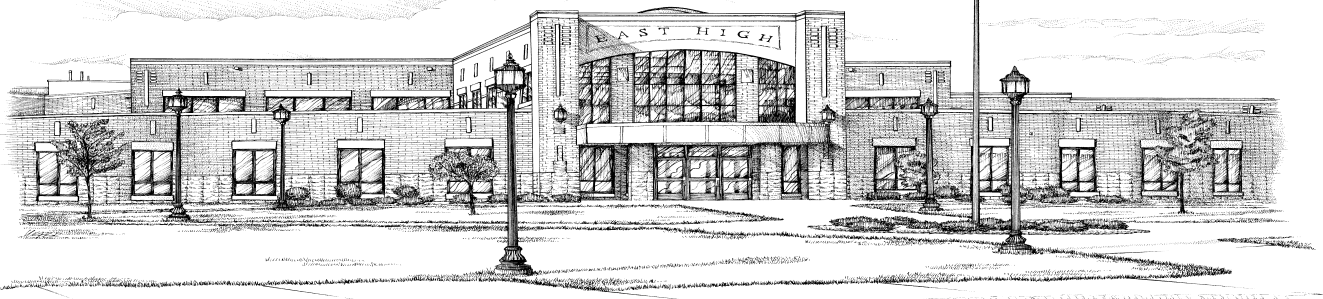


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Wausau East Parent Newsletter

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Lumberjack Families,

On behalf of the entire staff at Wausau East, I would like to take a moment to welcome you and your family back for the 2021-2022 school year! We are hopeful your summer has been restful, re-energizing and safe. We are also hopeful that you are as excited to begin this next school as we are!

The beginning of a new school year provides opportunities to begin fresh, while building on our learning and experiences of the past. This is especially true this school year. The last year and a half has had its fair share of struggles and challenges. However, it has also provided us opportunities to develop and enhance our resiliency and our perseverance. We have been able to overcome challenges together. Circumstances have caused our school to "look" differently than in years past, but it has also resulted in us growing together in our skills and abilities...and learning about ourselves. I am confident that our grit through difficult times has made us stronger as we move into a more normalized school year.

We are extremely excited to welcome our newest Lumberjacks into the mix this year with our freshman class. They will be joining a fantastic group of upperclassmen in our building and will help contribute to our building culture. As freshmen, their high school experience is only beginning, but it will move by quickly. The best advice we can give to all of our freshmen is to become involved. Take advantage of all the opportunities afforded to you at Wausau East. Join a club, organization, sport or activity. Students who are the most involved are most successful.

For our upperclassmen, this year will provide continued opportunities to contribute to the great traditions of Wausau East. Our upperclassmen will also have opportunities to be leaders in helping to establish our building's daily culture and norms. Student leadership from this group of outstanding students will be important as we begin the school year. We encourage all of our upperclassmen to get involved in extracurricular activities and leadership opportunities. The connections made, and school pride that is developed, from outstanding participation is immeasurable.

As we begin the 2021-2022 school year, it will be important for our building to commit to the development of social-emotional connections that make Wausau East special. During the first days of school we will be providing orientation opportunities for our students with a focus on relationship development and making connections. During this time, we will also be providing orientation activities to help our students understand processes within the school such as homework completion, attendance, and the general operational routines of a normal school day.

As we move forward, I would like to emphasize the importance of the home-to-school relationship. In my opinion, this is one of the most important factors in a successful school. Please do not hesitate to reach out to the school if you have any questions or concerns. We are all here for the same reason and are committed to the same goal...the success of our students.

With Lumberjack Pride,
Cale Bushman



Welcome Mr. Vanden Heuvel!

Hello Jack Nation! My name is Kurt Vanden Heuvel and I have been passionately involved in secondary education for over 14 years and involved with athletics/activities for over 25 years. I have enjoyed the process of growing as a leader while building relationships in various environments such as: K-12 Summer Principal, Head Coach, Collegiate Athlete, Aquatics Director, and now serving as your Activities Director at Wausau East.

I find it rewarding to be in a multi-faceted position due the challenges of finding creative solutions and unconventional ways to help make programs and initiatives thrive. These experiences have shaped my values which align very well with Wausau East's expectations and I understand the importance they have on contributing to a community of success and student achievement.

It is my intent and mission to adhere to these values by being present at extracurricular events, advocating for our hard working staff, displaying successes within our community, and enhancing student opportunities to develop soft skills

and school pride. I will collaborate closely with all stakeholders to ensure facilities meet/exceed standards, coaches/directors are equipped to build their programs, and communication is easily accessible through multiple platforms for the community.

