

Daily Bulletin



Tuesday, March 4, 2025

CURRENT EVENTS

UPCOMING DATES TO REMEMBER FOR STUDENTS

Mar. 4 Early Release Day(dismissal at 1:15pm)

Mar. 4 Parent Teacher Conferences 1:30pm to 4:30 pm(in the Cafe & Gym)

Parent Teacher Conferences (english) (1).png ▶ Parent Conferences (Arabic) (1).png

Mar. 5 Booster Meeting at 7 pm in the cafe

Mar.11 Early Release Day (dismissal at 1:15pm)

Mar. 13 Senior Dinner doors open at 7 pm dinner around 7:30 Senior Dinner (3).png

Mar. 18 Early Release Day (dismissal at 1:15pm)

Mar. 19 PTSA Meeting at 6:30pm in Room A-1

Mar. 20 Chatting with the Superintendent Event at 6pm

Mar. 21 End of Card Marking

Mar. 24 Free SAT Prep at Henry Ford Centennial Library SAT Study Flyer

Mar. 24-31 No school- Spring Break, Eid

FUTURE DATES TO REMEMBER

May 23 Edsel Memorial Day at 8am

May 28 Edsel Honors Night at 6pm

May 29 Edsel Prom 7-11pm

June 4 Edsel Graduation (Rain date: June 11th) at 6pm

May 20 Last Day for Seniors

June 6 Last day of school, half day for students

Reminder: The use of phones are not to be used during class. Airpods or headphones are not to be used in the classrooms and hallways during passing time. We appreciate your cooperation with this.



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Early Release Schedule

All Classes

Early Release Tuesday Schedule

1st Hour 7:50-8:34

2nd Hour 8:40-9:24

3rd Hour 9:30-10:14

A Lunch/4th Hour 10:14-10:44/10:50-11:34

4th Hour/B Lunch 10:20-11:04/11:04-11:34

5th Hour 11:40-12:24

6th Hour 12:30-1:15

Student Copy of Bell Schedule

■ Bell Schedule in Arabic 24-25

Reminder: Students are not allowed to park in painted/purchased spots (or handicapped spots without proper sign) They will be ticketed.

Ramadan Mubarak to students and families who are observing and Blessed Lent to students and families who are observing this month.

It's German Week with Herr Sedore! Listen to the announcements in order to get a chance to win a prize!

Students who are observing Ramadan fast, may go to the auditorium during their lunch period.

Parent Teacher Conferences will be held in the cafeteria and gym (today)Tuesday, March 4th from 1:30- 4:30 pm. This will be your opportunity to speak to your child's teachers for a better understanding of Your child's progress and grades in each class. Math and PE Teachers will be in the gym. All other teachers will be in the cafe. Please help donate to feed our teachers during conferences in the link below PTSA fundraiser. We appreciate your support!! https://app.givebacks.gives/4e0aaa

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Attention Seniors:PLEASE BE ADVISED (today) TUESDAY March 4th from 8:00am TO 1:00 PM WE WILL BE PROVIDING PARENTS AND STUDENTS ASSISTANCE WITH THE FAFSA – FINANCIAL AID FORM.In addition, there will be a representative from Henry Ford College during parent teacher conferences 1:30-4:30pm to provide FAFSA support. Please know that many four year universities have the end of March as their FAFSA deadline. For students attending Henry Ford College, it is important to complete the form since registration for classes starts in April. WE WILL BE MEETING in the media center. HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE!

Ramadan Meals:Food Services this year will be offering students who are fasting the opportunity to pick up meals to take home during Ramadan March 3rd to March 21st. Students must attend school that day and can pick up the food during their lunch period. One lunch per student. They cannot eat at school and take food home. Students can pick up a free bag of food to take home during the regular lunch service at school. Ramadan meals 2025.pdf

Counseling Changes: With the recent passing of Mr. Baydoun, all students on his caseload will now work with one of our other counselors. Our counseling department will be dividing Mr. Baydoun's caseload for the rest of the school year. The following will be the division.

- Albarakat GI to H
- Mohamed I MAG
- Welmers MAH-N

Here are the Full caseloads & Emails for Counselors

A- Alq Mrs.Mohamed mohameh@dearbornschools.org
Alr -H Ms. Albarakat albarai@dearbornschools.org
I -Mag Mrs.Mohamed mohameh@dearbornschools.org
Mah-Z Mrs. Welmers welmerg@dearbornschools.org

Attention Juniors: There will be a Junior Class Student Council Meeting (Class of 2026) after school on Wednesday, March 5 in Room A208.

