

# WAUSAU EAST HIGH SCHOOL



## LUMBERJACK PREPARATION PACKET

2022-2023

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## THINGS TO TALK ABOUT...

- **IMPORTANT REMINDER:** Schedule changes will only be made if one or more of the following criteria are met:
  - A. Requested change by teacher
  - B. Failure to meet course prerequisite
  - C. Direct conflict causing student to have less than 6 classes per semester
  - D. Change needed to fulfill graduation/college requirement
- What are the different requirements, rules, and expectations for your classes? (It is a good idea to read over each teacher's classroom policies yourself.)
- What are your expectations for grades? How can I help you meet this goal? How and when does homework fit into your daily schedule?
- Which co-curriculars do you want to join? How does one become involved? What are the time commitments and expectations for parents and students?
- Encourage the use of the Daily Planner. Parents can help their children utilize this by checking to see if assignments have been recorded and then asking to see the finished product.
- Plan to read the monthly "Notes Home" and inform or confirm certain information with your child.
- Plan to attend parent/teacher conferences, concerts, plays, and other school related activities that your child may or may not be a part of.
- Where and how will family time fit in? How will academics, extra curriculars, friends, family, church, jobs, and recreation be prioritized?
- \*\*\* It is important to remember that the staff at East wants your child to find success not only academically, but socially as well. Wausau East's doors are always open to you. It is a place you can call, visit, and experience with your child. When parents and children communicate with one another and become involved with the school, the journey to adulthood can be a much more positive experience.

## FACT SHEET FOR 9<sup>TH</sup> GRADE PARENTS

- East High School houses 9<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> grade students. Your child may be in classes and other school activities with older students.
- The school posts on the East website [www.wausauschools.org](http://www.wausauschools.org) a monthly newsletter called, “Notes Home.” This letter contains the school calendar, upcoming events, information you need to know, and other interesting facts.
- East is run on a Two-Semester Schedule with Two-Quarters each semester. Students will receive eight reports during one year. There will be four mid-term progress reports, two quarterly reports, and two semester report cards. The semester grades are the grades used to determine the student’s Grade Point Average. However, the mid-term and quarterly reports will give you an indication of how your child is progressing academically.
- A good Grade Point Average is important. Every semester counts toward the overall high school G.P.A. A strong start makes it easier to keep a good G.P.A. throughout high school.
- At the end of the semesters (January and May), students will have final exams. These are given in 1.75 hr. blocks of time and the school runs a different schedule. Exam times and schedules are sent to you in the “Notes Home.”
- Your child may receive different expectations, requirements, and rules from different teachers.
- There are different parent groups available which you are encouraged to become involved with. The Backyurjax, Grid Iron Club, Site Council, etc., are examples.
- If your child is ill, a call needs to be made to the Attendance Office at 261-0690 by 7:40 AM. You may also request homework for your student and pick it up in the Attendance Office at a designated time. One day’s notice for homework is recommended.
- The Student Services Office deals with lockers, school ID’s, and behavioral issues.
- The Guidance Department is located near the Main Office. If your child would like to see his or her counselor, an appointment must be set up in that office.
- Activity fees and other school fees can be paid at the Business Office window, located adjacent to the Main Office or on-line using the Parent Portal.

