

July/August 2017



Senior Pictures Seniors should text EWHS to 99000 for important senior portrait information and special offers.



Freshman Orientation August 10, 2017 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Sign-up today to be a part of the action!

Register at www.wcpss.net/eastwakehs



Open House / Meet the Teacher Night Thursday, August 24, 2017 6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

Principal's Message

Dear Parents and Students:

We look forward to your return as we begin a great new year at East Wake High School. In order to help you prepare for the coming school year, we are mailing information to inform you of important dates and pertinent policy changes that will impact all students. Please review the entire communication carefully to make sure you are prepared for the start of the new school year. The first day of school, which is Monday, August 28, will be here before you know it!

Stacey Alston

Stay Informed!

East Wake High School will post newsletters on our website throughout the year to provide important school information for parents and students. In addition to these newsletters, we will text message and email information that we have in PowerSchools to parents. Other important school information can be found on the EWHS website at http://www.wcpss.net/eastwakehs or on the WCPSS website at www.wcpss.net/eastwakehs or on the WCPSS website at www.wcpss.net/eastwakehs for reminders.

Schedules & Schedule Changes

Schedules for 10th – 12th grade students will be mailed the week of August 7. Freshmen will receive their schedules at Freshmen Orientation on October 10. Freshmen schedules not picked up will be mailed after orientation. In order to protect instructional time, all students will have the opportunity to pick up parking passes, off-campus lunch passes, locker assignments, and schedule changes before the first day of school. These tasks must be done Monday, August 14 or Tuesday, August 15 from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. and from 1:00 p.m. to 4 p.m. in Student Services. Freshman can request schedule changes at Freshman Orientation.

Extensive time was spent developing a master schedule that provides the best educational opportunities for our students. Schedule changes have serious effects on staffing, class sizes and academic programs. Administrators and counselors will be available on Thursday, August 24 from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. to address emergency schedule issues only! No schedules will be changed on or after August 28. If a course is dropped after the 10th day of the semester, the course will appear on the transcript as WF (Withdraw Failing).

The following reasons are NOT considered appropriate reasons for schedule changes and will not be honored:

- Dropping or adding a course because you changed your mind.
 - Block (class period) preference.
- Teacher preference.



August

- 1 Band Boosters
- 2 Teacher Return
- 9 Warrior Club Meeting
- 10 Freshman Orientation
- 24 Meet the Teacher Night
- 28 First Day of School

September

- 4 Labor Day
- 5 Band Boosters Meeting
- 13 Warrior Club Meeting
- 15 Interim Reports
- 19 SIP Meeting
- 19 PTSA Meeting
- 25-29 Benchmarks
- 29 Early Release

October

- 3 SIP Meeting
- 3 Band Boosters Meeting
- 6 Interim Reports
- 11 PSAT (All 10th Graders)
- 11 Warrior Club Meeting
- 17 PTSA Meeting
- 17 SIP Meeting
- 20 Early Release
- 23-27 Benchmarks
- 30 First Grading Period Ends
- 31 Teacher Workday

November

- 7 SIP Meeting
- 7 Band Boosters Meeting
- 8 Warrior Club Meeting
- 10 Veterans Day
- 17 Interim Reports
- 21 Early Release
- 22 24 Thanksgiving Break

December

- 4-8 Benchmarks
- 5 SIP Meeting
- 5 Band Boosters Meeting
- 13 Warrior Club Meeting
- 15 Interim Reports
- 19 SIP Meeting
- 21 Early Release
- 22 31 Christmas Break

2017-2018 Bell Schedules Has Changed!

REGULAR SCHEDULE		
1 st Period	7:25-8:55	
2 nd Period	9:00-10:30	
3 rd Period	10:35-12:43	
A Lunch	10:50-11:20	
B Lunch	11:30-12:00	
C Lunch	12:13-12:43	
4 th Period	12:48-2:18	

1st Period 7:25-8:23 2nd Period 8:28-9:26 3rd Period 9:31-10:29 4th Period 10:34-11:32 Campus Lunch 11:32-12:00 Buses depart at 11:46

EARLY RELEASE

PTSA Meeting – August 15, 2017 – 7:00 p.m.

The East Wake High School PTSA chapter will hold its monthly meetings on the third Tuesday of each month. The PTSA works year-round to make our school the best for students and teachers. Please consider joining this year! A PTSA Senior Parent Committee will also be formed to assist with planning senior activities. Meetings will be held in the Media Center.

