

Trojan Parentline

October 15, 2019

East Lansing High School

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Attendance Line: 517-333-7567

School Hours: 7:45am - 2:34pm Office

Hours: 7:00am - 4:00pm

General Information:

Attendance: 517-333-7567

elhsattendance.elhsa@elps.us

Please leave your students name, grade and reason for absence.

EXCEL is a required academic period on Tuesday and Thursday. All students must be with a teacher, counselor or the media specialist during EXCEL.

Visitors must report to the main office and receive a visitor's pass in order to access the building during school hours.

East Lansing High School is a closed campus during lunch for freshmen and sophomore students.

[Contact information](#) for high school employees is available on our website.

Trojan T.U.R.F. - Trust, Unity, Respect and Fairness

Trojan T.U.R.F is a philosophy utilized in all areas of interaction at East Lansing High School. Research indicates that when a school environment is positive and predictable, students feel safe, have better academic performance, higher test results and make better behavior choices. Schools also show a gain in instructional time and a reduction in discipline referrals and out of school suspensions.

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Student Services ~ October 2019

Testing ~ In April, all 9th and 10th grade students will take the PSAT, and all 11th grade students will take the SAT. While these are state mandated tests.... they do allow our 9th/10th to experience a standardized testing situation before taking the SAT. The 11th grade SAT state mandated test allows all students to have a college reportable score, which can open up the college door for our students.

College Board Account ~ Students should make themselves a student account at the www.collegeboard.com (SAT/PSAT). This is where they will manage their test results, have access to test prep, and have access to career and college exploration. The college/career exploration features are top notch... and can be very helpful for students trying to figure out where their next journey will take them.

Free SAT Test Prep ~ Khan Academy offers free SAT test prep/practice for all students. Visit satpractice.org/k12 to get your students started. The great thing about Khan is that you can link your Khan account with your College Board account. This helps with test prep!

FAFSA ~ The FAFSA is now open for the graduating class of 2020 to fill out. The FAFSA determines the amount of financial aid (loans, grants, scholarships, etc) that your student may be eligible for. The deadline for Michigan students to receive optimal consideration is March 1st, 2020..... but don't wait until then.

FAFSA Night ~ The Wilson Talent Center will be hosting a FAFSA completion night on Wednesday, November 6th from 5 -7pm. The event will have financial aid experts available to help answer any questions that families may have.

College Visits ~ Please visit the student services website at <https://elps.us/our-schools/east-lansing-high-school/student-services/college-informaiton/college-and-vocational-visits/>. We list all of the colleges and universities that are coming to East Lansing High School to visit with our students. This visits typically are held during excels.... unless otherwise listed

Scholarships ~ Please visit the student services website and click on scholarships. All scholarships that we receive are listed for students to check out. <https://elps.us/our-schools/east-lansing-high-school/student-services/scholarships/>

Transcripts through Parchment ~ For school that are not on the common app, students must request transcripts through www.parchment.com. All transcripts requested through Parchment are automatically sent out by Ms. McGraw. Common Application requests still go directly to and through the counselor.

Counselor Appointments ~ Getting in to see your counselor is very easy here at East Lansing High School. Students just need to stop into student services to make an appointment.

Student Services Website ~ Be sure to visit the Student Services website for information about colleges/programs visiting East Lansing High School, college open houses, testing dates and scholarship information. To access the site, go to elps.us and choose East Lansing High School under the schools menu. From the high school site, you can access Student Services information from the main page. <https://elps.us/our-schools/east-lansing-high-school/student-services/>

Forms ~ Is your student looking for a work permit, a free-reduced lunch form, etc? These forms are available in student services. Students are welcome to take them right from the rack near our front door.

More News ~ October 2019

Thank you ~ Thank you to everyone that volunteered his or her time and vehicles for the 2019 ELHS Homecoming parade. Please accept our sincere thanks and gratitude. Without your assistance the parade could not take place. Thanks also to our community and neighbors for your continued support of our students.

Attendance ~ A note from the Attendance Office: Absences can only be excused within 48 hour of the absence. A note in your student's planner is the easiest way to communicate any prearranged appointments. You can also e-mail mary.fata@elps.us or call the attendance line at 517-333-7567 and leave a message.

