. The ACE Program meets twice per week at each elementary school.

Achievement in Mathematics (AIM) provides 3rd through 5th graders all the basic skills taught in the classroom, plus additional enrichment in mathematics. Students meet each school day.

# Fisher Middle School

## Location:

1325 Lower Ferry Road, Ewing, NJ 08618

## Phone Numbers:

**Main:** (609) 538-9800 - X3100

**Fax:** (609) 637-9753

**Nurse:** Ms. Kirsten Johmann - X3124

**Guidance:** (609) 538-9800 - X3110

**Principal:** Dr. Maggy Hanna - X3102

**Assistant Principal:** Mr. Hugh Dwyer - X3105

**Assistant Principal:** Mr. Scott Sheplock - X3105

## Deans of Students and Anti-Bullying Specialist:

Ms. Rebecca Romanko - X3105

**Anti-Bullying Specialist Back-Up:** Mr. Joseph Zuccarello - X3112

**Student Assistance Counselor:** Mrs. Lori Amison - X3145

**PBIS Specialist:** Ms. Erika Freeman - X3103

## Child Study Team:

Ms. Brittany Amabile - Psychologist - X3185

Ms. Megan Riddlesperger - Psychologist - X3183

Ms. Rachel Land - Social Worker - X3115

Ms. Jill Occhipinti - Social Worker - X3180

## Fisher Parent Association (FPA):

Email address: [jfrench604@aol.com](mailto:jfrench604@aol.com); [sherryd.greener@gmail.com](mailto:sherryd.greener@gmail.com)

Phone number: (609) 538-9800 X8543



## Middle School Information

**Positive Behavior Support (PBS):** Since 2009, Fisher Middle School has been Soaring to Students' Highest Potential with our PBS program. This is a school-wide program that is a proven, systems-focused approach that produces numerous positive outcomes.

The FMS program is S.O.A.R. (Safety, Ownership, Achievement, Respect). We are encouraging and acknowledging students' appropriate behaviors daily. They receive S.O.A.R. Dojo points when they are observed following one of our expectations. These S.O.A.R. points can be used for our school store and submitted for rewards.

Our overall goal of the program is to promote and support a safer, healthier and more caring school environment. We also are looking for teaching outcomes and learning to be enhanced. So far, the results have been positive as our school functions more efficiently and effectively. Let's all continue to help students soar to their highest potential.

**Gifted & Talented Program:** There is a Gifted and Talented class at each grade level in Mathematics and Reading. The process of preparing children for the higher levels of math begins in Grade 6. 8th graders who demonstrate mathematical giftedness are enrolled into Algebra in Grade 8. This process leads toward Advanced Placement Calculus in high school. A Gifted and Talented Humanities Program is also available to students who demonstrate excellence in English Language Arts. Information is sent to the parents of eligible students.



There are many opportunities for students to participate in after school activities. Students have the choice to join clubs such as Student Council, G.A.M.E. or Odyssey of the Mind. They can also try out for our sports teams. All clubs and sports require students to be in good academic standing.

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# O'Brien Academy

## Location:

1331 Lower Ferry Road, Ewing, NJ 08618

## Phone Numbers:

**Main:** (609) 538-9800 - X3700

**Fax:** (609) 538-8741

**Principal:** Dr. Maggy Hanna - X3102

**Anti-Bullying Specialist:** Mr. Kevin Bonner - X3719

## Child Study Team:

Ms. Paula Riccobono - Psychologist - X3782

Ms. Jennifer Drake - Social Worker - X3780

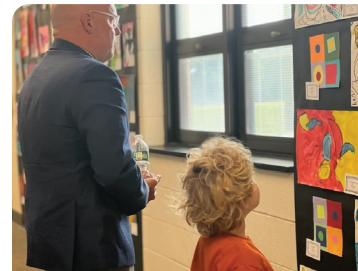
**Nurse:** Ms. Kirsten Johmann - X3125



## O'Brien Academy Information

In November, 2011 the O'Brien Academy opened in the Ryan Building for the 2011-2012 school year. The O'Brien Academy is a progressive alternative educational program for students in Grades K through 8. The program is named after Frank O'Brien, who was the Director of Special Services for The Ewing Public Schools for 23 years, and was dedicated to serving the best interests of all students.

According to Ewing's Director of Special Services/Operations/Grant Management, Harry Louth, the main motivation for this program is that there are limited alternatives and options for children at this grade span who would benefit from a non-traditional program. "We can meet many of these students' needs by providing an in-district alternative program option that provides an environment in which these students will be educated in Ewing by our own trained teaching staff," Mr. Louth stated.