I stand firm in my belief that extracurriculars play a large role in being an extension of the classroom and can assure you I will be an integral part of the academic process as it correlates to the success of each afterschool program. I am excited to be part of a great community with such a strong history of support and excellence. If you see me out and about at any event, do not hesitate to come up and say hi!

GO JACKS!!

Kurt Vanden Heuvel

Mrs. Foster, New Associate Principal of Programming/Special Education

Hello Lumberjack Families:

For the past year, I have had the opportunity to meet many of you on our athletic fields at Lumberjack sporting events and in our auditorium at Lumberjack performing arts events. Together we navigated a very strange school year providing extracurricular activities and events while focused on the health and safety of our students, your children. This year, I will be moving down the hall to the main office to become the Associate Principal of Programming and Special Education at Wausau East.

Rooted in our shared core values of Respect, Integrity, Compassion, and Excellence, Wausau East has a long tradition of providing the highest quality educational opportunities for all students and families. Alongside some of the most skilled educators, caring support staff, and dedicated administrators, I am excited to work to continue this tradition and to further expand opportunities for our students and families. With more than 20 years of experience in education, teaching in regular education and special education classrooms, urban and rural areas of our state, at all levels from middle school to post-secondary, I am thrilled to have this opportunity to serve as your Associate Principal, and work together with families like yours.

I look forward to meeting even more of you as we begin a new year. Please be sure to continue to stop by, say 'hello', and share your vision of our great school.



Wausau East Student Fees 2021-2022

OPTIONAL FEES

Yearbook – until October 1 \$55

Oct 2 – Feb 1 \$57

**(extra yearbooks will NOT
be available at the end of year)*

Parking (year) \$40

Additional parking pass \$2

Temp parking pass (2-day limit) \$2

Athletic user fee (per sport) \$50

**exception Boys Lacrosse \$75*

Homecoming shirt \$15

**order by Sept 1*

AGRISCIENCE

Advanced Conservation \$5/sem

Conservation \$5/sem

Intro to Agriscience \$5/sem

Vet Science \$5/sem

ART

Architecture Drawing \$11/sem

Ceramics I, II, III \$15/sem

Comic Arts & Animation \$11/sem

Design Foundations \$11/sem

Drawing Foundations \$11/sem

Drawing II, III \$11/sem

IB Art \$22/year

Painting I, II, III \$11/sem

Sculpture I, II, III \$11/sem

Studio Art/Pre IB Art \$22/year

ENGLISH

English 9 Accelerated \$2/year

Contemporary American Literature \$2/sem

Multi-Cultural Literature \$2/sem

World Literature \$2/sem

FAMILY & CONSUMER SCIENCE

Careers with Kids/ACCT \$10/sem

Child Development \$10/sem

Family Relations \$6/sem

Financial Literacy \$5/sem

Foods I, II \$25/sem

Foods & Nutrition \$25/sem

MUSIC

Band Participation Fee \$35/year

Instrument Rental Fee \$30/year

Orchestra Fee \$10/year

PHY. ED.

Lifetime Activities \$14/sem

Young Adult Medicine \$5/sem

GLOBAL LANGUAGE

Spanish III, IV \$3/year

Spanish Pre-IB \$1/year

Spanish IB I, II \$20/year

**(unless previously purchased)*

MATH

Algebra 1a and 1b \$3/year

Algebra 1, II, Alg II IB \$3/year

Geometry \$3/year

Intermediate Algebra \$3/year

SCIENCE

Biology I, IB I, IB II \$6/year

Chemistry I, B, IB II \$6/year

Physical Science \$6/year

Physics B, IB I, IB II \$6/year

Astronomy/Earth Science \$3/sem

Biology II \$3/sem

Environmental Science I, II \$3/sem

Field Biology \$3/sem

Horticulture \$3/sem

Medical Terminology \$3/sem

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Amazon or NTC bookstore)*

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For assistance in setting up your Parent Portal,
please call the Main Office at 715-261-0650.

A Message from Mr. Sinz

As we move into our late summer period, it's a great time to carefully consider what's ahead for the fall of 2021. First and foremost, we want to extend a huge Lumberjack welcome to all of our students. We anticipate a return to "normal" in several ways that we haven't been able to practice since March of 2020. We expect to have all of our 900+ students back and in person at East High. We expect to meet for five days out of the week. We expect to be able to sit with each other at tables in our commons during resource periods and lunches. Collectively, we happily expect to return to a high level of togetherness. These expectations might not have seemed to be anything special prior to COVID, but they do feel like something special now!

