

WELCOME

TIGER *ESSENTIALS*



“Providing Keys 2 Lead, Serve, and Pursue Academic Excellence”

ADMINISTRATION TEAM



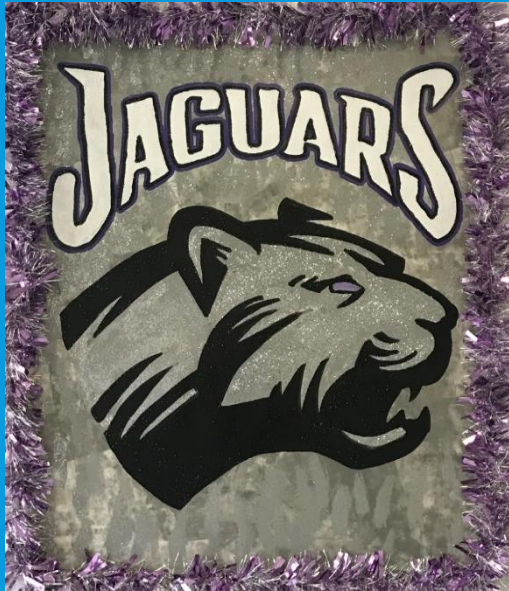
- Dr. Duriel Barlow, Principal
- Lisa Jones, Assistant Principal
- Cindy Bishop, Counselor (A-K)
- Laura Lowe, Counselor (L-Z)

FRONT OFFICE



- Mrs. Lania Harrison, Secretary
- Mrs. Kerri Allen, Bookkeeper
- Mrs. Tammy Mathews, Nurse
- Officer Keith Horne, SRO

ESS TEAMS



WHAT IS TEAMING?



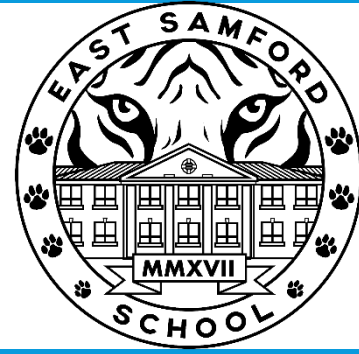
- Smaller setting
- Develop a relationship with teachers
- 5-Teacher Teams
 - Math
 - Language Arts
 - Social Studies
 - Science
 - Exploratory
- Foster Team Spirit
 - Colors
 - T-shirts
 - Slogans
- Collaboration
 - Team Meetings
 - Communication with Parents
 - Conferences
- Common Team Locations
- Team Events
 - Celebrations
 - Pep Rallies
 - Field trips/activities
 - End of Year Awards Celebration

BUY YOUR ESS T-SHIRT!!!



- Team Spirit Days
- LE Bucks
- Surprise Outside Recess

DAILY SCHEDULES



- 58-minute classes
 - 3-minutes between classes
- Arrival
 - 7:40-8:00 (report to the holding areas)
 - Breakfast (optional)
 - Downstairs computer lab (optional)
 - Dismissal
 - Begins at 3:30 (walkers, car riders, athletic bus riders, and 1st wave bus riders)
 - 3:38 (2nd wave bus riders and on-campus athletes)
 - 3:46 (3rd wave bus riders)

DAILY SCHEDULE



	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
8:00- Release from Holding Areas					
8:10- 8:17	HR	HR	HR	HR	HR
8:20-9:18	A	B	C	D	E
9:21-10:19	B	C	D	E	A
10:22-11:20	C	D	E	A	B
11:23-12:53	STATIC/Lunch	STATIC/Lunch	STATIC/Lunch	STATIC/Lunch	STATIC/Lunch
12:56-1:28	Advisory/IE	Advisory/IE	Advisory/IE	Advisory/IE	Advisory/IE
1:31-2:29	D	E	A	B	C
2:32-3:30	E	A	B	C	D

7TH GRADE CLASSES



Core Classes

- Grade Level Mathematics
- Accelerated Mathematics
 - Must meet criteria set forth by ACS
 - No waivers
- Science
- Social Studies
- Language Arts

Other Classes

- Physical Education
- Exploratory
 - Choir
 - Theater
 - Art
 - Band
 - Medical Detectives (Project Lead The Way)
- Advisory/ I.E.