# Ewing High School

## Location:

900 Parkway Avenue, Ewing, NJ 08618

## Phone Numbers:

**Main:** (609) 538-9800 - X2100

**Fax:** (609) 882-8172

**Nurse:** Mrs. Leslie Curran - X2125

**Fax:** (609) 637-0680

**Guidance Office:** X2112

**Fax:** (609) 771-9132



**Principal:** Mr. Edward Chmiel - X2102

## Assistant Principals:

Ms. Shalieka Jarrett - X2106

Ms. Lisa Lenihan - X2107

## Deans of Students:

Mr. David Waseleski - X2103

Mr. David Sheffel - X2105

## Anti-Bullying Specialist:

Mr. David Waseleski - X2103

## Anti-Bullying Specialist Backup:

Mr. David Sheffel - X2105

**Athletic Director:** Mr. Kyle Kaminskas - X2126

Fax: (609) 637-0179

**Student Activities Director:** Ms. Kelly Hammer - X2140

## Child Study Team:

Mrs. Lauren Haberstick - Learning Consultant - X2184

Ms. Dina Hercus - Learning Consultant - X2187

Ms. Lauren Green - Psychologist - X2162

Ms. Kaili Mack - Social Worker - X2136

Mr. Michael Mattle - Social Worker/Transition Coordinator - X2180

Mrs. Alicia Kaplan - Social Worker Endeavor Academy - X2181

## Ewing High School Academics

*Did you know...Ewing High School offers the following academic courses and educational opportunities?*

### EHS Honors Courses:

Accounting II

English I Introduction to  
Literature & Composition

English II Themes in  
Literature & Composition

English III American  
Literature & Composition

English IV Honors British  
Literature & Composition

Algebra I, II & III

Geometry

Pre-Calculus

Earth & Space Science

Biology

Chemistry

Physics I & II

Intro to Computer Science

Human Anatomy &  
Physiology

World History Honors

United States History I & II

International Politics & Law

French II, III & IV

Spanish I, II, III & IV

Peer Leadership

### EHS Advanced Placement Courses:

AP English Language  
and Composition

AP English Literature  
and Composition

AP Calculus AB

AP Calculus BC

AP Statistics

AP Biology

AP Chemistry

AP Environmental  
Science

AP Computer Science

AP Human Geography

AP US History

AP US Government  
and Politics

AP French

AP Spanish

AP Studio Art:  
Drawing Portfolio

AP Studio Art:  
3-D Design Portfolio



### EHS Career & Technical Education (CTE)

Career and Technical Education at Ewing High School Currently, Ewing High School offers a CTE pathway program in the Business Education Department and another in the Family & Consumer Science Department.



### Dual Enrollment College Course Programs:

Rider University

Princeton University

The College of New Jersey (TCNJ)

Mercer County Community College (MCCC)



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# Care of School Property

The Board of Education believes the school district should help students learn to respect property and instill feelings of pride in their school. The Board requires each student enrolled in the district to responsibly care for school property and the school supplies and equipment entrusted to the student by the school district.

Students who cause damage to or lose school property may be subject to disciplinary measures. The Board authorizes the imposition of a fine for the loss, damage, or destruction of a Chromebook, iPad, computer peripherals, or textbook and reserves the right to withhold a report card or diploma from any student whose payment of a fine is in arrears.

## Ewing Public Schools District Fine List

Fines will be assessed as follows for any lost Chromebook, iPad, or computer peripherals or Chromebook, iPad, or computer peripherals damaged beyond normal wear.

Item	Cost
Replacing Chromebook (lost or stolen)	\$300
Damage to LCD screen	\$100
Damage to Keyboard	\$75
Broken Hinges	\$75
Replace Charger	\$50

iPad replacement (lost or stolen)	\$300
iPad replacement charger	\$45
iPad Case replacement	\$75



### Fines will be assessed as follows for any lost textbook or textbook damaged beyond normal wear.

- Loss or damage ---> Fine
- Lost book issued in new condition ---> 100% of list price
- Lost book issued in good condition ---> 100% of list price
- Lost book issued in fair condition ---> 100% of list price
- Lost book issued in poor condition ---> 100% of list price
- Broken bindings ---> 100% of list price
- Defaced cover ---> 100% of list price
- Missing pages ---> 100% of list price
- Loose or torn pages ---> 100% of list price
- Marks not damaging to text ---> 5 cents per page
- Marks damaging to text ---> 25 cents per page
- Dog-eared pages ---> 10 cents per page
- Soil not damaging to text ---> 5 cents per page
- Soil damaging to text ---> 25 cents per page
- Book so damaged (by water or otherwise) as to be unusable ---> 100% of list price



*The Ewing Public Schools is partnering with One2One Risk Solutions to provide accident and loss protection for our schools' one to one district-issued device program. Registering with One2One and PURCHASING a damage waiver will protect you from the full cost to repair or replace your district-issued device and limit your responsibility to a per-occurrence of deductible, should a loss occur. Information can be found on the district website: [www.ewing.nj.k12.us](http://www.ewing.nj.k12.us) under District Parent Information tab/ Information Technology tab/Technology Support Center tab, on how to purchase a damage waiver from One2One Risk Solutions.*