Lumberjacks, coming back for the fall of 2021 is exciting for everyone. Be ready to engage with your teachers. Be ready to interact and have fun with your friends. Be ready to enjoy your extracurricular activities and other involvements. And be ready to demonstrate your full potential in all of your classes to earn the best possible grades. Come September, it will be a great feeling to truly be back in session at Wausau East High School.

Hall Lockers



Hall lockers are assigned to all students. Keep your combination to yourself! Be sure to secure your locker each time you use it. The lockers are the property of East High School and may be searched by East officials randomly or with reasonable suspicion. Students are responsible for the repair of any damage to their assigned locker. Please report any vandalism or theft to the Student Services office. Please note that the offices use lockers to distribute information throughout the year.

NOTE: All grades will be issued combination padlocks. Replacement cost is \$10.

Metro Ride Face Mask

Requirement

NOTICE



Parents and students are advised that per federal law, all passengers will be required to wear a face mask while aboard *Metro Ride* busses. This mandate is in effect through September 13, 2021, but may be extended. Stay tuned for updates.

Face masks will be optional on *First Student* busses (subject to change).

Student Insurance

The Wausau School District does not purchase insurance for students. However, information relating to student insurance will be available at Schedule Pick Up and also in the Main Office.



FREE Breakfast & Lunch in 2021-22!

All student meals will remain free through June 30, 2022. Ala carte options will be made available through the lunch line. Any student wishing to purchase ala carte food items will be required to have a positive meal account balance. No ala carte purchases will be allowed without a positive balance. Nutrition Services operates a prepayment meal accounting system. All ala carte items must be paid for BEFORE being eaten. There are two methods for payment: 1. Check made payable to WSD Food Service or cash placed in a prepayment envelope (envelopes provided at

school) 2. Online payment via credit card (\$1.95 transaction fee applies) directly to meal account via [PayPams](#) system. The USDA is asking that all families complete and submit a [Free/Reduced Application](#) either online or by paper application before school starts to determine meal eligibility status for the new school year. This form is the only method that the government has to determine funding for several educational programs within the school district.

Freshman and Sophomore Transition Day

The first day of school is Wednesday, September 1, beginning at 7:45 a.m. The freshman and sophomore classes will report to the Auditorium to begin the day. It is our goal that freshman and sophomore students begin this year feeling comfortable and connected to our school.

We have an exciting first day planned for you! The program is called Link Crew. Link Crew is a peer mentoring program designed to ease the transition to high school and create positive connections. Seniors and juniors serve as mentor leaders to our freshman and sophomore students. Large and small group activities are designed to address students' needs and concerns in a fun manner. Social and academic follow-up activities are planned throughout the school year. If you have any questions, please contact John Boulanger, Link Crew Coordinator at 715-261-0660.

First Day Schedule for 9th & 10th Grades

7:00-7:45 Breakfast in the commons

Freshmen and sophomores report to the Auditorium.

7:45- 9:25 Introductions

Ice Breakers

Welcome from Mr. Bushman

Group Activities

Video

9:30-11:00 Students rotate through Link Crew Activities

9:30-10:15 Rotation 1

10:15-11:00 Rotation 2

11:05-11:40 Lunch and Activities Fair

11:45-12:05 Class Meetings

Freshmen Auditorium

Sophomores Fieldhouse

12:10-1:08 Freshmen and sophomores attend homeroom

1:13-3:00 Move through class schedules (9-minute classes)

Period 1 1:13-1:22

Period 2 1:27-1:36

Period 3 1:41-1:50

Period 4 1:55-2:04

Period 5 2:09-2:18

Period 6 2:23-2:32

Period 7 2:37-2:46

Period 8 2:51-3:00

First Day Schedule for 11th & 12th Grades

**BRING YOUR CHROMEBOOK
FULLY CHARGED**

7:00-7:45 Breakfast in the Commons

Junior Schedule

7:45-9:15 Attend homeroom to review handbooks, schedules, etc.

9:30-11:00 Report to Fieldhouse for class meeting

11:00-11:30 NEW STUDENTS report to the Career Center for Chromebook information

11:30 Students are dismissed/lunch is optional

Senior Schedule

7:45-9:15 Attend homeroom to review handbook, schedules, etc.