Athletic Booster Club Meeting – August 9, 2017 – 6:00 p.m.

The Warrior Club provides financial support for East Wake High athletics, while working to build school spirit and increase participation in all school sports. The Warrior Club generates funds through corporate sponsorship, club membership, concessions at many athletic events, and other fundraising projects. Its priorities are the safety of all of our athletes and to improve all athletic facilities at East Wake High School. The Warrior Club needs the participation of every parent in order to ensure a successful year. Parents of all athletes are encouraged to attend. The meeting will be held in the Media Center. Warrior Club memberships are now available. Please contact Katrena Baptist at katrenabaptist@yahoo.com for information.

Fall Athletic Opportunities

Sport	Tryout Dates	Time	Location
Football	July 31	7:45 a.m.	Practice Football Field
Cross Country	July 31	7:00 a.m.	Wendell Park
Golf (Women)	August 3	TBA	Wendell Country Club
Soccer (Men)	July 31	8:00 a.m.	Practice Soccer Field
Tennis (Women)	August 1	3:00 p.m.	Tennis Court
Volleyball	July 31	9:00 a.m.	Main Gym
Cheerleading	July 31	10:00 a.m.	Cafeteria

Band Opportunities

Our band program will be under the leadership of Mr. William Page Newsome. Band camp will be from July 27-Aug 1 in Wilson, NC. The marching band will be in competition this fall at Panther Creek High - September 30, Middle Creek High - October 7, Wendell Harvest Parade – October 7, Eastern Randolph High - October 14, Sanderson High - October 28, and Cary High – November 14. The marching band will practice on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. The band boosters will meet the first Tuesday of each month at 7 p.m. in the band room. Please come and support our marching band program.

Before School – Where to go?

When students arrive on campus, they must report to the cafeteria, media center, or school courtyard (main gym on rainy days – seated in bleachers).

Parking Passes

All student drivers may submit parking applications beginning August 1. Students may submit payments online or mail money orders with the completed application.

- Students must show a valid NC driver's license to purchase and pick up the tag.
- All fines and fees must be cleared before the tag is issued.
- Parking tags will not be sold during the first week of school.
- Students must bring a copy of their valid driver's license and car registration to attach to their application.
- Students who park on campus without a valid WCPSS parking tag will towed at the owner's expense.
- Applications can be downloaded from the East Wake High School website or picked up in the office.

Online payment of \$170.00 is preferred. Other forms of payment must be cash, money order, certified check or cashier's check. Personal checks will not be accepted. Cash payments must be made in person. All fines and debts must be cleared before students can purchase parking passes

Lockers

All students should review their class schedule and choose a locker location that will minimize travel time between classes. Locker assignments will be for the entire school year. Lockers and combination locks can be obtained on the designated pick-up dates. Students who fail to check out lockers and locks before the first day of school will have to check them out before school, during lunch or after school in the front office.

Parent/Student Handbooks

At East Wake High School, we believe that parents, students, and staff must work together to provide a quality educational experience. Each student will be given a copy of the 2017-2018 East Wake High School Parent/Student Handbook. These documents are designed to provide support and assistance. We encourage parents and students to review all information contained in these documents.

Off Campus Lunch

WCPSS Board Policy 6130 allows principals to determine off-campus lunch provisions for eligible juniors and seniors. It is important that parents and students understand the expectations and rules governing off-campus lunch privileges for East Wake High School. Juniors and seniors should review the guidelines that are located on the application with their parents before completing the application. A few reminders are listed below:

- Lunch pass identification cards will be distributed on August 15 and 16 during pick up times. Lunch passes will cost \$10 each. The make-up date is August 24 during Meet the Teacher/Open House hours.
- Juniors/Seniors must have a GPA of 1.5 or greater to apply for the Off Campus Lunch Pass.
- Students who do not get passes during these times must wait until August 31. Passes will not be issued on the first day of school.
- Students may not leave campus for lunch on the same day their lunch pass is processed. Lunch passes will only be issued on Wednesdays.
- Students must clear all fines and fees before they can purchase the off-campus lunch pass.
- Parents who wish to avoid standing in line for this process may have their signature **notarized**. Otherwise, parents must come to East Wake High School and sign the application in the presence of school personnel.
- Students and parents are responsible for securing transportation. Only students with a valid parking tag will be allowed to park on campus. Towing will be enforced.
- Off campus lunch is a privilege which may be revoked for disciplinary infractions.
- Applications can be downloaded from the East Wake High School website or picked up in the office.
- Students who are failing one or more classes will have their off-campus pass suspended until their grades are passing. Students who are habitually late for classes or who have attendance problems will also have their off-campus pass suspended until their attendance improves.
- Any underclassmen student in the company of a junior/senior exercising off-campus lunch privileges will constitute a violation of this agreement on the part of the junior/senior and will result in the immediate and possible permanent revocation of privileges.
- Tardiness to or absence from a class following the lunch period will constitute a violation of this agreement. There will be no excused reason for tardiness. The only basis for an absence is illness which occurs while the junior/senior is off campus, and it must be cleared personally with the principal by the junior's/senior's parent before 3:00 p.m. the same day.
- Off-campus lunch is a privilege, not a right. If the privilege is revoked there is no right of appeal, and none will be granted.



Cafeteria Guidelines

While eating breakfast or lunch, students must stay in the cafeteria and remain seated. **No food should be in any academic areas**. Restaurants are not allowed to deliver food to the school.

Late Arrival, Early Dismissal & Tardy Policy

Students who arrive to school after 7:35 a.m. must report directly to the Attendance office located down the hall from the Main office to receive a pass to class. All students will check out from the attendance office. Staff will sweep students into class each period daily. All student tardies will be documented for frequency, and school consequences will be issued after the third tardy. Students begin each quarter with zero tardies. Parents can contact the Attendance office at 919-365-2625.

Electronic Devices

During the academic day (7:20 AM – 2:18 PM) listening devices, speakers, and/or other electronics should not be used, seen or heard while in an academic setting such as classrooms, field trips, instruction outside, etc. Headphones are prohibited at all times except during lunch **only**. **During class time, cell phones should only be used for instructional purposes as directed by a staff member and follow the BYOD policy which is on the school website**. If at any time a student needs to make a call during the school day, the designated school phone will be used. The expectation is that the social contract will be followed and consequences will be in alignment with the school culture plan.

Dress Code Policy

We are committed to providing a safe and orderly learning environment for all students. For this reason, we will enforce a strict dress code. As you plan your wardrobe, please review the WCPSS Inappropriate Dress Policy (6410.1) and plan accordingly.

The following are prohibited: exposed undergarments, sagging pants, excessively short or tight garments (must be as long as the bottom of your fingertips), bare midriff shirts, strapless shirts, shirts with spaghetti straps and tank tops, attire with messages or illustrations that are lewd, indecent or vulgar or that advertise any product or service not permitted by law to minors, head covering of any kind, see-through clothing, any adornment such as chains or spikes that could reasonably be perceived as or used as a weapon, any symbols, styles or attire frequently associated with intimidation, violence or violent groups about which students at a particular school have been notified, and sunglasses should not be worn inside the building unless there is a medical condition that requires protective eyewear. We reserve the right to specify additional items of dress or appearance that may be disruptive to the school environment. Students who are not able to correct the violation immediately will remain in ISS until the problem is corrected.

Capturing Kids' Hearts

In an effort to create the most positive learning environment possible, East Wake High School will practice a school-wide culture plan, based on communicating clear behavioral expectations to students and following up with defined consequences called Capturing Kids' Hearts. The result is a proactive, student-centered behavioral management plan that creates a safe and caring environment for students and staff.

School Phone Numbers

Main Office	365-2625
Fax	365-2653
Attendance	ext. 24186
Student Services	ext. 24194
Registrar	ext. 24180
Cafeteria	ext. 24192
Media Center	ext. 24187
Media Center	ext. 24188
SRO	ext. 24228
Athletics	ext. 24212
Football Office	ext. 24190
Coaches Office	ext. 24189



General Supply List 3-ring binders Loose-leaf notebook paper Dividers Marbled composition notebooks Highlighters #2 pencils Ink Pens Colored pencils Markers 2 pocket/3 prong folders Index cards TI-83 Plus Graphing calculator Graph paper 3X3 inch Post-It notes

Some extra supplies may be needed. Specific requirements will differ from course to course.