March is Reading Month Bookmark Voting: It's time to vote for the March is Reading Month Bookmark Contest. Use the link below to pick your four favorite bookmarks. Vote for Bookmark Contest Or see the Bookmark Contest flyer with a QR code. We have some truly talented students at Edsel!

<u>Senior Dinner:</u> Senior dinner will be held on Thursday March 13th at 7PM in the Cafeteria. Dinner will be served around 7:30PM. Seniors will enjoy dinner together, take pictures, and have a great time. We will take a group picture at the end in the gym. We will then announce the graduation ticket raffle winners after the group picture. This is for seniors only and staff are also welcome. Tickets will be \$5

■ Senior Dinner (3).png

Nominations Open for 2025 Alberta Muirhead Teacher Awards: Nominate a teacher today! We encourage Edsel Ford students to take part in recognizing our outstanding Thunderbird teachers! The nomination deadline is Friday, March 7, 2025, at 5 p.m. Each student may nominate no more than two teachers. High school students are asked to articulate how their nominated teacher has inspired them to pursue their educational and career goals, as well as how the lessons learned are applicable to these aspirations. For more information, please refer to the 2025 Teacher of the Year Nomination Form

The Michael Berry Career Center is having an open house to learn more about their programs and Career Technical Education (CTE) on March 12, 2025 from 5 to 6:30pm. Please see the Flyer Open House Invite.pdf

Wayne State is seeking current sophomores and juniors to apply to the Next Generation Teachers programs for this summer This is a great opportunity to explore the Field of teaching! Deadline to apply is March 25,2025. See Flyer for more information.

Mext Gen Teachers Flyer 2025.pdf

Vape Detectors: Have been installed in all bathrooms. The administration, support staff and security will receive notifications each time a vape is detected. Students in the bathroom at the time will be approached. Please see the following This is Quitting (TIQ) resources/flyers from the Truth Initiative regarding how to quit Vaping and the dangers of it. See Want help Quitting Vaping See Parent Resource Support Flyer

Attention Senior Parents: We are looking for information on anyone that is planning the senior party. Traditionally the senior party is organized by a group of parents starting from the time their children enter their freshman year. If you have any information about this, please email the Class of 2025 advisor, Mr. Biggar at biggars@dearbornschools.org We hope this tradition can continue for the Class of 2025!

Spring Testing: Please see the letter about upcoming state testing in April Testing Information

Interested in joining an E-Sports league and compete with students from other schools? See the following flyer for more information and to sign up ESPORTS FLYER.pdf

High School Students please see the following opportunity for a SAT Study/Prep at Henry Ford Centennial Library during Spring Break on March 24th through March 28th at 4pm to 5pm. Please see SAT Study Squad Flyer for more information.

Purchase your Yearbook: Reserve and Purchase your yearbook ahead of time, for \$80.00 at the following website Edsel Ford Yearbook Purchase You may purchase with a credit card, debit card or PayPal.

* Scholarship Opportunities *

*LAHC-Leaders Advancing and Helping Communities is currently accepting applications for its 2025 Scholarship Program. Attention Seniors take advantage of this wonderful opportunity. For more information and how to apply, please visit the following link: https://lahc.org/scholarship-program/Deadline to apply: March 15th, 2025

LAHC Scholarship Flyer 2025.pdf

Dearborn Education Foundation Scholarships are now available at

Scholarships 7 - Feb. 19, 2025.docx.pdfbr seniors. Each scholarship has it's own criteria and can be found on https://dearbornedfoundation.org/category/scholarships/ The application deadline is March 30, 2025 Be Sure to apply!

After school **TUTORING** is offered on Monday, Wednesday and Thursdays from 3:00 to 4:00 pm for Edsel students who would like extra help with Math and Language Arts! Students need to be there by 3PM and stay until 4PM. All students must sign-in.

Please see Tutoring Flyer for more information.