9:30-11:00 Report to Fieldhouse for class meeting

11:00-11:30 NEW STUDENTS report to the Career Center for Chromebook information

11:30 Students are dismissed/lunch is optional

IMPORTANT!!!

**YOU MUST BE IN ATTENDANCE ON THE FIRST
DAY OF SCHOOL TO QUALIFY FOR STUDENT
INCENTIVE AND OPEN CAMPUS LUNCH!**





Wausau East High School

MISSION STATEMENT

The Mission of Wausau East High School is to positively
Impact the future by helping students reach their full
Potential in a rigorous learning environment of
RESPECT, INTEGRITY, COMPASSION,
and **HONORING EXCELLENCE.**

CORE VALUES

Wausau East students and staff live by a set of Core Values
that form the bedrock of good character.

Our Core Values give us strength,
regulate our behavior, and unite us to meet any
challenge and succeed.

RESPECT

We believe everyone at our school possesses qualities and traits
worthy of admiration, so we respect the dignity of each person,
as well as the personal property of others.

INTEGRITY

We strive to exemplify ethical and moral behavior.
Lumberjacks do not lie, cheat, or steal.

Our qualities of honesty, maturity, dedication, trust, and dependability
compel us to act responsibly and hold ourselves and each other accountable
for our actions and our language.

COMPASSION

Compassion means valuing the connections we have with other
living beings, identifying, and being sympathetic with another's
situation, understanding without judgment, and offering help
when a need is discovered.

HONORING EXCELLENCE

Honoring Excellence is the spirit of selfless determination, discipline, and
dedication found at East, while in the classroom or in any extracurricular
activity. It leads to the highest order of discipline for teachers and students.
It inspires the determination to achieve the highest standard of excellence
in every endeavor.



WAUSAU EAST CHEATING POLICY

Lumberjack students and staff live and work by a set of Core Values that form the bedrock of good character. Our Core Values give us strength, regulate our behavior, and unite us to meet any challenge and succeed. The following are our Core Values: Respect, Integrity, Compassion and Honoring Excellence.

The Core Value of Integrity demands that students strive to exemplify ethical and moral behavior. Lumberjack students will not lie, cheat or steal. Our qualities of honesty, maturity, dedication, trust and dependability compel us to act responsibly and hold ourselves and each other accountable for our actions and our language. Thus, it is expected that the grade a student earns is based upon work that the student has performed. Cheating is dishonest. It harms you and it harms the other students who do not cheat. We will, therefore, not condone or tolerate cheating in any form.

You are cheating if you:

- Share your original work, either digitally or physically, or by any means whatsoever, with another student.
- Complete work for another student.
- Copy, fax, or duplicate assignments that will each be turned in as "original."
- Exchange assignments by print-out, disk transfer, or modem, then submit as "original."
- Write formulas, codes, and key words on your person or objects for use in a test.
- Use hidden reference sheets during a test.
- Use programmed material in watches or calculators when prohibited.
- Exchange answers with others (either giving or receiving answers).
- Take someone else's assignment and submit it as your own.
- Submit material (written or designed by someone else) without giving the name of the author/artist and/or source (e.g., plagiarizing or submitting work created by family, friends, or tutors).
- Use cell phones or any other electronic device with photographic, recording, or texting capabilities during a test or assignment.
- Change an answer on a test and return it to the teacher with the claim that the test was graded incorrectly.
- Do not follow additional specific guidelines on cheating as established by department, class, or a particular teacher.

When a teacher learns that a student has committed a form of academic dishonesty, the teacher will immediately contact the parents or guardian of the student and an administrator to notify them of the incident.

Consequences for students found to be cheating may include, but are not limited to the following:

- Designation of "F" or zero on exam/test/quiz/assignment.
- Making up assignments, retaking quizzes, exams or tests is at the discretion of the classroom teacher.
- In addition, students can expect that cheating may negatively affect their inclusion in the National Honor Society, scholarship selection process, Incentive and Open Campus lunch privileges and athletic/activity eligibility.



May 2021 IB Assessment Session Results

All eight full International Baccalaureate (IB) diploma candidates received their IB diplomas!

Congratulations to Kassie Bargender, Maddie Busig, Gianina Chang, Carter Cygan, Alexis Kielman, Sharayah Lazaroff, Danika Monarski, and Ellie Mroczenski.