Assistant Principals

Gregory Wade	A – D
Jennifer Newby	E – J
Jennifer Carnes	K – Ri
James Fitzgerald	Ro – Z

Guidance Counselors

Melanie Lynch	A – D
Matthew Hendricks	E – J
Reginald Lowery	K – Rm
Blondell Brown	Rn – Z
Melissa Bell	SAP
Keri Pannell	Dean

East Wake High School 2017-2018 Varsity Football Schedule

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<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Site</u>	<u>Time</u>
8/18	Knightdale	Away	7:00
8/25	Fike	Home	7:30
9/1	Rolesville	Home	7:30
9/8	DH Conley	Away	7:30
9/15	Southeast	Home	7:00
9/22	Carrboro	Away	7:30
9/29	Open		
10/6	Cleveland	Home	7:30
10/13	Clayton	Home	7:30
10/20	West Johnston	Away	7:30
10/27	South Johnston	Away	7:30
11/3	SSS	Home	7:30

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8/24	Fike	Away	7:00
8/31	Rolesvile	Away	6:30
9/7	DH Conley	Home	6:30
9/14	Southeast	Away	6:30
9/21	Open		
9/28	Open		
10/5	Cleveland	Away	6:30
10/12	Clayton	Away	6:30
10/19	West Johnston	Home	6:30
10/26	South Johnston	Home	6:30
11/2	SSS	Away	6:30

East Wake Boys Soccer 2017 Schedule

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<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Site</u>	<u>Time</u>
8/7	Harnett Central (Scrimmage)	Home	6:00
8/9	Cary/Millbrook (Scrimmage)	Away	4:30/5:30
8/14	Wake Forest	Away	4:30/6:30
8/16	Heritage (WC Cup)	Home	4:30/6:30
8/17	Knightdale	Home	4:30/6:30
8/23	Knightdale	Away	4:30/6:30
8/28	Millbrook	Away	4:30/6:30
8/30	Athens Drive	Home	4:30/6:30
9/2	GreenHope (WC Cup)	Away	10:00/11:30am
9/5	Wilson Hunt	Home	5:00/7:00
9/6	Southeast	Away	4:30/6:30
9/11	Rolesville	Away	4:30/6:30
9/25	Cleveland	Away	4:30/6:30
9/27	Clayton	Home	4:30/6:30
10/2	West Johnston	Home	4:30/6:30
10/4	South Johnston	Away	4:30/6:30
10/9	Smithfield Selma	Home	4:30/6:30
10/11	Cleveland	Home	4:30/6:30
10/16	Clayton	Away	4:30/6:30
10/18	West Johnston	Away	4:30/6:30
10/23	South Johnston	Home	4:30/6:30
10/25	Smithfield Selma	Away	4:30/6:30

East Wake Girls Tennis 2017 Schedule

Date 8/15 8/17 8/21 8/28 8/30 9/6 9/11 9/13 9/18 9/20 9/25 9/27 10/2	Opponent Wake Forest Southeast Southeast Rolesville Cleveland Clayton West Johnston South Johnston SSS Cleveland Clayton West Johnston South Johnston South Johnston	Site A H A H H A H H A H H	Time 3:30
10/10	GRNC (SSS)	A	TBA

East Wake Volleyball 2017 Schedule

<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Site</u>	<u>Time</u>
8/14	Wake Forest	Н	4:30/5:30
8/16	Southeast	Н	4:30/5:30
8/17	Southern Nash	Н	4:30/5:30
8/21	Corinth Holders	Н	4:30 /5:30
8/22	Rose	Н	4:30/5:30
8/23	Southern Nash	Н	4:30/5:30
8/24	Knightdale	A	4:30/5:30
8/28	Rose	А	4:30/5:30
8/30	Athens Drive	A	4:30/5:30
8/31	Knightdale	Н	4:30/5:30
9/5	Rolesville	Н	4:30/5:30
9/7	Hunt	Н	4:30/5:30
9/12	Cleveland	A	4:30/5:30
9/14	Clayton	Н	4:30/5:30
9/19	West Johnston	Н	4:30/5:30
9/21	South Johnston	A	4:30/5:30
9/26	Smithfield Selma	Н	4:30/5:30
9/28	Cleveland	Н	4:30/5:30
10/2	Clayton	A	4:30/5:30
10/5	West Johnston	A	4:30/5:30
10/10	South Johnston	Н	4:30/5:30
10/12	Smithfield Selma	А	4:30/5:30
10/16	GNRC	TBA	TBA