Monday	Wednesday	Thursday
Math	Math	Math
D-7	D-7	D-7

Dr. Sawalha	Dr. Sawalha	Dr. Sawalha
Language Arts	Language Arts	Language Arts
A210	A210	A210
Ms. Petersmarck	Ms. Petersmarck	Ms. Petersmarck

PTSA Membership: We highly encourage you to support our PTA. They need our support. Contribute today: https://edselford.givebacks.com/store?limit=21&live=true

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The Edsel Ford School Store will be open on Monday and Wednesday mornings @ 7:15AM! The school store has EFHS merchandise for sale. Supplies are limited, so it's first come, first serve.

T-shirts:\$20
Long sleeve shirts:\$25
Hoodies:\$35
Tumblers: \$25
Sizes are from Small to XL (cash only)

Student Lockers- For Locker information please visit attendance or student office during lunch or after school.



There will be a mandatory baseball meeting on Wednesday, March 5 at 3pm in the cafeteria for anyone interested in trying out for the team this spring (until 3/5/25). If you have any questions please contact Mr. Groulx.

Any boy's interested in playing golf this spring please come to a brief informational meeting Wednesday March 5th in room C3 with Coach Pletzke.

Athletic Department Website

We want to encourage everyone to come out and support our athletes this week. We need everyone to show off that Thunderbird Pride! Please bring your student ID for entry to the game.

Athletics Schedule

Weekly Schedule 3/3-3/8

Athletic Passes and Athletic Admission Prices information go to https://efthunderbirds.com/admission-prices-and-passes/. Follow us on twitter – @EFThunderbirds

SIGN UP for Concession Stands: WE NEED VOLUNTEERS: Please come out and help our organization so we can help our athletes. Students, parents, friends and family are welcome. Students can receive volunteer service hours.

https://m.signupgenius.com/?fbclid=lwY2xjawE76WUBHSkM3eOZtaleBe6QoaKO1xuJcMG8aQgB92hjPfGmpJdspE2iGLhLYn9lWg#!/showSignUp/60b0a4ea4a928a4f94-concession



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Class of 2025- Seniors:

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Class of 2026 - Juniors:

Class of 2027 - Sophomores

Class of 2028 - Freshmen -



Join a club to enhance your high school experience! EFHS Clubs 24-25

Want to influence what books end up on the shelves in the library? Join the Library Advisory Group! Use the QR Code on the flyer to sign up. Email Mrs. Alward with any questions. Link to sign-up form https://forms.gle/ynTtLwuf2TRBRaFc9

E-sports will be this Wednesday in room A206.

Art Club will not meet this Thursday.

<u>EF Booster Club</u>: We need Volunteers! Come out and help volunteer for the concession stands during the sport games, so we can help our athletes. Students, parents, friends and family are welcome. Students can receive volunteer hours!

https://m.signupgenius.com/?fbclid=lwY2xjawE76WUBHSkM3eOZtaleBe6QoaKO1xuJcMG8aQgB92hjPfGmpJdspE2iGLhLYn9lWg#!/showSignUp/60b0a4ea4a928a4f94-concessions

Join and Support Athletic Booster

Club-https://checkout.square.site/merchant/FJZN0QWJ23CEB/checkout/QSE7EHRT7EIVULYX RP6JD44D?src=qr The next meeting will be March 5th at 7pm

Interact Club - Blessings in a Backpack -is Back on for Friday - 3:30pm at 120 N. Military, Dearborn, MI 48124- the backpacks are filled and go to students within Dearborn

The Bolt News Club-is looking for more staff members for the news and weekly videos. If you are interested in joining the club as a journalist, see Mr. Weber in room E-13. To check out the video, go to theboltefhs.com.



EFHS Performing Arts Facebook Page

EFHS Band & Orchestra Instagram

EFHS Band & Orchestra Google Calendar

EFHS Spring Concert: Save the Date for Wednesday, May 7, 2025 from 7 to 8:30 pm!



Exciting things coming soon to a stage near you! Mark your Calendars for this year!

April 24th-26th, 2025, Edsel Ford Theatre Presents the 2016 Tony Award Winning Musical, "A Gentleman's Guide to Love and Murder" See A Gentleman's Guide Flyer April 30 - 2025 Marching Band Meeting at 6:30 p.m. in the Auditorium

May 1 - Dearborn Evening of Jazz featuring Jazz Bands from Edsel Ford High School, Dearborn High School, Bryant Middle School, and STEM Middle School.

