

# EPIC Newsletter

Empowering Possibilities International Charter School  
January 2022



## Message from Dr. Kosch – EPIC Principal

Happy New Year from the EPIC staff! We are almost halfway through a highly successful 2021-2022 school year of in-person learning!

As you have seen in the news, COVID-19 is spreading in record numbers in Sacramento and Yolo County with the new Omicron Variant. So far, we have managed to keep EPIC open for in-person learning and this is due to everyone following COVID-19 safety protocols. Our goal is to keep EPIC safe during this “winter surge” of COVID, so it is important for everyone to be diligent about social distancing and wearing face coverings while indoors on campus. Please do not send students to campus who are demonstrating COVID 19 Symptoms:

Fever or Chills  
Cough  
Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing  
Fatigue  
Muscle or body aches  
Headache  
New Loss of taste or smell  
Sore throat  
Congestion or runny nose  
Nausea or vomiting  
Diarrhea

For students who are demonstrating symptoms, COVID-19 testing is essential before students come back to EPIC. For COVID-19 questions, please call our school office at 916-286-1960.

Looking forward to a great rest of the school year!

## EPIC is Now Enrolling for Grades K-8 – Please Spread the Word!

As you have probably seen from our signs around campus, EPIC is now enrolling students in all grade levels.

Unfortunately, with COVID-19 we have seen a decrease in our enrollment and need to build it back up in order to continue all of the excellent programs at EPIC. Please spread the word to families who may be interested in enrolling in EPIC.

Interested families can call the school at 916-286-1960 or visit [www.epicib.org](http://www.epicib.org) to access an enrollment packet.



EPIC 4<sup>th</sup> Graders just finished a project in cooperation with the CA Department of Fish and Wildlife where they observed/journaled the development of Chinook salmon!

## Important Dates

**Wednesday, January 12**

2<sup>nd</sup> Trimester Progress Reports Sent Home

**Friday, January 14**

Make-Up Picture Day

**Monday, January 17**

Dr. King Holiday – No School

**Wednesday, January 19**

Virtual Coffee with Administration – 9:00 a.m.

**Thursday, January 27**

GCC Virtual Parent Summit – 5:00 – 6:30 p.m.

Link and more information will be sent out VIA Parent Square closer to the date.

**Friday, January 28**

Virtual IB Learner Profile Awards – 8:45 a.m.

Reminder: All Fridays are Minimum Days with 12:30 p.m. Dismissal. Students who are not in the After School Program need to be promptly picked up at 12:30 p.m. Thank you!

**Zoom Link for Virtual Events:**

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85452091940?pwd=RHlYNXoySkFkelAvK1VvMXFKNm93Zz09>

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