ACCELERATED MATH

Grade Level

- Common Core National Standards/College and Career Ready Standards (CCRS)
- DIGITS Online textbook

All rising 7th graders received a letter of notification regarding math placement in their report cards

Accelerated Math

- 120 Student Ability Index (SAI) measure from OLSAT
- 90% on End-of-Course Test
- A-Average in math for 6th grade
- 2 or 3 must be met
- No waivers of request
- DIGITS Online Textbook
- ½ of 7th grade CCRS standards and ½ of 8th grade CCRS standards

ARRIVAL/DISMISSAL- CAR RIDERS



BUS INFORMATION



- Routes will be posted on the ACS Website in late July/ early August
 - Wait at the nearest bus stop to your house on the first day of school.
- Students must know their bus numbers and the bus waves.
 - Tip: write both numbers in the designated area of the planner
- Changing of transportation
 - Call the front office only if the message needs to get to your student regarding a change (call before 3pm)
 - Students must have a signed “Change of Transportation” form in order to ride a bus they are assigned. They will not be allowed on the bus without the form.

DRESS FOR SUCCESS

- Follow ACS 6-12 Dress Code Policy
 - Consistency is our goal!
 - When in doubt, don't wear it!
 - Extra clothes in lockers are beneficial
 - Parents/guardians will be contacted to bring clothes.
- Typical issues and concerns
 - Shorts that are above the 4-inches above the knee
 - Pants with holes that do not meet the 4-inch rule
 - Leggings with shirts or too short of an over-garment
 - Over-garments must come to the middle of the thigh when worn over leggings
 - Shorts that are too revealing
 - Pants must be worn at the waist

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Acceptable



Unacceptable



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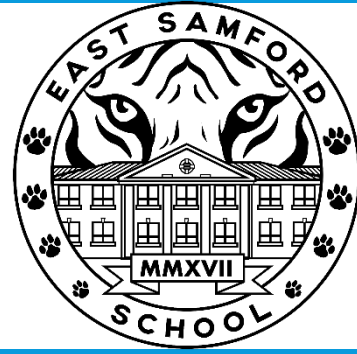


LOCKERS



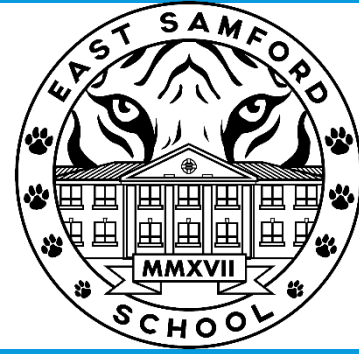
- Come and practice if needed
 - Open in summers from 8:00-2:30
 - Waxing floors throughout the summer
 - Doors may be locked so check with the front office
 - Bring supplies if you would like
- Pre-setting and sharing combinations
- Decorations
 - No stickers
 - Rolling backpacks jam lockers

POSITIVE BEHAVIOR SUPPORT (PBS)



- Celebrating positive behaviors
- Teach expectations on the 1st days of school
- Capturing Kids' Hearts
- Learning Earnings
 - Weekly rewards for t-shirt, no discipline issues, etc.
- PBS Events
 - Outside Lunch
 - Great Breaks

MAKING GOOD DECISIONS



- High expectations
- ACS Policies in Student Handbook
- ESS Student Handbook
- Bullying/ Harassment
 - Bullying vs. teasing
 - We cannot investigate if we do not know
 - Teach children to not be a victim and report for themselves and other
 - Complete a report (online and in the front office)
- Issues to discuss with children
 - Social media
 - Publicly appropriate speech and actions
 - Medication on campus- Only parents can bring medication to school nurse

DISCIPLINE AND DISCIPLINE POINTS



- Our goal is to be fair, consistent, and developmentally appropriate
- Teaching moments- We may not call parents/guardian every time.
- Discipline points are deducted for the following:
 - Team detention (10 points)
 - School-wide detention (15 points per day)
 - Bus suspension (25 points per suspension)
 - ISS (70 points per placement)
 - Suspension (25 points per day)
 - Alternative School (200 points)
- You must have points to participate in events.
- Points are reflected as a homeroom grade (not an academic grade)

