



Monthly Update

April 2024

Calendar Events

Standardized Testing

ECS will release a separate general information letter for all students scheduled to take standardized testing this spring. Teachers will provide additional reminders in their weekly letters.

<i>FRIDAY, APRIL 5</i>	IOWA Practice Testing (Grades 1-6)
<i>WEEK OF APRIL 8-12</i>	IOWA Assessment Testing (Grades 1-6)
<i>WEEK OF APRIL 22-26</i>	CogAT School Abilities Testing (Grades 1, 3, 5)

Spring Photos

ECS is working with Victor O'Neill Photos to take K5 graduation photos and class photos for each grade level on ***Tuesday, April 16*** (a change from our originally published school year calendar). ECS will release additional information about this event in early April.

From the School Bookkeeper: Financial Policy Reminder for May

Please remember that school accounts must be paid in full by the end of business on Friday, May 10. ECS cannot allow students whose accounts are not current to attend classes on/after Monday, May 13, until full payment including the late payment fee has been received. If you foresee any financial problems relating to your account, please notify Mr. Paddock in writing or via email immediately.

From the ECS Office

Attendance Reminders

ECS expects parents to notify the school office (phone call, written note, or email) at the beginning of any day your child is not in school.

If you need to pick up your child during school hours, please notify the office and your child's teacher no later than the beginning of the school day. Include in your communication the nature of the appointment as well as the date and time of your child's dismissal from school. ECS will do its best to accommodate unique scheduling circumstances and always appreciates as much lead-time as possible regarding attendance matters.

Allergy Season (Prescription, Inhaler, and Non-Prescription Medicine Reminders)

Please note that Engleside does not provide medications for students. Any medication that your child needs to take at school must be presented by the parent to the office (or to the AM care supervisor for those enrolled in this service) in a clearly labeled *original* container.

Before ECS can administer any medications, we must have a fully completed Medication Authorization Form on file- this form is available on our website. Please note that ECS must have a doctor's note for over-the-counter medications needing to be taken at school for more than 10 days. Documentation for prescription medications must also include the physician's authorization either by signature or by note.