

EPIC Newsletter

Empowering Possibilities International Charter School
March 2021



Message from Dr. Kosch- EPIC Principal

Dear EPIC Families,

We are excited to welcome back our students to EPIC during the month of March for Hybrid Learning! As part of our phased re-opening, K-5 will return to campus the week of March 1, and Grades 6-8 will return the week of March 15. Students who want to remain in distance learning are able to do so. Please be sure to read our Re-Opening Guides carefully in order to make the best decision for what works for your family. They can be found on our website, epicib.org. Please continue to check your email and Parent Square frequently, as important updates about re-opening will be sent out as we have new information for families. Please remember the following essential elements of our COVID 19 safety protocols:

- Face Coverings must be worn at all times on the EPIC campus, by adults and students, including outdoors
- Parents must not leave vehicles during drop-off/pick-up and should only enter the office for important school business
- Parents must sign in in the main lobby if they enter the campus

We look forward to seeing your students on campus and hope that you take advantage of our Hybrid Learning option!

NEW EPIC OFFICE HOURS – Effective March 1, 2021

In order to serve our families better during Hybrid Learning, our office hours will be from 7:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Monday – Friday

WELCOME ASHLEY HAAN!!

EPIC would like to welcome our new PM Attendance Clerk Ashley Haan to EPIC! We can tell she is going to be a great addition to our team!

One of our amazing teachers, Ms. Schroeder, started a virtual cooking club for EPIC middle school students. Great work Ms. Schroeder!

Important Dates

March 1st-5th – Read Across America Week

Monday, March 1st - K-5 Hybrid Learning Begins

March 4-10 - EPIC Virtual WASC Visit

Monday, March 15th - Middle School Hybrid Learning Begins

Wednesday, March 24th - Virtual Coffee with Admin at 9:00AM (link below)

Friday, March 26th - Virtual Learner Profile Assembly at 2:30PM (link below)

March 29th-April 5th - Spring Break! School resumes for EPIC students on Tuesday, April 6th

Link to all EPIC Virtual Events:

<https://zoom.us/j/8587099556?pwd=Z1BQY2ZaWU14MUJwMzZLZGdVb3h6Zz09>

Attendance is still **mandatory** during hybrid and distance learning and more importantly, it is **crucial to your student's success**. During hybrid and distance learning time with your teacher is limited- therefore, attending all classes in their entirety is extremely important. Missing even just one class could cause your student to fall behind. Please make sure to support your student(s) in attending all classes and completing all assigned work.



CCCS WSAC Outreach

CCCS WSAC is an independent study high school program offered right here at EPIC. This is an A-G program offering online courses with classroom and teacher support and CTE programs. They have exciting electives such as nursing, animal science, photography, auto detailing and support distance learning! For more information, please visit the CCCS WASC website!

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