2019-20 Test Dates



EAST LANSING HIGH SCHOOL 2019-2020 TENTATIVE TEST DATES			
GRADE	WHERE	TEST	DATE
OCTOBER			
All	ELHS	MMP Competition, Part I	Tuesday, October 8th
All AP	ELHS	AP EXAM REGISTRATION FORMS AND FEES pay in main office	Tuesday, October 15th
9,10,11	ELHS	PSAT/NMSOT	Wednesday, October 16th
DECEMBER			
All	ELHS	MMP Competition, Part II (Only eligible students from Part I)	Wednesday, December 4th
JANUARY			
All	ELHS	AMERICAN MATHEMATICS COMPETITIONS (AMC) Registration	January
All	ELHS	HS 1st Semester Exams	January 15,16,17
FEBRUARY			
All	ELHS	AMERICAN MATHEMATICS COMPETITIONS (AMC)	
APRIL			
11th & eligible 12th	ELHS	SAT	Tuesday, April 14
	ELHS	ACT WORKKEYS	Wednesday, April 15
11th & eligible 12th	ELHS	M-STEP (MICHIGAN SCIENCE , MICHIGAN SOCIAL STUDIES)	Thursday, April 16
9th & 10th	ELHS	PSAT	Tuesday, April 14
All AP	ELHS AND MSU	ADVANCED PLACEMENT EXAMS	Monday, May 4-15
June			
All	ELHS	HS 2nd Semester Exams	June 3,4,5



2019-2020 AP Exam Registration
Registration Forms Due from now through October 15, 2019

STUDENT INFORMATION

Student Legal Name: _____

Last

First

M.I.

Grade: _____ **Student Cell Phone Number:** _____ **School Code if not EL:** _____

If you have approved accommodations, please complete and sign the accommodations section below.

List the Exams and date of exams that you are taking. You only need one form.

Studio Art students: indicate Drawing, 2-D, or 3-D.

(See list of exams on reverse side or next page):

1.	4.
2.	5.
3.	6.

Check One:

___ Regular Exam: **\$100 per exam** – **Non ELHS Student \$150 (due to administration costs)**

___ Fee-Reduced* Exam: **\$5 per exam** * Student has qualified for free or reduced-price lunch program."

Total # of Exams Ordered: _____ **Amount Paid:** _____ **Check #** _____ (payable to ELPS)/Cash Received by: _____

REFUND POLICY

- If a student registers for an exam and cancels before March 1, 2020, a refund of \$60.00 will be issued.
- Once a student begins an exam, no portion of the fee is refundable.

Please Check here if you are approved for ACCOMMODATIONS: ☐

Please provide your SSD Code: _____ (which can be found on the letter you received from the College Board when your accommodations were approved).

Student Signature: _____ **Parent/Guardian Signature:** _____

All exams will be given at ELHS

If you would like to take a test that is not on the next page, see Mrs. Tabor before October 1, 2019.

Week 1	7:45 A.m. Most Exams in Aux Gym	12:00 Noon P.M. Most Exams in Aux Gym
Monday, May 4, 2020	United States Government and Politics	Physics C: Mechanics
	Studio Art Library Lab- receive portfolios	2:00 p.m. Physics C: Electricity and Magnetism– You must see Mrs. Tabor to get a join code and fill out this form and Pay prior to October 15 th .
Tuesday, May 5, 2020	Calc AB	German Language and Culture - – You must see Mrs. Tabor to get a join code and fill out this form and Pay prior to October 15 th .
	Calc BC	
Wednesday, May 6, 2020	English Literature and Composition	European History
		Physics 2: Algebra-Based
Thursday, May 7, 2020	Chemistry	Japanese Lang and Culture– You must see Mrs. Tabor to get a join code and fill out this form and Pay prior to October 15 th .
	Spanish Lit and Culture	Physics 1: Algebra-Based
Friday, May 8, 2020	United States History	Computer Science A
	Studio Art — last day for coordinators to submit digital portfolios – Library Lab	

Week 2	7:45 A.m. Most Exams in Aux Gym	12:00 Noon P.M. Most Exams in Aux Gym
Monday, May 11, 2020	Biology	Chinese Lang and Culture – You must see Mrs. Tabor to get a join code and fill out this form and Pay prior to October 15 th .
		Environmental Science
Tuesday, May 12, 2020	Spanish Lang and Culture	Psychology
Wednesday, May 15, 2020	English Language and Composition	Microeconomics
Thursday, May 16, 2020	Comparative Government and Politics	Macroeconomics– You must see Mrs. Tabor to get a join code and fill out this form and Pay prior to October 15 th .
	World History: Modern	
Friday, May 17, 2020	Computer Science Principles	Statistics
	French Language and Culture	



Half Day and Exams Schedule 2019-2020

September 25th – Late Start

October 17th – Half Day – Periods 1,2,3

October 22nd – Half Day – Periods 4,5,6

October 23rd – Late Start

January 15th – Exam Day – Periods 1,2

January 16th – Exam Day – Period 3,4

January 17th – Exam Day – Periods 5,6

February 12th – Half Day Periods 1,2,3

February 17th – Half Day Periods 4,5,6

March 18th – Late Start

June 3rd – Exam Day – Periods 1,2

June 4th – Exam Day – Periods 3,4

June 5th – Exam Day – Periods 5,6

Half Day

7:45 – 8:44

8:52 – 9:51

9:59 – 11:00

Exam Day

7:45 – 9:27

9:37 – 11:20

Late Start Day begins at 9:45 am

Advanced Placement Information

Current Year Summary

East Lansing High School (231300)