## *“What We Wished Someone Had Told Us”*

### A Note From the 9th Graders to the 8th Graders

- \* If you fail a required course, you must retake it. You do not receive credit for failed courses.
- \* Make sure to go on the Freshman Orientation tours so you know your way around the school.
- \* The nurse's office is located across from the commons.
- \* There are rest rooms located in the commons, in the locker rooms, and on all floors.
- \* The business office window is where you pay your activity fees. It is located adjacent to the main office in the main entrance of the building.
- \* Student Services and the Attendance Office are near the main office.
- \* Career Center and Guidance Office are located across the hall from the main office.
- \* Twenty-three credits are needed to graduate.
- \* Freshmen grades count and are important for college.
- \* Your sport may not always practice after school. There are many teams and gym space is shared. You may practice in the evenings from 5:30-7:30 p.m.
- \* Use a Daily Planner to write down assignments and help you stay organized.
- \* Many teachers will not take late work or allow test re-takes.
- \* The responsibility of doing homework, studying for tests, and time management is on you.
- \* Take notes in class.
- \* Each teacher has different expectations and rules.
- \* Read the course description book so you know what classes are available to you.
- \* City buses stop at the front of the school – gymnasium wing.
- \* The amount of homework will be more than you had last year.
- \* There are many different sports and clubs available to you.
- \* When there is an alternate schedule, these special schedules can be found in the Daily Planner.
- \* If you attend class and do the homework, you'll be academically successful.
- \* High school is really fun and interesting. It's not as scary as you think it will be.
- \* Homecoming week is a blast.
- \* High school is different from middle school in an exciting way.
- \* You'll meet new friends in your classes.
- \* East has a lot of nice teachers who will help you.
- \* Grades are based on performance.



## Wausau East Athletics



**Athletic Director:** Kurt VandenHeuvel – [kvandenheuvel@wausauschools.org](mailto:kvandenheuvel@wausauschools.org)

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**Office Phone:** 715-261-0655

**Fax Number:** 715-845-5743

**Sport Season Ticket information available late August/early September each year.**

**Ticket Manager:** Connie Behnke – 715-261-0673 [cbehnke@wausauschools.org](mailto:cbehnke@wausauschools.org)

### FALL SPORTS

Cross Country (B&G)	Tim Olson	<a href="mailto:tolson@wausauschools.org">tolson@wausauschools.org</a>
Football	Henry Kremnitzer	<a href="mailto:hkremnitzer@wausauschools.org">hkremnitzer@wausauschools.org</a>
Girls Swimming	Derek Steinke	<a href="mailto:dsteinke@wausauschools.org">dsteinke@wausauschools.org</a>
Girls Tennis	Tim Zahl	<a href="mailto:zahl4jesus@yahoo.com">zahl4jesus@yahoo.com</a>
Volleyball	Jennifer Stout	<a href="mailto:jstout@wausauschools.org">jstout@wausauschools.org</a>
Boys Soccer	Ken Smith	<a href="mailto:ksmith@wausauschools.org">ksmith@wausauschools.org</a>
Cheer(B&G)	Elissa Steinke	<a href="mailto:esteinke@wausauschools.org">esteinke@wausauschools.org</a>
Girls Golf	Janna Hillman	<a href="mailto:jhillman@wausauschools.org">jhillman@wausauschools.org</a>

### WINTER SPORTS

Boys Basketball	Dan Garrett	<a href="mailto:danielgarrett22@gmail.com">danielgarrett22@gmail.com</a>
Girls Basketball	Jeff Waldvogel	<a href="mailto:wegirlsbball@gmail.com">wegirlsbball@gmail.com</a>
Curling (B&G)	Kate Florek	<a href="mailto:florek.kate@gmail.com">florek.kate@gmail.com</a>
Hockey	Nate Pagel	<a href="mailto:pagels5705@frontier.com">pagels5705@frontier.com</a>
Alpine Skiing (B&G)	Jeff Tobin	<a href="mailto:ski.guy@hotmail.com">ski.guy@hotmail.com</a>
Wrestling	Matt Natzke	<a href="mailto:mnatzke@wausauschools.org">mnatzke@wausauschools.org</a>
Girls Hockey	Jaques DuVair	<a href="mailto:jduvair@dce.k12.wi.us">jduvair@dce.k12.wi.us</a>
Boys Swimming	Derek Steinke	<a href="mailto:dsteinke@wausauschools.org">dsteinke@wausauschools.org</a>
Cheer(B&G)	Elissa Steinke	<a href="mailto:esteinke@wausauschools.org">esteinke@wausauschools.org</a>

