



# East Allegheny School District

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Mark Draskovich  
Director of Pupil Services

Dear Ms. Parent:

Allow me to welcome your family to EA Academy. EA Academy employs a computer based program provided by Lincoln Interactive. I hope you find the Academy to be a positive educational experience. Enclosed, you will find the following:

- EA Academy Student Contract
- Lincoln Interactive Academic Honor Code
- On-Campus Schedule for meeting times for the 2009-10 School Year
- Physical Education Forms to document hours for PE credit.
- Lincoln Interactive Course Enrollment Form

Students at EA Academy are welcome to participate with school activities, events, and athletics as long as they are eligible. Also keep in mind that all district policies remain in effect for students participating in the Academy in addition to the contract. All EA Academy students are required to attend one in-person class each week, usually each Monday at 2:30 during the school year. As you can see on the enclosed schedule, students will meet with subject area teachers on a rotating basis. These teachers will work with students along with the on-line teachers employed by Lincoln Interactive. Our transportation contractor will call you to arrange transportation from home. Students will ride the regular 3:30 or 5:30 activity buses back home. If there is a problem with transportation, please call (412) 824-8210. Please monitor our district web site at [eawildcats.net](http://eawildcats.net) for announcements and cancellations. School announcements are also posted on the High School Page linked to this site.

The curriculum and instruction for EA Academy is delivered through Lincoln Interactive, a nation wide leader in electronic instruction. Teachers are contracted by Lincoln and are supplemented by our own professional teaching staff to provide additional face to face support. Both may be contacted by phone or e-mail. East Allegheny Faculty e-mails are usually their first initial and full last name @[eawildcats.net](mailto:www.eawildcats.net). You can contact them through the link at our district web sight at [www.eawildcats.net](http://www.eawildcats.net).

Let me remind you that a student at the academy must average 25 hours of activity per week. Students may include hours of physical activity needed to qualify for a physical education credit. Students not meeting minimum requirements will be dropped from the program. The Physical Education Plan and Documentation Forms must be returned to receive credit.

Lastly, I would advise you to contact your child's guidance counselor to complete a credit check to make sure they are on track for graduation.

Sincerely,

Mark Draskovich  
Director of Pupil Services

## EA Academy Schedule 2009-10

- Academy class meets on campus each Mondays unless school is not in session. If school is not in session on Monday, class will be held the next scheduled school day that week.
- Truancy Citations will be filed for missing class dates as per Pennsylvania School Code.
- In the event school is called off due to a snow or other cancellation, classes will be cancelled that week. Students should check with their teachers for instructions.
- Phys Ed Contracts must be completed and turned in by 5/17/10.
- **Students must take the PSSA Tests with the regular school program on the dates assigned during the week of April 12-Math, April 19-Writing, & April 26-Science.**

<u>DATE</u>	<u>DAY</u>	<u>SUBJECT</u>	<u>TEACHER</u>	<u>CYCLE</u>
9/14/09	Monday	English	Bacco	1
9/21/09	Monday	Math	DeEmedio	1
9/28/09	Monday	Science	Steiner	1
10/05/09	Monday	Social Studies	Miller	1
10/13 /09	Tuesday	English	Bacco	2
10/19/09	Monday	Math	DeEmedio	2
10/26/09	Monday	Science	Steiner	2
11/02/09	Monday	Social Studies	Miller	2
11/09/09	Monday	English	Bacco	3
11/16/09	Monday	Math	DeEmedio	3
11/23/09	Monday	Science	Steiner	3
12/01/09	Tuesday	Social Studies	Miller	3
12/07/09	Monday	English	Bacco	4
12/14/10	Monday	Math	DeEmedio	4
12/21/09	Monday	Science	Steiner	4
1/04/10	Monday	Social Studies	Miller	4
1/11/10	Monday	English	Bacco	5
1/19/10	Tuesday	Math	DeEmedio	5
1/25/10	Monday	Science	Steiner	5
2/01/10	Monday	Social Studies	Miller	5
2/08/10	Monday	English	Bacco	6
2/16/10	Tuesday	Math	DeEmedio	6
2/22/10	Monday	Science	Steiner	6
3/01/10	Monday	Social Studies	Miller	6
3/08/10	Monday	English	Bacco	7
3/15/10	Monday	Math	DeEmedio	7
3/22/10	Monday	Science	Steiner	7
3/29/10	Monday	Social Studies	Miller	7
4/06/10	Tuesday	English	Bacco	8
4/12/10	Monday	Math	DeEmedio	8 PSSA Week (Math)
4/19/10	Monday	Science	Steiner	8 PSSA Week (Writing)
4/26/10	Monday	Social Studies	Miller	8 PSSA Week (Science)
5/03/10	Monday	English	Bacco	9
5/10/10	Monday	Math	DeEmedio	9
5/17/10	Monday	Science	Steiner	9
5/24/10	Monday	Social Studies	Miller	9
6/01/10	Tuesday	English	Bacco	10
6/07/10	Monday	Math	DeEmedio	10