To receive the diploma, students must have an overall score ranging from 24 to 45 points. This score is compiled from their scores on six exams, CAS, Extended Essay, and Theory of Knowledge. East diploma students had an average score of 30.5, and the highest score was a 37. These exceptional scores are the result of two years of hard work and dedication in this rigorous program of advanced, college preparatory classes.

In this session, 57 students took 119 exams. East had a 90.8% pass rate. To pass the student must score at least a four out of seven. Last year we had an 85.9% pass rate and our five-year average pass rate prior to that was 81.8%. Results such as these during all of the challenges due to COVID are a testament to a great deal of hard work.

Congratulations to all of these students!!!

Sending Your IB Transcripts to a University

Many parents of IB students will want to notify the registrar of their child's IB scores. This can be done in two ways. First, the student may have already submitted a "Request for Results Service Form" during the last school year. When exam results were released in July, they were made available to institutes via an IB secure website, or were mailed a paper transcript of grades if the institution does not make use of this electronic service.

If an IB graduate did not fill in the "Request for Results Service Form" or would like results sent to additional universities, they can make their request electronically. A fee will be charged for each request that is submitted now regardless of whether any previous requests have been made on your behalf. For further information on how to submit a request, please visit <https://www.ibo.org/programmes/diploma-programme/assessment-and-exams/requesting-transcripts/>

To submit your transcript request electronically, please visit: rrs.ibo.org A letter containing the student's PIN code was mailed to the home last year prior to testing. Please direct any requests for misplaced PIN codes to dbeattie@wausauschools.org. Under no circumstances should candidates reveal their PIN to universities or admission centers.

The IB transcript of grades will display the student's full name, date of birth, the name of the school they attended, the subjects they were registered for and the grades achieved for each subject.

Registration for the May 2022 IB Exams

Should your junior or senior son/daughter register for the IB exams? How and when do they register? What is the cost? To clarify these questions and others, information will be posted on the Wausau East IB webpage in mid-September. You can also stop by the IB Resource Center, next to the Jack Shack, during parent/teacher conferences on Wednesday, October 20, to ask any questions you may have.

Registration for the May 2022 IB exams will take place from Monday, September 27 - Wednesday, October 27. **Be sure to mark your calendars because this is the only time your son/daughter can register.** You must complete a registration form and pay by cash or check at the time of registration. Students will receive registration packets in their IB classes. Please make checks payable to Wausau East High School. **Registration fees are not refundable.**

Examinations will be administered in accordance with IB regulations. This means that all students must take each exam at the same time. As a result, exams take priority over school events.

If you have questions, please call or email Darlene Beattie, 715-261-0650, dbeattie@wausauschools.org

Important information from the Health Office

Below is important health information for the 2021-2022 school year. This includes information about medication during the school day. **OVER THE COUNTER MEDICATION IS NOW OFFERED.** The Wausau School District will supply generic ibuprofen and generic acetaminophen for students in the middle and high schools.

WSD personnel will only administer the recommended therapeutic dose of the non-prescription medication. Also available is the [Medication Consent Form](#). This is used for prescription medication or over the counter medication other than generic ibuprofen or acetaminophen (i.e., Tums, allergy medication, etc.). This form along with specialized forms for Allergy Action Plan, Seizure Action Plan, Asthma Action Plan and Special Dietary Request forms may be found on the [Wausau School District website](#) or paper copies can be picked up in the East Health Office. Completed forms with medical information can be returned to East during Schedule Pick Up in August or at any time during the school year.

Medication must be kept in the health office. Students are not allowed to have medication (prescription or over the counter) with them during the school day with the exception of: diabetic supplies, EpiPens and inhalers. Medication is required to be brought in by a parent/guardian and may be dropped off in the Health Office between the hours of 7:15 a.m. - 3:15 p.m.



Also included on the following page are immunization requirements for students. Please contact your healthcare provider or the Marathon County Health Dept. to schedule an appointment for your child's immunization update. If you have any questions or concerns about any information, please contact the East Health Office. Nancy Peters, (health aide) at 715-261-0678 or npeters@wausauschools.org or Julie Welch (school nurse) at 715-261-0713 or jwelch@wausauschools.org

It's a Great Day to be a
Lumberjack!!

INFORMATION FOR PARENTS

2021 Recommended Immunizations for Children 7–18 Years Old

Talk to your child's doctor or nurse about the vaccines recommended for their age. COVID-19 vaccination is recommended for some adolescents.