### SPRING SPORTS

Baseball	Jon Winter	<a href="mailto:jwinter@wausauschools.org">jwinter@wausauschools.org</a>
Boys Golf	Buck Welsh	<a href="mailto:welsgof@pcpros.net">welsgof@pcpros.net</a>
Softball	Derek Steinke	<a href="mailto:dsteinke@wausauschools.org">dsteinke@wausauschools.org</a>
Boys Tennis	Tim Zahl	<a href="mailto:zahl4jesus@yahoo.com">zahl4jesus@yahoo.com</a>
Boys Track	Mark Ekiss	<a href="mailto:mekiss@wausauschools.org">mekiss@wausauschools.org</a>
Girls Track	Tim Olson	<a href="mailto:tolson@wausauschools.org">tolson@wausauschools.org</a>
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Girls Lacrosse	Tony Imhoff	<a href="mailto:yntimhoff@gmail.com">yntimhoff@gmail.com</a>

# Important Information for Fall Athletes....

The Mandatory Fall Sports Parent/Player Pre-Season Meeting  
Will be held on **August 1st and August 9th** at 6:30 p.m. in The Wausau East Auditorium.

## **When Does Practice begin?**

- Football & Cheer~ August 8<sup>th</sup>
- Girls Golf – August 8<sup>th</sup>
- Girls Tennis & Girls Swimming ~ August 9<sup>th</sup>
- Boys Soccer, Cross Country, & Volleyball ~ August 15<sup>th</sup>

## **How do I sign up for a Fall Sport?**

- Attend the Sports Meeting on August 1<sup>st</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup>
- **Contact the Head Coach**
- Listen for announcements and attend team meetings
- Register online

## **Where can I get Sports Folder Information?**

- Online

Please visit the Wausau East High School website at:

<https://wausaueast-ar.rschooltoday.com/>

***Please DO NOT complete these prior to July 1<sup>st</sup>.***

## **Sports Physicals must be dated 4-1-21 or later**

Physicals must be complete and on file or you CANNOT practice/participate

## **Alternate Year Cards**

Should be submitted if you turned in a valid physical card last year

Please contact the Athletic Office at 715-261-0655 if you have any questions.

## **Summer Weight Room Hours:**

*Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays & Thursdays*

11<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> Grade Athletes 7am – 9am

9<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup> Grade Athletes 9am – 11am

## **Summer Camp Schedules**

Contact the Head Coach for more information.

## ORGANIZATIONS/ACTIVITIES

### INTERSCHOLASTIC SPORTS

<u>FALL ATHLETICS</u>	<u>Boys:</u>	Cross Country, Football, Soccer, Cheer
	<u>Girls:</u>	Cross Country, Cheer, Golf Swimming, Tennis, Volleyball
<u>WINTER ATHLETICS</u>	<u>Boys:</u>	Basketball, Cheer, Curling, Hockey, Skiing, Swimming, Wrestling
	<u>Girls:</u>	Basketball, Curling, Hockey, Skiing, Cheer
<u>SPRING ATHLETICS</u>	<u>Boys:</u>	Baseball, Golf, Boy's Tennis, Track, Lacrosse
	<u>Girls:</u>	Soccer, Softball, Track, Lacrosse

A \$50.00 user fee is charged. Information on starting dates for practice should be in the newspaper. Coaches will try to contact students by letter.

### INTERSCHOLASTIC ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES

Forensics Team, Math Team, Student Newspaper, School Yearbook Staff, Science Olympiad/Solar Olympics

### NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

#### **Advisor – Doris Martin**

Juniors and Seniors earning a grade point average of 3.33 will be considered for membership in the National Honor Society. The four qualifications required for membership are: service, character, scholarship, and leadership. Students must provide an information request form describing these qualifications. Final selection is based on a faculty committee reading these request forms.

### **CLUBS AT EAST**

There are many club opportunities available to all Wausau East High School students. The offerings do change from time to time, and sometimes from year to year, depending on student interest. Several of the clubs that have been offered in the past are identified below:

**BOWLING CLUB: Advisor – Caryn Bartelt**

The Central Wisconsin High School Bowling club, which includes Wausau East, is comprised of local bowling centers and their youth who want to belong to a competitive and potential scholarship earning club sport. The bowling club consists of every skill level, and with hands-on coaching teaching all facets of bowling; the competitors have another option for a long lasting pastime.