Total AP student in your School: 644

School Totals for this View

Number of Exams

Percentage of Total Exams

Number of AP Students

5	4	3	2	1	Total Exams
128	160	214	111	30	643
20%	25%	33%	17%	5%	100%
28	97	172	123	84	644

Subject Totals

Biology

Calculus AB

Calculus BC

Chemistry

Chinese Language and Culture

Computer Science A

English Language and Composition

English Literature and Composition

Environmental Science

European History

French Language and Culture

German Language and Culture

Italian Language and Culture

Latin

Microeconomics

Physics 1

Physics 2

Physics D: Mechanics

Psychology

Spanish Language and Culture

Statistics

Studio Art: 2-D Portfolio

Studio Art: 3-D Portfolio

Studio Art: Drawing Portfolio

United States Government and Politics

United States History

World History

5	4	3	2	1	Total Exams
3	3	9	3		18
15	26	36	15	3	95
21	5	6	3	1	36
3	4	6	4	2	19
2	2		1	1	6
3	5	5	1	1	15
19	18	23	10		70
4	11	3	5		23
2	4	2	2		10
7	6	7	2		22
	1				1
1					1
	1				1
			1	1	2
5	3	6	4	3	21
1	13	6	5	4	29
2	5	13	5		25
5	1	2	1		9
6	10	8	4	7	35
3	6	17	8	1	35
6	4	3	3	1	17
1	2		1		4
				1	1
3	4	5	1		13
3	4	11	8		26
8	4	8	2	2	24
5	18	38	22	2	85

5 Year Summary

Total AP Students

Number of Exams

AP Students with Scores 3+

% of Total AP Students with Scores 3+

2013	2014	2014	2016	2017
257	249	282	325	340
464	481	568	686	693
204	215	246	256	270
79.4	86.3	87.2	78.8	79.4

Michigan

Total AP Students

Number of Exams

AP Students with Scores 3+

Percentage of Students with Scores 3+

55,115	57,633	59,704	62,774	65,211
89,852	94,354	98,771	103,980	109,706
3,669	38,308	39,217	40,376	42,307
66.9	66.5	65.7	64.3	64.9

Global

Total AP Students

Number of Exams

AP Students with Scores 3+

Percentage of Students with Scores 3+

2,225,625	2,352,026	2,497,164	2,625,319	2,759,929
3,955,410	4,199,454	4,516,044	4,741,566	5,001,597
1,354,800	1,442,136	1,515,264	1,583,115	1,664,912
60.9	61.3	60.7	60.3	60.3



Introducing the **SAT Practice Test !**

The SAT exam is coming - are you ready?
The East Lansing Educational Foundation and Sylvan Learning Center
have teamed up to get you ready.

The SAT Practice Test:

half-day seminar and practice
exam that preps you for the SAT.

All ELHS students are required to take the SAT in April of
their junior year. Studies have shown that student scores improve
by taking the SAT multiple times.

The cost is just \$25 – all proceeds go to the ELEF to help fund
East Lansing School District programs.

SAT Practice Exam: Saturday, November 16, 2019

8:30 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. in the ELHS Student Union

Open to all MMS and ELHS Students

Please register early to reserve your spot.

Attendance will be limited to the first 150 students!

Snacks generously provided by Grand Traverse Pie Company.

What to bring – calculator and sharpened pencils - snacks provided

To register, fill out the form below and return along with payment to ELEF,
Attn: SAT Workshop; 501 Burcham Dr, EL 48823. Registrations may also
be dropped off in the MMS or ELHS main office.

Deadline is November 8, 2019

Registration (Detach and Save Top Part for Your Information)

Student name _____ grade _____

Parent name _____ phone _____

Parent's email address _____

Street address _____ City _____ Zip _____

☐ Check (Please make check payable to the East Lansing Educational Foundation)

☐ MasterCard ☐ Visa Card Number _____ Expiration ____/____

Name in Card _____ Signature _____

*Scholarships available to those students who qualify

Catholic College Night

VISIT 22+ COLLEGES IN ONE EVENING



Nov. 7, 2019 - 6:00 - 8:00 pm

at

Madonna University
36600 Schoolcraft Road
Livonia, MI 48150

Information Seminars

- Financial Aid and Scholarships
- Updated FAFSA Process

Learn more and Register Now:
CatholicCollegeNight.org



FREE PIZZA !



