

Jaguar Spots



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Upcoming Events

AUGUST

15 – Julie Bernath Community Mtg.
Johns Creek Environmental
Center 9:30am

17 – 5:45pm Movie Night at EJ!

17 – Parents can join students
for lunch starting today

22 – August College Day –
celebrate your favorite school

SEPTEMBER

3 – Labor Day – **No School**

6 – Title I Meeting 5:30 pm

6 – Curriculum Night
6:00 Grades PK-2
7:00 Grades 3-5

14 – Donuts with Dad!
7:10am-7:40am

28 – Fall Student Picture Day

IMPORTANT PARENT INFORMATION

As you know, Fulton County Schools believes in a safe and nurturing environment for all students and staff. All schools are equipped with a visitor management system called "Raptor." Visitors register in the building at the time of arrival, and their information is checked against state/national sex offender databases as well as local school police databases. Please have your identification available when registering for the first time. **Please be sure to sign in using the Raptor system located in the lobby.** Likewise, safety is of utmost importance on our campus. For these reasons, we need **students not arrive at school prior to 7:10am.** EJES will not have staff available to supervise students until 7:10am. The safest course of action is for students to remain with their parents until the door is unlocked at 7:10am. Thank you for continuing to help us in maintaining the safe environment we have worked hard to maintain.

Dismissal Info

If it is necessary for a student to leave school early, please send a note in advance to the student's teacher. Any student leaving before the regular dismissal time **must be checked-out in the front office no later than 2:00pm** by a parent, legal guardian or parent designee. Please be prepared to show proof of identification.

- All transportation changes **MUST** be in writing via a note sent with your child or a fax to the school at 470-254-3332
- We will **NOT** accept dismissal changes via email or over the phone

Thanking you in advance for helping adhere to this policy.

SGA and PTA EJ Movie and Family Game Night Doors open @ 5:30pm Movie @ 6:30pm

This is a free event for all! The cafeteria will be cleared for the movie so bring a blanket! There will be games available to play in the gym. Students will vote this week on the movie! We will have food trucks and Kona ice or feel free to bring your own snacks. Spiritwear will be available to purchase. **School buses will be sent to pick up parents and students at locations River Crossing, The Oaks and Roswell Village starting at 5:00pm.**

Mandatory Volunteer Training

All school volunteers will need to be trained in our Child Abuse Reporting Protocol prior to volunteering at EJES. To complete the online training, please visit our web-site at www.estherjackson.org. Click on the Parent tab and then click on the Volunteering link. This process takes 48 hours to process, so please complete at least 48 hours ahead of your volunteer time. Your ID will be required the first time you volunteer.

Lunch With Your Student



Starting, Friday, August 17th, you can join your child for lunch. This allows your child time to learn lunch time routines and procedures.

NOTIFICATION TO PARENTS OF THE SCREENING AND REFERRAL PROCESS FOR GIFTED SERVICES

The consideration for gifted services may be reported or automatic as defined by the GaDOE Resource Manual for Gifted Education Services. The Fulton County School System screens all students for eligibility for gifted services twice a year. Fulton County uses a systematic approach to identify highly capable students who may qualify for gifted services. Please see the attached information regarding this process.

[English](#)

NEWS from the Cafeteria

Have you received your free & reduced lunch application? If not, you can pick up applications in the front office or email your student's teacher and ask to have one sent home.

**EVERY STUDENT EATS
BREAKFAST FOR FREE!
(7:10 - 7:40)**

