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# East Lake Middle School Academy of Engineering

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## Principal's Message

We are in our last month. This month brings many fun activities as well as closure to our course in the form of FAST testing, EOC's and final exams. Please make sure students are studying a little every day. I know they will do great. As we have testing it is also important for students to get a good night's sleep, eat breakfast, and don't forget to charge your computer. Students should pack their charger on test days.

## PTA Updates

The 1st Day School Supplies online store for ELMS is now open. Save the hassle of shopping for school supplies and have them shipped directly to your door. They have the exact supplies ELMS has requested at locked-in prices.



School Store Link:

**EAST LAKE MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENTS: Order Your School Supply Kit Now!**

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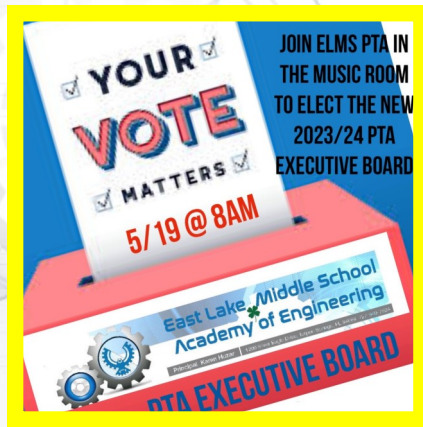
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## Student of the Month

May

6th Grade

7th Grade

8th Grade



Olivia Dayvault



Jacob Grunbaum



Andrew Maurer



William Gough



Emily Marchione




Jocelyn Wheaton

# May 2023

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 NJHS Volunteer Recruitment Fair 4-5pm	2 6&7 Gr Awards Ceremony 10AM	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24 8th Gr Stepping Up Ceremony 6pm ELHS Theater	25 Last Day of School Early Release 2:10PM	26	27
28	29	30	31			

## TESTING SCHEDULE



### ELMS TESTING SCHEDULE May 2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3 FAST READING PM 3	4	5	6
7	8	9 CIVICS EOC SCIENCE SSA	10	11 FAST MATH PM 3 - 6 <sup>th</sup> & 8 <sup>th</sup>	12	13
14	15 ALGEBRA & GEOMETRY EOC PM 3 MATH - 7 <sup>th</sup>	16	17	18 FINAL EXAMS	19 FINAL EXAMS	20
21	22 FINAL EXAMS	23 FINAL EXAMS	24 MAKE UP EXAMS	25 MAKE UP EXAMS	26	27
28	29	30	31			

### EVENTS

**FAST READING PM 3**  
This is for all grades

**ALGEBRA & GEOMETRY EOC**  
This is for all Algebra & Geometry Students

**CIVICS EOC and SCIENCE SSA**  
The civics EOC is for all 7<sup>th</sup> grade Students.  
The Science SSA is for all 8<sup>th</sup> grade Students.

**FAST MATH PM 3 - 6<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup>**  
This is for all 6<sup>th</sup> Grade students and 8<sup>th</sup> grade students Taking Pre-Algebra.

**PM 3 MATH - 7<sup>th</sup>**  
This for all 7<sup>th</sup> grade students not in Algebra

# PTA News

## East Lake Middle School

### GET YOUR SCHOOL UNIFORM AND SPIRIT WEAR!

All your uniform and spirit wear needs can be placed online at your own convenience. Just scan the QR code or go to the link below to start now. All orders will be processed within 2-3 weeks!

SCAN ME



2069 Range Road  
Clearwater, FL 33765

Feel Free To Call Us at 727-736-0880 or visit at:  
<https://stores.jbedwards.com/eastlakemiddle>

April 12, 2023

## WALK BIKE & ROLL TO SCHOOL



**CONGRATULATIONS!** We won! EAST LAKE MIDDLE SCHOOL WON the Judge Karl Grube "Extra Mile" Award for having an outstanding program for health and wellness in our WBR program. Judge Grube and his team presented our award to Ms. Huzar at our last Walk, Bike and Roll of the year. Matt and Claudia were also there to help celebrate. Thanks to all the support from the students and parents this year and we hope everyone has a great summer!



We have a few more EAST LAKE MIDDLE SCHOOL TIE-DYE HOODIES!  
If you or a new student you know need one, use this QR code and we will get it to you! \$40 for the new ELMS merch!