	Flu Influenza	Tdap Tetanus, diphtheria, pertussis	HPV Human papillomavirus	Meningococcal		Pneumococcal	Hepatitis B	Hepatitis A	Polio	MMR Measles, mumps, rubella	Chickenpox Varicella
				MenACWY	MenB						
7–8 Years											
9–10 Years											
11–12 Years											
13–15 Years											
16–18 Years											
More information:	Everyone 6 months and older should get a flu vaccine every year.	All 11- through 12-year olds should get one shot of Tdap.	All 11- through 12-year olds should get a 3-shot series of HPV vaccine. A 3-shot series is needed for those with weakened immune systems and those who start the series at 15 years or older.	All 11- through 12-year olds should get one shot of meningococcal conjugate (MenACWY). A booster shot is recommended at age 16.	Twins 16–18 years old may be vaccinated with a meningococcal (MenB) vaccine.						



These shaded boxes indicate when the vaccine is recommended for all children unless your doctor tells you that your child cannot safely receive the vaccine.



These shaded boxes indicate the vaccine should be given if a child is catching up on missed vaccines.



These shaded boxes indicate the vaccine is recommended for children with certain health or lifestyle conditions that put them at an increased risk for serious diseases. See vaccine-specific recommendations at www.cdc.gov/vaccines/imz/parents/parents.html.



This shaded box indicates children not at increased risk may get the vaccine if they wish after speaking to a provider.



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Vaccine-Preventable Diseases and the Vaccines that Prevent Them

Disease	Vaccine	Disease spread by	Disease symptoms	Disease complications
Chickenpox	Varicella vaccine protects against chickenpox.	Air, direct contact	Rash, tiredness, headache, fever	Infected blisters, bleeding disorders, encephalitis (brain swelling), pneumonia (infection in the lungs)
Diphtheria	Tdap* and Td** vaccines protect against diphtheria.	Air, direct contact	Sore throat, mild fever, weakness, swollen glands in neck	Swelling of the heart muscle, heart failure, coma, paralysis, death
Hepatitis A	HepA vaccine protects against hepatitis A.	Direct contact, contaminated food or water	May be no symptoms, fever, stomach pain, loss of appetite, fatigue, vomiting, jaundice (yellowing of skin and eyes), dark urine	Liver failure, arthralgia (joint pain), kidney, pancreatic and blood disorders
Hepatitis B	HepB vaccine protects against hepatitis B.	Contact with blood or body fluids	May be no symptoms, fever, headache, weakness, vomiting, jaundice (yellowing of skin and eyes), joint pain	Chronic liver infection, liver failure, liver cancer
Human Papillomavirus	HPV vaccine protects against human papillomavirus.	Direct skin contact	May be no symptoms, genital warts	Cervical, vaginal, vulvar, penile, anal, oropharyngeal cancers
Influenza (Flu)	Flu vaccine protects against influenza.	Air, direct contact	Fever, muscle pain, sore throat, cough, extreme fatigue	Pneumonia (infection in the lungs)
Measles	MMR*** vaccine protects against measles.	Air, direct contact	Rash, fever, cough, runny nose, pink eye	Encephalitis (brain swelling), pneumonia (infection in the lungs), death
Meningococcal Disease	MenACWY and MenB vaccines protect against meningococcal disease.	Air, direct contact	Sudden onset of fever, headache, and stiff neck, dark purple rash	Loss of limb, deafness, nervous system disorders, developmental disabilities, seizure disorder, stroke, death
Mumps	MMR*** vaccine protects against mumps.	Air, direct contact	Swollen salivary glands (under the jaw), fever, headache, tiredness, muscle pain	Meningitis (infection of the covering around the brain and spinal cord), encephalitis (brain swelling), inflammation of testicles or ovaries, deafness
Pertussis	Tdap* vaccine protects against pertussis.	Air, direct contact	Severe cough, runny nose, apnea (a pause in breathing in infants)	Pneumonia (infection in the lungs), death
Pneumococcal Disease	Pneumococcal vaccine protects against pneumococcal disease.	Air, direct contact	May be no symptoms, pneumonia (infection in the lungs)	Bacteremia (blood infection), meningitis (infection of the covering around the brain and spinal cord), death
Polio	Polio vaccine protects against polio.	Air, direct contact, through the mouth	May be no symptoms, sore throat, fever, nausea, headache	Paralysis, death
Rubella	MMR*** vaccine protects against rubella.	Air, direct contact	Sometimes rash, fever, swollen lymph nodes	Very serious in pregnant women—can lead to miscarriage, stillbirth, premature delivery, birth defects
Tetanus	Tdap* and Td** vaccines protect against tetanus.	Exposure through cuts on skin	Stiffness in neck and abdominal muscles, difficulty swallowing, muscle spasms, fever	Broken bones, breathing difficulty, death

*Tdap combines protection against diphtheria, tetanus, and pertussis.