**CAREER CLUB: Advisor – Cathy Gauger**

The Career Club was established to provide interested students with the opportunity to explore careers, and develop career options. We investigate specific careers related to their areas of interest. Our focus is recognizing that career development is a lifelong process of career and personal decision making. We meet a couple times during the month to explore careers, listen to guest speakers and make a plan. We sponsor fundraisers to help out with business tours and hold fun events. Open to all students! New members always welcome!

**COLOR GUARD: Advisor – Rob Perkins**

The Color Guard is open to all students and performs with the marching band for parades and the marching band 'season' (the first 6 weeks of school). Activities will focus upon dance, movement, and performance—with and without typical color guard equipment. Performance opportunities and travel are also provided. During the marching band season, 1-2 additional practices after school, may be required. Color Guard members are expected to attend the 2-3 a day band camps during the summer. No experience is necessary and you do not need to play an instrument. Color Guard is open to males and females.

**COMPUTER SCIENCE CLUB: Advisor – Hlee Yang**

The goal of the computer science club is to learn more about computer science through completing projects that involve hardware and programming. The project this year is the creation of a Minecraft server. In order to program the server, we will learn about Java and HTML to create scripts for the Minecraft server. The club also hosts a LAN Video Game Party twice a year.

**CONSERVATION / OUTDOOR CLUB: Advisor – Dave Coenen**

Conservation/Outdoor Club continues to work on the invasive buckthorn shrub species here on our East HS campus along with awareness of other invasive species. Projects coordinated with local DNR and special interest groups such as Trout Unlimited. We will be learning about the last glacier that carved out Wisconsin leaving behind much of our treasured landscape here in north central WI (i.e.: "The Ice Age Trail"). Also includes activities such as camping, snowshoeing, ice fishing and mountain biking along with other outdoor interests that club members may have an interest in learning about.

**CRIBBAGE CLUB: Advisor – Dina Rasmussen –Spear**

Cribbage club is for those students and staff who already enjoy the game and also for those who would like to learn to play. We meet one day a week from 3:15 - 4:15 in the commons.

**DECA: Advisor – Trevor Knight**

DECA is an association for Marketing (& Business) Students. DECA prepares emerging leaders with an interest in careers in marketing, finance, hospitality and management. We are an organization that is very community oriented, academically prepared and socially responsible. We use DECA as an outlet to apply what is learned in the classroom.

**DUDE BE NICE: Advisor – Rico Jaeger**

DBN meets every block Thursday at 7:45 in Room E109. The purpose of our club is to recognize staff and students who go above and beyond to be nice to others. New members are always welcome.

**EAST END PLAYERS: Advisor – Terry Riska**

The East End Players (EEP) is a very active group of students who enjoy and have a strong interest in play productions and Theatre Arts in general. Our primary activities include participation either as performers or as behind the scenes workers (or both) in our full season of at least three theatrical productions (and as many as four shows in a given year)! In addition, the EEP has a long tradition of being an integral part of the Central Wisconsin Theatre Alliance's (CWETA) biannual productions. Past CWETA shows include *Les Miserables*; *Mary Poppins*; *Shrek, the Musical*; *Big River*, and many more. The EEP help clean and inventory the costume storage area, make-up area and dressing rooms, Scene Shop and scenery storage garage. We also hold an annual Halloween party, plan trips to attend other plays and musicals outside the area, and we sponsor the annual spring awards banquet!

**FAMILY CAREER & COMMUNITY LEADERS OF AMERICA (FCCLA) Advisor: Haley Abel**

We provide opportunities for personal development and preparation for adult life. Our purpose is to strengthen the function of the family as the basic unit of society and to encourage democracy through cooperative action in the home and community. We will have monthly meetings after school and service projects will be organized throughout the academic school year.

**FELLOWSHIP OF CHRISTIAN ATHLETES: Advisor – Dana Schubring & Deb Woller**

Wausau East Bible Study is open to all students, not just athletes. We meet every B week Wednesday during lunch in the Community Room. Our meetings are filled with student-led Bible studies, community speakers, and activities. We also are involved in food drives and fundraising for local food pantries.