JOIN ELMS PTA IN  
THE MUSIC ROOM  
TO ELECT THE NEW  
2023/24 PTA  
EXECUTIVE BOARD

YOUR VOTE  
MATTERS  
5/19 @ 8AM

East Lake Middle School  
Academy of Engineering  
Principal: Karen Huzar | 2023-24 PTA Executive Board | 727-736-0880

PTA EXECUTIVE BOARD

# School Immunization Info

## Requirements for School Attendance 2023-2024

A school physical, signed or stamped by a licensed examiner and dated within one year prior to registration, is required for each student initially entering a Florida school.

- ✓ All immunization dates must be on Florida Certificate of Immunization (DH680)
- ✓ All Department of Health Centers listed below provide free childhood immunizations
- ✓ For immunization information, contact your physician or the Department of Health in Pinellas

<b>Clearwater Center</b> 310 North Myrtle Ave. (727) 469-5800	<b>Tarpon Springs Center</b> 301 South Dieston Ave. (727) 942-5457 (M, W, F)	<b>St. Petersburg Center</b> 205 Dr. MLK Jr. St. N. (727) 824-6900
<b>Mid-County Center</b> 8751 Ulmerton Rd. (727) 524-4410	<b>Pinellas Park Center</b> 6350 76 <sup>th</sup> Ave. N. (727) 547-7780	

## 2023-2024 State of Florida School Entry Immunization Requirements

Vaccine	Pre-K	Kindergarten & Grades 1 – 6	Grades 7 – 12
Diphtheria-tetanus-pertussis (DTP/DTaP) vaccine or age-appropriate tetanus vaccines <sup>1</sup>	4 – 5	3 – 5	3 – 5
Tetanus-diphtheria-pertussis (Tdap) <sup>2</sup>	N/A	N/A	1
Hepatitis B vaccine (Hep B) <sup>3</sup>	3	3	2 – 3
Inactivated polio vaccine (IPV) <sup>4</sup>	3 – 4	3 – 5	3 – 5
Measles, Mumps, Rubella (MMR)	1	2	2
Varicella vaccine (Chickenpox)	1	2	2
Hib <sup>5</sup>	Required	0	0

<sup>1</sup> A fifth dose of DTP/DTaP is required if the fourth dose was administered prior to the 4<sup>th</sup> birthday. If the fourth dose was administered on or after the 4<sup>th</sup> birthday, a fifth dose is not required. Students who began immunizations after age seven should receive a total of one dose of DTP and two doses of either Tdap or TD.

<sup>2</sup> The State of Florida requires students entering 7<sup>th</sup> grade to have received a Tdap (tetanus- diphtheria- pertussis) prior to attending class. A Tdap should be administered regardless of the interval since the last tetanus- or diphtheria-toxoid containing vaccine.

<sup>3</sup> Students are required to have three Hep B immunizations if the series was started at birth. A two-dose series is available for adolescents 11 – 15 years of age if needed.


<sup>4</sup> A fifth dose of polio-virus is required if the fourth dose was administered prior to the 4<sup>th</sup> birthday. If the third dose was administered on or after the 4<sup>th</sup> birthday, a fourth dose is not required.


<sup>5</sup> Pre-K students are required to have Hib immunization. Numbers of doses depend on type of vaccine and student's age.

**The 2023-24 school year begins on August 10, 2023. Prepare now!**


Have your child seen for an annual health exam and review their immunizations.  
For additional information, contact your school nurse or Pinellas County School Health Services at 588-6320

# 2021-2022 School Grades





**Middle Schools in PINELLAS COUNTY**



**Middle Schools in the STATE OF FLORIDA**

Top Five Middle Schools in Pinellas County, Florida		Top Ten Middle Schools in the State of Florida	
1	East Lake Middle School Academy Of Engineering	1	Doral Academy Of Technology
2	Clearwater Fundamental Middle School	2	Okaloosa STEMM Center
3	Thurgood Marshall Fundamental	3	Bak Middle School of the Arts
4	Tarpon Springs Middle School	4	Archineden Middle Conservatory
5	Joseph L. Carwise Middle School	5	Terrace Community Middle School
		6	Sonerset Academy South Miami
		7	George Washington Carver Middle
		8	Just Arts and Management Charter
		9	East Lake Middle School Academy of Engineering
		10	Don Estridge High Tech Middle School

# East Lake Middle School Academy of Engineering

## Donor Recognition

<b>Gold</b>					
<b>Silver</b>					
<b>Eagle</b>					