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present the Fourth Annual Catholic College Night



MEET ONE-ON-ONE WITH AN LCC SUCCESS COACH FOR PRO-TIPS + REGISTER TO ATTEND

DISCOVER PROGRAMS & TRANSFER
OPPORTUNITIES TO MATCH
YOUR GOALS

COLLEGE NIGHT 2019

SPEAK WITH REPRESENTATIVES FROM
50+ COLLEGES & UNIVERSITIES

FREE TO ATTEND & OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

THURSDAY, OCT. 17 | 6 -7:30 P.M.
REGISTER TO ATTEND & LEARN MORE AT
LCC.EDU/COLLEGENIGHT



Lansing Community College is an equal opportunity educational institution/employer.

FINANCIAL AID STATION + QUESTIONS? CALL 517-483-1999 + DOWNTOWN CAMPUS

Recycle with the ELHS Visual Art Department

The Visual Art Department is looking to make creative use of your recycled, soon to be discarded, or long forgotten treasures.

We are in need of the following items, *listed in order of necessity*:

- **Newspaper is BADLY needed**, (without the advertisements on high gloss, nonabsorbent paper preferred.)
- **Styrofoam and Plastic, almost flat, trays**, used to packaging frozen meals and take-out. **(Used for paint palettes.)** *Believe it or not, we are completely out!*
- **Old Towels, all sizes.** (Used to keep clay moist and clean-up of inks etc...)
- **Blow dryers.** They are used in all classes.
- Irons for batik.
- **Medium sized plastic containers with lids for holding dyes, slips, and paint.** Pint size yogurt, sour cream or cottage cheese type containers would be great.
- **Small, plastic containers with lids.** We are really in need of small sizes such as Philadelphia cream cheese, feta cheese, etc..
- **Tea tins**, for making pin-hole cameras.
- **Small crock pots** for melting wax for batik.
- **Larger crock pot**, the older are best because *we cannot have metal rims.* (Used for acid baths in jewelry.)
- **Old jewelry**, beads, or stones. (Dismantled for jewelry and fiber, and multi-media ceramic projects.)
- Pillow and quilt makings.

Please drop off items to the main office or an art classroom at your convenience. Label "For Art Department".

Thank you!

East Lansing High School ~ Important Dates

- September 9 – October 15 – AP Exam Registration
- September 11 and 12 – Club Rush during both lunches
- September 26 – Senior Class Picture in Main Gym during Excel
- September 30 – Senior Portraits due to yearbook
- September 30 through October 5 – Homecoming week
- October 3 – End of day Pep Assembly
- October 4 – End of day Pep Assembly
- October 4 – Parade line up at 4:45 and starts at 5:30
- October 4 – Homecoming game at 7:00
- October 5 – Homecoming dance 7-10 pm tickets at student union door \$10 (no advance sales)
- October 8 – Michigan Math Prize for those who registered
- October 11 – WTC Information in the Library Hub all day
- October 16 – PSAT/NMSQT at 7:45 a.m. in the Aux Gym
- October 17 – Parent/Teacher Conferences 2-4 and 5-7 (an eblast will be sent to sign up before conferences)
- October 21 – Picture Retake in the Hub during both lunches (If you did not like your first pic)
- October 22 - Parent/Teacher Conferences 2-4 and 5-7 (an eblast will be sent to sign up before conferences)
- October 23 – Late Start Day 9:45 a.m.
- November 14 – Senior Cap and Gown orders due – in front of the Hub during both lunches
- November 20 - WTC Field Trip 11:00 a.m. -2:35
- November 21 – 24 Fall Play
- November 27 -29 – Thanksgiving Break
- December 22—January 3 – Winter Break
- January 15, 16, 17 – 1st Semester Exams
- February 7 – Senior Ads Due
- February 8 – Winter Dance in Student Union from 7-10 p.m. \$10 (no advance sales)
- February 26 – Late Start – 9:45 a.m.
- March 8 – Top Scholar
- March 12 – Parent Teacher Conferences 2-4 and 5-7
- March 17 - Parent Teacher Conferences 2-4 and 5-7
- March 18 – Late Start – 9:45 a.m.
- March 20-22 – Spring Musical
- April 3-10 – Spring Break
- April 14,15,16 – MME for 11th grade students (SAT, ACT WorkKeys, MStep)
- April 14 – 9th and 10th Grade PSAT
- April 18 or 25 (not 11) – Prom MSU Spartan Stadium
- April 27 – Kiwanis student of the month Luncheon
- April 28 – Art Show in Hub
- May 4 – May 15 – AP Exams
- May 18 – Senior Graduation Excel
- May 19 – Underclass Awards
- May 19 – Graduation Performance Auditions in room 115 at 2:30 p.m.
- May 20 – Art Field Trip
- May 20 - Senor Graduation Cards Due
- May 21 – Yearbook Release in Student Union after school