**FFA: Advisor - Joe Staszak**

TRAVEL! SCHOLARSHIP! CAREER SKILLS! LEADERSHIP! Discover the edge that FFA provides to 17,000 students in Wisconsin. FFA is a leadership organization for anyone interested in agriculture and making a difference. If you like plants, animals, the great outdoors, you may have an interest in FFA. Our students can participate in travel opportunities like the National Convention in Louisville, Kentucky, leadership workshops, develop skills in an agricultural career, and do a variety of community service projects. Some projects you might recognize are the Wisconsin River Clean Up or Food For America where high school students teach fourth graders about agriculture in our state at a day on a local farm. Students also landscape in the

community, work with other FFA chapters in the area and state and can participate in judging events like equine or forestry. Come discover the difference FFA can make for you!

**FORENSICS: Advisor – Kelly Rohr**

During the Forensic season, which runs from January through April, students work on their speaking skills. All Forensic members compete in the Sub-District competition held in February and may qualify to advance to District and State levels. Students who receive qualifying scores advance in the competitions. Wausau East awards a letter to those who earn at least 23 points at State. There are two divisions: Interpretive events (Prose Reading, Poetry Reading, Play Acting, Group Interpretive Reading, Solo Acting, and Storytelling and Farrago-reading a combination of cuttings with related themes from prose, poetry, or drama), and Public Speaking events (Demonstrations, Extemporaneous Speaking, 4-Minute Speech, Moments in History, Oratory, Public Address, Radio Speaking, and Special Occasion.)

**Global Health Collaboration: Advisor – Beth Towey**

GHC strives to bring awareness to global health issues and seeks opportunities to support global health endeavors

**INTERNATIONAL CLUB: Advisor – Jody Krieg**

The French, German, and Spanish clubs have combined forces and are now the International Club. The purpose of this club is to promote cultural awareness and understanding, to expose East students to the cultures and cultural opportunities available in Wausau, to celebrate the culinary, linguistic, artistic, and musical components of cultures and to help our students to become Global Citizens with 21st Century skills. All students, not just language students, are invited to join the International Club.

**INTRAMURAL SPORTS: Advisor – Rob Hughes**

During the school year there are three intramural sport seasons. In the fall we have flag football, during the winter we have co-ed volleyball, and in the spring we have basketball. Intramurals is open to students in all grade levels, and ability levels. We believe in being physically active and having fun. Come join us!

**JUNIOR GIRLS: Advisor – Manee Vongphakdy**

Junior Girls is an organization that plans the East winter formal called Junior Girls. It is open to any girl who would like to be involved their junior year in high school. As a member of Junior Girls, one would take part in several fundraisers throughout the summer and fall and have an instrumental role in planning the dance.

**KEY CLUB: Advisors – Jess Truax & Jill Palecek**

Key Club is a youth service organization. We do at least one community service activity a month and have meetings every other week. It is an easy-going, low stress club that makes you feel good about doing things for others. We meet during both lunches every Tuesday in Room E108. New members are welcome anytime.

**LGBTQ+: Advisor- Katie Gilles**

LGBTQ+ was created to provide a safe place for all to learn, discuss and be yourself. This groups provides support and discussion about LGBTQ+ topics.

**LINK CREW: Advisors – Manee Vongphakdy & John Boulanger**

Link Crew is a freshman transition program. Link Leaders are juniors and seniors trained on team building activities, cooperative skill development and discussion skills. These Link Crew members work with freshman as they enter the doors of East High School for the first time and as they move throughout the year. Leaders continue to be positive role models, motivators and teachers to freshman daily.

**LUMBERJACK PRODUCTIONS - Wake Up Wausau East & Lumberjack Loop: - Liz Kysely**

Lumberjack Productions is Wausau East's high school television show. Students will be introduced to the basics of interviewing, journalistic writing, layout design, photography, videography and business management. Students are expected to regularly work outside of class time, covering school events through video, photography, video and interviews, while they concurrently develop effective problem solving skills. It is a student-run and student-edited news show.

**PRESTIGE: Advisor – Rico Jaeger**

PRESTIGE is an audition-based small vocal ensemble open to - and made up of - students already enrolled in MIXED CHOIR or CONCERT CHOIR. It is a non-credited class and meets outside of regularly scheduled class time. PRESTIGE performs in all Choir concerts scheduled over the course of the school year - as well as a number of other holiday and special appearances - both in and out of school. If you are a singer whom takes music as seriously as the fun you have with it, understand the "teamwork" concept and possess a strong desire to showcase your talents in an ensemble that is the "best of the best," then PRESTIGE may be something for you!