**Td combines protection against diphtheria and tetanus.

***MMR combines protection against measles, mumps, and rubella.

If you have any questions about your child's vaccines, talk to your child's doctor or nurse.

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Wausau East Counseling & Career Center News

Welcome Back!

The Wausau East Counseling Department and Career Center are excited to begin the 2021-2022 school year. We missed all the students and cannot wait to see everyone again. Please do not hesitate to contact your school counselor if you need help with anything. We are here for you.

2021-22 ACT Test Dates & Registration Deadlines



<u>Test Date</u>	<u>Registration Deadline</u>
September 11, 2021	August 6, 2021
October 23, 2021	September 17, 2021
December 11, 2021	November 5, 2021
February 12, 2022	January 7, 2022
April 2, 2022	February 25, 2022
June 11, 2022	May 6, 2022
July 16, 2022	June 17, 2022

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School Social Worker

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Welcome!

We extend a hearty Lumberjack welcome to

Mr. Jason Beal, Counselor

Ms. Cathleen Gauger, Career Center Coordinator

Ms. Sarah Nilles, School Social Worker

What Does An East Counselor Do?

East Counselors are here to help ALL students be successful during the high school years.

- ♦ Academic progress monitoring/graduation progress monitoring
- ♦ Academic intervention and support for struggling students
- ♦ Collaborate with parents and staff members to best fit the needs of students
- ♦ Course registration advisement
- ♦ Career and college planning
- ♦ Provide individual counseling and personal/social support based on student needs
- ♦ Standardized testing (ACT, ACT-ASPIRE, SAT, PSAT, ASVAB)

PSAT Test

The PSAT will be given to interested juniors on Wednesday, October 13, periods 1 - 5.

If your son or daughter is a junior with a documented disability, they may be eligible for accommodations.

A Student with Disabilities (SSD) Eligibility Form must be submitted early for each student making the request.

Please contact the Counseling Office. The deadline for completion of the form is early September to allow for processing. The forms are available in the Counseling Office.

College Plans?



College admission tests are one of the requirements for enrolling in a college or university.

Both the ACT (American College Test) and the SAT (Scholastic Aptitude Test) are admission tests.

A student may choose to take one or both of these assessments. Juniors will be taking the ACT in early March at no cost.

If someone is uncertain about which test to take, this general “rule of thumb” can be followed:

A student planning to attend a University of Wisconsin campus should probably take the ACT assessment unless they are applying to a school or a scholarship that requires the SAT. *Check with the school you will be applying to.*

Most colleges and universities, including technical schools will accept ACT scores to satisfy admission requirements. If a student is not sure about a college, university, scholarship, ACT or SAT requirement, a school counselor or the Career Center can help clarify this.

Visit the ACT website for more information or to register online: <http://www.actstudent.org/>

NCAA Eligibility Center



Attention Prospective Division I and II College Athletes

If a student intends to participate in intercollegiate athletics at a Division I or II institution, he or she must register and be certified by the NCAA Eligibility Center.

It is the student's responsibility to research college athletic programs and carefully check and understand the NCAA requirements.

The NCAA Eligibility Center registration process must be completed online at

www.eligibilitycenter.org

Students may register during their junior or senior year in high school.

The student must have their ACT or SAT test scores sent officially to the Eligibility Center.

The Counseling Office should be notified of the registration process to insure that official initial and final transcripts are sent from the high school (parental permission forms are available in the Counseling Office).

Only approved Wausau East High School core coursework will be considered for eligibility, it is imperative that students take the appropriate courses prior to graduation.

Since the list may change, the approved core coursework list should be checked regularly. Students are responsible for selecting their courses.

Students are encouraged to meet with their counselor for additional information and questions.

Websites to visit:

<http://www.ncaa.org>

<https://web3.ncaa.org/ecwr3/>

Early College and Start College Now DEADLINES:

Early College Credit Program/Start College Now Sign Up Deadline



Interested in taking classes at (ECCP) UW Stevens Point at Wausau or (SCN) NTC while still a high school student? Please visit the [East counseling website](#) for the appropriate application and eligibility information. Contact your East school counselor for more information or clarification. Students must be in strong academic standing, and on track with graduation requirements. Both programs have strict application deadlines.