SAFETY @ ESS



- Lockdown Drill (sometimes referred to as a Code Red drill)
- Secure Your Area
- Lockdown

LOCKDOWN DRILL



- **NOT** an emergency situation
- State law requires a minimum of 2 Lockdown Drills per school year
- Some schools may choose to conduct more than 2 per school year
- These drills are **NOT** communicated to parents ahead of time
- Drills incorporate best practices

SECURE YOUR AREA



- There is a situation locally that does not pose an imminent threat, but does require a slightly heightened level of security
- **NOT** a Lockdown
- Parents will not necessarily be notified
- Is not a “Soft Lockdown,” or “Half Lockdown”
- **IS** in place to provide a more secure environment, while not interrupting normal school procedures.

SECURE YOUR AREA (CONT.)



- Defining Characteristics:
 - Classroom doors are locked
 - Hallway movement is limited
 - Students that are outside will be moved inside the building

LOCKDOWN



- Danger is imminent
- All doors are locked
- Students in classrooms will find a secure hiding spot
- Students remain quiet
- Teachers and administrators will make best situational decision as to what is safest for the students (RUN, HIDE, FIGHT)

RAPTOR VISITOR MANAGEMENT



- New for the 2018-19 school year
- Government-issued identification must be presented at the front desk upon initial visit
- Each time a visitor enters, the system checks against the **NATIONAL** sex offender registry
- The principal, or designee, may restrict entry to any person without a valid identification
- I will assist parents guardians with pre-scanning procedures

QUESTIONS/COMMENTS



- chardman@auburnschools.org
- (334) 887-1903
- Also glad to assist with any residency and/or Project I.D. questions

TIPS FOR A SUCCESSFUL YEAR

- Review Schoology- know your child's password
- INow/Parent Portal
 - Call 887-2100 (Ms. Milford) for login
 - Allow time for entering of grades
 - Teacher students to advocate for themselves
- Take advantage of I.E. and access to open computer labs in the mornings
- Organize lockers and folders periodically
- Pay attention to weekly emails
- Midterm Progress reports
- End of 9-weeks reports cards
- Allow mistakes and use them as growth opportunities
- Make sure students know their:
 - Bus #
 - Home address
 - Phone #

COMMUNICATION



- ESS Website- <https://www.auburnschools.org/ess>
- Twitter- @EastSamford
- Schoology- team and class information
- Blackboard Messaging
- PTO Facebook- East Samford PTO 2018-19

EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

- Project ID
- Student Council
- Broadcast Team/
Ambassadors
- Drama Club/ Thespian Society
- FCA
- Korean Language & Culture
Program
- Lit Wits
- Mountain Bike Club
- Robotics Club
- Science Olympiad
- Technology Student
Association (TSA)
- Yearbook- Enrichment

ATHLETICS

- Football
- Boys & Girls Golf
- Girls Softball
- Cross Country
- Volleyball
- Auburn Schools Lacrosse
- Boys & Girls Basketball
- Wrestling
- Swimming & Diving
- Tennis
- Boys & Girls Soccer
- Track & Field

SAVE THE DATE



▪ Meet Your Teachers

▪ Monday, August 6th

▪ 8:30-10 Jaguars, Bobcats, and Cheetahs

▪ 10:30-12 Cougars and Lions

▪ Not necessary if you attended today, but you are always welcome!

▪ Next opportunity to purchase all items from today.

▪ Visit classrooms and teachers

▪ This is not time for an in-depth personal conference, but to meet and greet.

SAVE THE DATE



- Curriculum Nights

- Tuesday, August 14th

- Jaguars, Bobcats, and Lions

- Wednesday, August 15th

- Cheetahs and Cougars

- Accelerated math meetings will be held each night from 5:15-5:45pm.

1ST DAYS OF SCHOOL



- Watch for signs at arrival – first week is slowest! Please be patient.
- Please contact the transportation department for any bus issues.
- Students will report to the designated Team Areas.
- Teachers will pick-up the students from their designated areas
- Schedule details recorded in planners on first day
- School tours
- Locker practice and assistance
- Team building activities

QUESTIONS?