**SCIENCE OLYMPIAD/Solar Olympics: - James McFarlane**

Science Olympiad and Solar Olympics are a series of competitions in the spring semester in which students compete in various science events against other schools. Some of these events include designing or constructing towers, machines, bridges etc. Other events involve doing experiments, labs, solving fictional crime scenes whereas other events involve taking science tests, completing science stations or playing jeopardy on science concepts. Students of any high school grade are welcome to join.

**SKILLS USA: Advisor –Liz Kysely**

Skills USA provides students with opportunities to learn and practice leadership and employability skills. Members may choose to run for office and participate in individual and team competitive events which will enable members to gain knowledge and experience in various competition areas: graphics arts, t shirt design, job interview, welding, machining, engineering, technical drafting, design, layout, screen printing etc. Participating in these events may also open the door to many scholarship opportunities.

**SKYROCKET - DIGITAL MEDIA: Advisor – Liz Kysely**

*The Skyrocket* is Wausau East's high school newspaper. The newspaper is authored and electronically published in this class. This course will introduce students to the basics of interviewing, journalistic writing, layout design, photography, videography and business management. Students are expected to regularly work outside of class time, covering school

events through video, photography and interviews, while they concurrently develop effective problem solving skills. It's student-run, and student-edited, and it expresses students' views about student life. Creating content for *The Skyrocket* provides students with a chance for their voice to be heard, not only among the student population, but by teachers, administration and parents as well. Not a writer? There are many other opportunities such as being a photojournalist by taking pictures, capturing video and writing captions. Or, students can join the staff as the Advertising Editor and sell ads to local businesses.

**STUDENT COUNCIL: Advisor – Dina Rasmussen-Spear**

WESC Executive Council is elected by WESC members and serves as a voice for students – representing their interests and concerns to Wausau East administration and other campus constituencies. It allocates funds supporting social, cultural, and educational activities benefiting Wausau East and its students. Our main event each year is Homecoming. This year we have approximately 50 members. Student Council is open to all students and all grade levels.

**TECH CREW: Advisor – Glenn Peters**

The TECH Crew is an organization of students which maintain and use the equipment in the Wausau East Auditorium. Students are taught the basics of theatrical lighting, sound and stage works. When they become proficient, the students are provided the opportunity to earn a Letter. TECH Crew students work on all East plays and performances. They also work on traveling shows and other events that use the Wausau East Auditorium. TECH Crew members strive to provide a professional working theater environment for all those who use the Auditorium.

Meetings are held at least once a month and work is done after school and on some weekends.

The TECH Crew is open to all students who have a good academic standing and the interest of learning about Tech Theater.

**TRAP & SKEET: Advisor – Randy Ullmer**

Competitive Trap Shooting Club open to students of all experience.

**TOPHATTERS: Advisor – Rob Perkins**

The Tophatters organization is a jazz ensemble. The jazz ensemble at East High School provides students an opportunity to explore and perform jazz, swing, rock, funk, and Latin styles of music. Participation in jazz ensemble is voluntary, although attendance and punctuality at rehearsals is expected, as in other band activities. Due to the individual importance of each part and the smaller number of participants, performances are scheduled with the anticipation of student availability. It is hoped the jazz ensembles will perform in the community, with a 1x/month performance at a local restaurant/venue. Additional opportunities to perform may occur at area businesses, service clubs, etc. A smaller group may be established for students interested in combo or improvisation performance. The tentative rehearsal schedule is: Monday evenings for 1 ½ hours, and two before-school practices per week. Before important performances, an additional morning rehearsal may be scheduled. After rehearsals begin, the group may decide on different, more convenient times to rehearse. All band students, regardless of instrument or ability, are encouraged to participate.

**WAHISCAN: Advisor – Jamie Woller**

East's yearbook, the WAHISCAN, is a student publication. **Sophomores, juniors and seniors** work through the year to create the yearbook that is distributed at the end of the school year.

