

EPIC Newsletter

Empowering Possibilities International Charter School
October 2022



Message from Dr. Kosch – EPIC Principal

Dear EPIC Community,

I can't believe how fast the 2022-2023 year is going and that fall is here! What a great start to the school year we've had at EPIC! I would like to announce that we have hired a new middle school art/design teacher, Mr. David Roberts. Mr. Roberts brings a wealth of art teaching experience and I know that he will fit right in with our EPIC team! Welcome Mr. Roberts!

1st Trimester Ends November 2

This is a reminder that the 1st Trimester ends on November 2. This means that students have about three weeks to raise their academic and citizenship grades before report card time. Please remember that any F or U grades on the report card will hold consequences relating to extra-curricular activity participation at EPIC. We will be celebrating Honor Roll and Principal's list with an in-person assembly, so this is something to look forward to in November!

AERIES Parent Portal

With your student's progress report, a letter was sent home with a verification code to sign up for AERIES Parent Portal where you can check your student's grade(s) in real time. If somehow you lost this document and want access to Parent Portal, please contact our main office at 916-286-1960.

EPIC 2nd Annual Community Fall Festival – Saturday, October 22

11:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. – EPIC Parking Lot

We are hoping to see all of our wonderful families and community members at our 2nd Annual Community Fall Festival on Saturday, October 22. There will be free food, games and live entertainment. The grand finale will be a professional BMX Bicycle Show that will start promptly at 1:00 p.m. If you are interested in volunteering for set-up or clean-up crew, please email jerry.kosch@gcccharters.org

Last week, EPIC held student council elections for the 2022-2023 school year! We are proud of all of our students who ran for office – we have a great group of student leaders at EPIC!

Important Dates

Monday, October 3

Picture Day

Friday, October 7

No School – Local Holiday

Monday, October 10

No School – Teacher Professional Learning

Wednesday, October 12

Vision/Hearing Screening

Grades TK, K, 1, 2, 5 and 8

Friday, October 14

Kids' Farmers Market – 11:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Saturday, October 22

2nd Annual Fall Festival – 11:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Wednesday, October 26

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

Friday, October 28

Kids' Farmers Market – 11:00 – 12:30 p.m.

Note: All Fridays are Minimum Days. Students must be picked up promptly at 12:30 p.m. unless they are part of the after school program.

Zoom Link for Virtual Events:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85452091940?pwd=RHIYNXoySkFkelAvK1VvMXFKNm93Zz09>

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