<u>May 7</u> - Edsel Ford Spring Concert at 7:00 p.m. in the Auditorium, featuring Concert Band, Orchestra, and Choir

May 26 - Memorial Day Parade

May 30 - Edsel Ford Music classes are off to Cedar Point!

Follow on Instagram: efhs_art_room



Art Supplies Requested



If you have any surplus art supplies that are no longer needed, our art program could greatly benefit from them. Mr. Helser is <u>looking for Various</u>

<u>Materials,including but not limited to drafting squares, pens,sharpies,erasers,glue sticks,epoxy(glue),cardboard and other art-related materials. Your contributions would be invaluable and will greatly aid in our students' creative endeavors.</u>

Please send any available supplies to Mr. Helser, Art Teacher Room F3-Edsel Ford

High. Amazon Art Supply Wishlist



<u>Semester 2 Bulletin from Counseling Office: Please see the following</u> <u>linkSemester 2 Bulletin from Counseling Regarding Semester 2 Schedules</u> •

Schedules will NOT be printed

Please email your counselor if you have a hole in your schedule (missing hour/repeat course or an incorrect required class):

Here are the Full caseloads & Emails for Counselors

A- Alq Mrs.Mohamed mohameh@dearbornschools.org

Alr -H Ms. Albarakat albarai@dearbornschools.org

I -Mag Mrs.Mohamed mohameh@dearbornschools.org
Mah-Z Mrs. Welmers welmerg@dearbornschools.org

Schedule changes <u>CANNOT</u> be made for:-a teacher change ,wanting to be with friends,switching hours,lunch change.



Students, if you need **community service hours**, stay tuned for future opportunities and pick up a community service log from the student or counseling office.

 Help with concessions stands this week and all season and earn community service hours!

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60B0A4EA4A928A4F94-concessions/67386364#/



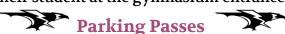
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For parents who pick-up and drop-off their students, the parking lot off of Pelham is for buses only from 7:15-8:00 am and 2:30-3:15 pm.We are asking all parents to PLEASE not pick up or drop off students from the Pelham side of the building. This is a safety risk to not only students but also our staff.

Dearborn Police will be issuing tickets.

Parents dropping off or picking up their student should enter the main entrance off of Rotunda or drop off their student at the gymnasium entrance.



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Edsel Ford students must have their picture taken and will be given a School ID card. Students are required to carry their ID's at all times while on school grounds. If their card is lost, they will be responsible for purchasing a replacement. Replacement cards can be purchased in our Attendance Office for \$5.



Attention ALL students: if you need a pass, your pass MUST be written in your planner. If you do not have a planner there will be no passes given. If you have lost your planner, you can purchase one before or after school in the Student Office for \$5.



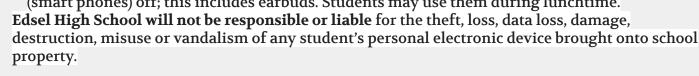
Students who have dual enrollment must exit the building. There is no hanging out or roaming the halls. All students have signed a contract that they will find their own transportation.



Please review the **EFHS Student Dress Code** Policy. You will be asked to change if your attire is inappropriate.



• NO Cell Phones: During the school day, students should have their personal electronic devices (smart phones) off; this includes earbuds. Students may use them during lunchtime. **Edsel High School will not be responsible or liable** for the theft, loss, data loss, damage, property.









•Please remember this year school ends on JUNE 6, 2024 There will be finals the last week of school. <u>Finals are required in person</u>. FINAL EXAMS WILL BE DONE <mark>JUNE 5-6 (TBD)</mark>. <u>EARLY FINAL EXAMS</u> WILL NOT BE AVAILABLE. ALL STUDENTS MUST BE PRESENT DURING FINAL EXAM WEEK, No

student will be excused from taking finals especially if they are on audit per the Administrators.

Students/families who choose to leave for an early vacation must know that comes at a risk for students to receive a lower overall grade as well as may go on audit or even possibly receive an E letter grade. Audit reduces a student's credit for a class from 0.5 credits to 0.25 credits for having 10 or more absences in a class. Absences include BOTH excused and unexcused absences. Tardies impact your attendance as well.

Every four tardies is an absence If a student does not recover the credit by passing the class, including receiving a 78% or better on the cumulative final exam, the student must attend the class in night school or summer school to regain their full credit. Summer school costs \$350 a class and night school costs \$175 a class.