## EA ACADEMY IMPORTANT CONTACTS

**Please contact your teachers directly for assignments or if you require assistance or have questions about your work. Their phone and e-mail contacts are as below.**

<b>SUBJECT</b>	<b>TEACHER</b>	<b>E-MAIL</b>	<b>PHONE/BUILDING</b>
Science	Ms. L. Steiner	<a href="mailto:lsteiner@eawildcats.net">lsteiner@eawildcats.net</a>	412-824-9700 EAHS
English	Ms. B. Bacco	<a href="mailto:bbaccoviola@eawildcats.net">bbaccoviola@eawildcats.net</a>	412-824-9700 EAHS
Social Studies	Mr. J. Miller	<a href="mailto:jmiller@eawildcats.net">jmiller@eawildcats.net</a>	412-824-9700 EAHS
Math	Ms. A. DeMedio	<a href="mailto:ademedio@eawildcats.net">ademedio@eawildcats.net</a>	412-824-9700 EAHS
Special Ed	Ms. K. Woleslagle	<a href="mailto:kwoleslagle@eawildcats.net">kwoleslagle@eawildcats.net</a>	412-824-6053 Logan
Health/PE	Mr. D. Lorigan	<a href="mailto:dlorigan@eawildcats.net">dlorigan@eawildcats.net</a>	412-824-6053 Logan

All of the above are teachers at East Allegheny School District, so you may need to leave a message for them to get back to you if they are in class. You also may establish a “best time to call” them once you do get through to them.

**If you are experiencing technical difficulties with logging in or accessing your account, please contact**

NNDS Technical Help Desk 1-866-9906637, x2997 or go to <http://www.nndsonline.org>

**If you are having a problem with transportation, call 412-824-8210.**

The district’s e-mail server has difficulty responding to certain internet providers. You may need to test your provider’s connectivity to the district’s system.

**If you have questions related to graduation requirements and your status as to graduation, please contact the High School Guidance Office at 412-824-9700.**

Other information and announcements are at the district’s web site at <http://www.eawildcats.net>

# EA Academy Physical Education Plan

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Semester/Year: \_\_\_\_\_

In order to obtain credit for physical education, an EA Academy student must submit a plan for a credible physical activity that can be documented for at least 30 hours. Such activities include, but are not limited to bowling leagues, dance, karate, archery classes, health club memberships with documented sign-in and others.

Please describe your activity below and how this activity is to be documented. Also list the time frame during which you wish to complete this activity. An East Allegheny administrator and PE teacher must approve this activity, method of documentation, and time frame. Physical Education credits are awarded on a pass/fail basis.

The Pennsylvania Department of Education mandates yearly instruction in Tobacco, Drug and Alcohol Awareness and instruction in communicable diseases. The Academy students will be given assignments to meet this requirement.

Physical Education Activity (30 Hours ½ Credit, 60 Hours for Full Credit):

Documentation Method:

Activities should be completed and documentation submitted by:

Approved By: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Student: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

PE Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

# EA Academy Progress Report

**Student:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Report Number:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Time Period Covering:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Total Hours Submitted:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Total Hours Approved:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Activity:**

**Documentation (Attach if Necessary):**

**Commentary:**

**Total Hours Approved to Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Teacher Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

## EA Academy Student Contract:

All terms of this contract must be agreed to before being formally enrolled in the EA Academy

1. It is understood that acceptance into and continuance in the EA Academy is entirely at the discretion of the East Allegheny School District Administration.
2. It is understood that the administration and guidance department will work with the student and their families to meet all graduation requirements including credit totals, subject area needs and remediation for assistance in passing the PSSA Exams. Graduation requirements do not change from the traditional program.
3. It is understood that all district policies, eligibility standards, procedures, discipline codes, etc. remain in effect for students taking courses through the EA Academy.
4. Students must abide by the Lincoln Interactive Honor Code
5. Students must attend scheduled weekly on-campus sessions. Failure to do so may result in attendance citations.
6. Students who fail to actively log in for the required time per week may be cited according to the Pennsylvania School Code in addition to reflecting in the grade and credit awarded or withheld.
7. Students agree to turn in timely reports of physical education activity.

**Student:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Administrator:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_