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Edgewood Junior High School

November, 2017

Creativity, Optimism, Learning, Togetherness, Success
An "A" school in an "A" corporation!

Congratulations!

EJHS has achieved a **letter grade of A** for the second year! We are also named a **Four-Star School!** This is possible with many pieces of the puzzle coming together – 1ST, our STUDENTS! Then TEACHERS and all STAFF! GUARDIANS! TUTORS! We had a great leader and data guru in Rod Hite; he knew and implemented what had to be in place for the great things going on in the entire corporation now! We have continued and are implementing more initiatives to keep growing! Our EJHS Celebration will be December 20!

Colts with Character!

Each month we focus on a **life skill** during a 30 minute session on a Wednesday morning. On November 8, we will focus on RESPECT. In October we focused on Anti-Bullying and Kindness! Ask your students what they are practicing after these life skills sessions! For this life skill focus and for Acuity testing, students are going to their "**testing rooms**"; the same place and with the same teacher that will administer the ISTEP tests next semester. We hope to normalize the testing atmosphere and have students at ease for ISTEP! Feb 26 – Mar 5 and Apr 16 – 27, 2018

Morning Drop –Off

Students arriving before bus dismissal in the mornings must go directly to the gym, be seated and make good choices for behaviors - They must not roam the building or mess around.

Students of the Month

Congratulations to these students who practice being exceptional Colts!

6 - Anna Fultz, Braelyn Emerson

7 - Lindsey Headdy, Aidan Kinser

8 - Annie Galindo, James Arnett

Thanksgiving Break:

No school November 22 – 24.

That gives us 15 school days before and then 18 days after, before the Winter Break and end of 1st Semester! Attendance is most important for students to stay on course for academic success!

Picture Retakes:

Friday, November 3!

Veterans' Day Program:

Friday, November 10, 1:00 pm at the HS gym, combined with the HS students and staff. See the EJHS announcements for the Veteran Information Form (also in the office) if you or a family member will attend. Our Music and Student Council sponsors and students are participating!

Inclement Weather

Please check your **Harmony Data** to make sure we have the correct phone numbers in the system for the alerts sent by the Superintendent. You will receive automated calls for school delays or cancelations. At the same time, ALL information in Harmony should be updated any time you have a change in address, jobs, and emergency contacts.

Safety Drills

We have monthly Fire Drills. In addition, we had an Earthquake drill in October to coincide with the Great American Shakeout. Students heard the "Quake" and followed the directions for safety over the public address system! You had an email on the day we had the unannounced partial lockdown, which was not a drill; it was implemented for an unauthorized person in the building and ended without incident!