DEADLINES:

No later than October 1, 2021, for a course taken in the spring semester.

No later than March 1, 2022, for a course taken in the fall semester.



Welcome to BackYurJax!

Hello parents! We would like to welcome you to the Wausau East BackYurJax Booster Club! We are a group of parents whose children play sports here at East High School. We meet once a month to help our teams have access to fundraising opportunities, run Homecoming concessions, provide the Senior Banquet in May, award five scholarships to graduating senior athletes, and help our coaches with scheduling/organizing, among other responsibilities. All are welcome! We will meet in the Community Room (F125) at 6:30 p.m. on the following dates:

August 9, September 13, October 11, November 8, January 10, February 14, March 14, April 11, May 9
Please note: There is no December meeting.

We would love to see you there! If you have any questions, please feel free to email me at anytime at cs73980105@gmail.com

Go Jacks!
Chris Smith,
President of BackYurJax Booster Club



WEHS CHEER TEAM

GOT THE SPIRIT? WE WANT TO HEAR IT!




Go online to <https://wausaueast-ar.schooltoday.com/> to register for Fall Season.


CHEER CAMP : AUG 2-5 3:30-6:30

STUNT CAMP: AUG 9-12 3:30-6:30

*Camps are REQUIRED for participation in Fall Season



Contact Coach Steinke with any questions
esteinke@wausauschools.org



WAUSAU EAST ATHLETIC SEASON TICKETS

For the 2021 – 2022 School Year

Dear Lumberjack Sports Fans:

Listed below are the various types of athletic season passes available to purchase for the seasons. Regular season contest prices per individual are **\$4.00** for adults and **\$4.00** for non-East students. **Season passes WILL NOT be honored for the Marathon Cup Hockey Tournament, WVC Tournaments for Home Invitational events. They are also not valid at any WIAA post – season WIAA tournament contests.**

WAUSAU EAST HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC PASS REQUEST/ORDER FORM

Please make payment payable to: Wausau East High School or order online in [Infinite Campus](#)

<u>Type of Season Pass</u>	<u>Number of passes</u>	<u>Cost per pass</u>	<u>Total</u>
ALL SPORTS Season Pass	_____	\$50.00	\$_____
Football Season Pass (4 home games)	_____	\$12.00	\$_____
Girls Volleyball Season Pass (5 home games)	_____	\$12.00	\$_____
Boys Basketball Season Pass (9 home games)	_____	\$28.00	\$_____
Girls Basketball Season Pass (8 home games)	_____	\$24.00	\$_____
Hockey Season Pass (4 home games)	_____	\$12.00	\$_____
Wrestling Season Pass (5 home games)	_____	\$12.00	\$_____
Grades K – 8 Season Pass	_____	\$35.00	\$_____
Family Season Pass	_____	\$115.00	\$_____

Total cost of Season Passes ordered----- \$_____

Send Payment and Return form to:

cbehnke@wausauschools.org

Wausau East High School
Attn: Connie Behnke
2607 N 18th Street
Wausau WI 54403

OR purchase by logging into your Parent Portal of Infinite Campus [here](#)

*Add the pass on your student fee page

MAIL TO: Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip _____

Note: East HS staff and Students need only to present their ID cards for admission to applicable home events.

UPCOMING EVENTS

[Click Here](#) for the 2021-22 East High Calendar

August

- 17 Schedule Pick Up, 11:00-6:30, Fieldhouse
- 18 Schedule Pick Up, 11:00-6:30, Fieldhouse
- 26 Teacher Professional Learning
- 30 Teacher Professional Learning
- 31 Teacher Professional Learning



September

- 1 First Day of School
 - 6 Labor Day - No School
 - 9 Academic Awards
 - 17 Homecoming Kick Off Assembly, 2:30-3:00 p.m.
 - 19 Homecoming Hallway Decorating
 - 24 *Homecoming Games Assembly & King/Queen Reveal, 12:30-2:30 p.m.; Rev-Ur-Engine, 2:40-2:50 p.m. Lot F
Homecoming Dance, Commons, 7:00-10:00 p.m.
- *Schedule change**

Mission Statement

The Mission of Wausau East High School is to positively impact the future by helping students reach their full potential in a rigorous learning environment of respect, integrity, compassion and excellence.

WSD Continuous Nondiscrimination Notice

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