MISC. NEWS

Late Arrivals/Early Dismissals Due to the high call volume, we would like to remind parents for faster service please enter your child's absence through parent connect. State whether it is a full day, early dismissal, or late arrival and time. All students must sign in and out, so please have your child stop by the attendance office when they arrive at school to pick up their pass for late arrival/early dismissal to avoid delays. Thank you for your patience.

Orange Late Pass from Attendance Office: Students who arrive late to school after 8:05 are receiving a orange late pass. If a student comes to your class without one they did not arrive at school late. **As a reminder**, the orange late pass does not excuse a student. Please mark students coming in with an orange pass late after 15 minutes.

Emergency Forms are available this year through Parent Connect through the "Back to School Emergency Form" If you received a form, please have your parents look through the information and sign it.

A-VIP card - Students, in order to leave the building for dual enrollment or CO-OP, you will need to show your **A-VIP card**. If you don't have one, please stop by the attendance office and speak to Ms. Antoinette. Replacement cards are \$5.00.

Dress Code and Cell Phone Policy - Please be sure to review and follow our dress code and cell phone policy. Students in violation will be asked to change their clothes or get their device taken away according to each policy.

EFHS Student Dress Code
Cell Phone Policy

Passes and Planners - Attention ALL students: If you need a pass, your pass MUST be written in your planner. If you do not have a planner there will be no passes given. If you lose your planners, one may be purchased in the student office, before or after school, for \$5.



You can access the **OKAY2SAY** safe reporting tool and the Dearborn Schools Online "**Safe Box**" located on our school home page.

There are also, QR codes around the school if you ever need support.

OK2SAY is available 24/7 and tips can be submitted the following ways:

- Call: 8-555-OK2SAY (855-565-2729)
- Text: 652729 (OK2SAY)
- Email: OK2SAY@mi.gov
- OK2SAY website: www.michigan.gov/ok2say
- OK2SAY mobile app: Available for download in app stores for <u>iPhone</u> and <u>Android</u>.



Edsel Ford has a school spirit **Instagram** page. You can follow Edsel Ford on Instagram: @eflnest

You can see pictures and posts from clubs, teams, and school events like Spirit Week and Homecoming!

Please see the link below to purchase any Edsel Merchandise. Here is the new link for merchandise supporting the boosters.

Get Your Edsel Ford Thunderbirds Gear On!

Edsel Ford Spirit Wear

Edsel Ford High School Thunderbirds Apparel Store | Prep Sportswear



PTSA Membership: sign up to be a member <u>here</u>. Follow on Facebook: *Edsel Ford High School PTSA*

Here is the info for the Kroger Rewards Program.

Link: Kroger Rewards

Go to community rewards and search for Edsel Ford PTSA. Select our organization and then it will be linked to your Krogers acct.

From the app: select menu drop down on left side, select rewards then community rewards choose Edsel Ford PTSA all set!



Follow on Instagram: efhs_boosters_athletics
Follow on Facebook: Edsel Ford Adult Athletic Booster Club

- Next meeting:
- Students, if you need community service hours, here is your chance to earn

them! Our Booster Club needs help at concessions this week and all season! We still need help on Thursday and Friday of this week. Please sign up https://m.signupgenius.com/?fbclid=lwY2xjawE76WUBHSkM3eOZtaleBe6QoaKO1 xuJcMG8aQgB92hiPfGmpJdspE2iGLhLYn9lWg#!/showSignUp/60b0a4ea4a928a4f 94-concessions



Additional Information & Parent **Organizations**



School Spirit: pictures and posts from clubs, teams, and events Follow on Instagram: @eflnest

Parent Teacher Student Association PTSA Membership:

Membership signup available online at https://edselford.memberhub.com/store

Helpful Links

Edsel Ford High School Blog

Athletic Department Website

Dearborn Schools District Calendar 2024/2025

Dearborn Schools District Calendar Text Version 2024/2025

Tech Support (Parents & Students) - 313-827-8400

Language Assistance

For Language Assistance please Click on the Following Link!

DSLS- Dearborn Schools Language Services

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Ms. Zenib Ali (9th and 10th grade Parent Liaison): Email: aliz1@dearbornschools.org Phone: 313-827-3396

Ms. Amani Musaibli (11th and 12th grade Parent Liaison): Email: musaiba@dearbornschools.org Phone: 313-827-8475