Students take a yearbook publication class, where they learn the computer program for developing the pages of the book, as well as learning to take pictures and write copy for the pages. Students must have a 3.0 grade point average and advisor approval to participate.

**WAUSAU EAST YOUNG DEMOCRATS: Advisor – Rob Hughes**

The Young Democrats are a group dedicated to supporting the understanding of the political process. We follow the ideas of the Young Democrats of Wisconsin, when they say "Our state was founded by courageous, principled individuals who believed in life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness. To put our state back on track, we must live up to their example. Wisconsin is full of passionate young people that have the skills, energy, and perspective to affect change in their communities. YDWI seeks to serve those folks by connecting them with each other, providing resources for engagement, and encouraging those that would like to run for office." All people, and ideas, are welcome to attend our meetings.

**WI Interscholastic Horsemanship Association: Advisor – Brenda Bargender**

This club is offered for those with or without your own horse or showing equipment. Competition is pattern only classes and is judged on how well the pattern is executed vs the movement of the horse. We truly show as a team similar to track placings so every ride helps the team and all the members help strategize the patterns. Great opportunity to try different modes of horsemanship without the pressure.

**YOUNG AMERICANS FOR FREEDOM: Advisor – Dan Krcma**

The Young Republicans was started to give students with similar views a chance to learn more about the issues and how they impact the future of students. The cost of gas, how much money the government takes out of your paycheck, and the rights to drive, hunt, fish, snowmobile and even the right to practice your religion are determined by elected officials. Students are also told about options they have to get involved in helping candidates directly. Students often make a big difference in getting candidates elected. There are a lot of Young Republicans at East and we hope you find the group to be fun, interesting, and informative. You can make a difference.

**YOUTH CULTURE CLUB: Advisor Seth Clendenning**

The Youth Culture Club is open to all students at Wausau East. The purpose is to bring students together and have fun with activities in/outside of school. We have dances, roller skate, picnics, etc. There are no dues.

# WAUSAU EAST HIGH SCHOOL

## 4-Year Planning Worksheet

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Class of \_\_\_\_\_

GRADE 9				GRADE 10			
Semester 1	Cr	Semester 2	Cr	Semester 1	Cr	Semester 2	Cr
1 English:	.5	1 English:	.5	1 English:	.5	1 English:	.5
2 US History I	.5	2 US History I	.5	2 US History II	.5	2 US History II	.5
3 Phys. Science or Biology I	.5	3 Phys. Science or Biology I	.5	3 Science:	.5	3 Science:	.5
4 Math:	.5	4 Math:	.5	4 Math:	.5	4 Math:	.5
5 PE I	.5	5 Health	.5	5 Elective:	.5	5 Elective:	.5
6 Elective:	.5	6 Elective:	.5	6 Elective:	.5	6 Elective:	.5
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8		8		8		8	
				(PE)	(.5)	(PE)	(.5)
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>TOTAL</b>	

GRADE 11				GRADE 12			
Semester 1	Cr	Semester 2	Cr	Semester 1	Cr	Semester 2	Cr
1 English:	.5	1 English:	.5	1 English:	.5	1 English:	.5
2 World History or History IB 1	.5	2 World History or History IB 1	.5	2 Social Studies:	.5	2 Elective:	.5
3 Science:	.5	3 Science:	.5	3 Elective:	.5	3 Elective:	.5
4 Math:	.5	4 Math:	.5	4 Elective:	.5	4 Elective:	.5
5 Elective:	.5	5 Elective	.5	5 Elective:	.5	5 Elective:	.5
6 Elective:	.5	6 Elective:	.5	6 Elective:	.5	6 Elective:	.5
7		7		7		7	
8		8		8		8	
(PE)	(.5)	(PE)	(.5)	(PE)	(.5)	(PE)	(.5)
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>TOTAL</b>	

**NOTES:** PE I and Health will be taken as a yearlong course in 9<sup>th</sup> grade.  
 Two PE classes (.5 each) must be taken sometime during Grades 10-12.  
 All students must meet a Financial Literacy requirement during Grades 10-12.



## **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.



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