

Early College High School  
Lorain County Community College

Welcome Class of  
2015!!!!

Lorain County



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“**K**eeep your dreams alive. Understand to achieve anything requires faith and belief in yourself, vision, hard work, determination, and dedication. Remember all things are possible for those who believe.”

~Gail Devers

# Our Graduates



# Calendar

- In your handouts is a copy of the school calendar.
- Please note that students follow the college calendar. Students are expected to attend school and college classes according to the provided calendar. Underclassmen may have abbreviated schedules for the home district non-attendance days. A flyer or posting on the ANGEL network will notify the family for days with abbreviated schedules.

# ECCHS School Day

- School Begins at 8:00 am
- Students are considered tardy at 8:05 am
- Parents/Guardians must call the school to report an absence or tardy. Within 24 hours of the student's return, a written note from parent or guardian is required for documentation.
- Monday's are Early Release Days. Students are dismissed at 1:30. **There are no loop buses on these days.** Parents are responsible for transportation from the drop-off sites to home.
- **There will be not be loop busing on August 22, 23 or 24.**

# Attendance

- Calendar
  - Please note that we are on a modified college calendar. Please refer to the calendar for days off/early release. You can also check ANGEL for an updated calendar.
- Students are expected to be in class and on time. Attendance has a direct relation to learning.

# Attendance

- If a student must leave early, the ECHS office must be notified by either a note or telephone call from the parent/guardian before 9:00 am. Students may only leave school with persons listed on the **current Emergency Medical Form**. Any person signing out a student must report to the ECHS office with a photo ID. After identification has been verified, and the student has been signed out, the student will be called to the office for dismissal.

# Emergency Medical Form (EMA)

- If you have moved or if any information has changed since your interview please pick up a new emergency medical form and return it as soon as possible!
- **Change of Address and Phone Number**
  - If you move throughout the year, please help us update your records by picking up, completing, and returning a Change of Address Form!
  - It is critical that ECHS has updated phone numbers. If you have a new phone number, please advise the office immediately.

# First Week of School

- Monday, August 22 (First Day)
  - Dismissal at 10:00 a.m.
  - Busing at 12:00 p.m.
- Tuesday, August 23
  - NO SCHOOL
- Wednesday, August 24
  - Dismissal at 10:00 a.m.
  - Busing at 12:00 p.m.
- Thursday, August 25
  - Full Day (8:00 a.m. -2:30 p.m.)
- Friday, August 26
  - Full Day (8:00 a.m. -2:30 p.m.)
- **PERMISSION SLIP MUST BE FILLED OUT AND RETURNED BY AUG 15!**

# After School Hours

- For safety reasons, any student who remains on campus after 3:00 p.m. must report and remain on the first floor of the Bass Library near Campus Services, until s/he is picked up by parent or guardian.

# School Closing

- Occasionally, during inclement weather ECHS may close. If Lorain County Community College campus is closed, then ECHS is closed.
- When LCS and ECS close and LCCC is open, classes are cancelled for underclassmen but upperclassmen are still expected to attend college classes.  
Transportation is the responsibility of the parent.  
Parents and students must use cautionary decision making regarding transportation and the attendance policies during inclement weather.

- Students who become ill at school are to report to the office. Parents will be notified by the office if they will need to pick up their child. Early Dismissal procedure will be followed at that time.

# House Bills 66 and 530

- Ohio House Bills HB 66 and HB 530 require high schools to seek restitution for any course withdrawals and/or any failed courses. ECHS requires that the course is paid in full before the student can re-enroll. If the student and/or family are unable to pay for the course, the student will register in an equivalent high school class and will receive high school credit only. Repeating a course may affect the date of earning an Associate's Degree.
- HLED 156 Textbooks cost \$86.75 ea plus \$197.60 for tuition = \$284.35
- CISS 121 Textbooks cost \$199.75 ea plus \$296.40 for tuition = \$496.15

# Curriculum Framework-Freshmen

Early  
College  
High  
School

## Freshmen Year 1st Semester

## Freshmen Year 2nd Semester

Algebra I\*

Algebra I\*

English 9\*

English 9\*

World History\*

World History\*

Biology\*

Biology\*

Spanish 051\*

Spanish 051\*

HLED 156 Health and Wellness > \*\*

CISS 121 Computer Applications > \*\*

SDEV 101 > \*\*

PEFT 185 Ropes Course >

Key:

> Dual Credit  
(College and  
High School)

\* High School  
Credit Only

\*\* May be  
taken 1st or  
2nd  
Semester

- Students must complete 100 hours of community service before May of their senior year. (25 hours per year)
- Students must participate in one 40 hour internship the summer between junior and senior year.

- Academic Probation
  - Students who have less than a 2.0 at the end of the semester
  - Mandatory tutoring required for any student who performs at less than 75% on biweekly interims
- Tutoring
  - Extended Time Tutoring (math and science only)
    - College Center Tutoring
    - Approved Peer Tutoring
    - Incomplete homework and class assignments receive Saturday Schools

# Studying at Home

- As a general rule, for every hour you spend sitting in a class, you should spend three hours studying for that same class at home.
- You will have six hours of class time per week, therefore you will need to spend 18 hours per week studying!

# Electronic Devices

- Personal Communication and Electronic Devices while on school property. These devices are to be turned off and not used during school hours. Further, the possession and use of these devices should not cause a distraction or disruption to the educational process. Use of these devices in violation of this rule may result in confiscation of the device and disciplinary action up to and including expulsion.

**FIRST OFFENSE:** Student may collect the device in the ECHS office at 2:30.

**SECOND OFFENSE:** Parent/guardian must collect the device in the ECHS office by or before close of business at 3:30 pm.

**THIRD OFFENSE:** Device remains in the principal's custody until the end of the current semester or grading period, or the end of the school year. At the end of such, parent/guardian must come to the ECHS office to collect the device.

# School Supplies

- **ALL** students will be required to have a jump drive.

# Who are my teachers?

- Algebra 1-Ms. Hanshumaker
- Geometry-Mr. Vasi
- Algebra 2-Mrs. Gilmore
- World History-Mr. Hutlock
- U.S. History-Mr. Ramirez
- Physical Science-Mrs. Hamman
- Biology-Mr. Jaworski
- Chemistry-Mrs. Cordonnier
- English 9-Mrs. Roberts
- English 10-Mr. Juarez
- Spanish 051-Mrs. Phillips
- Chemistry Lab-Ms. Burnette

# Who else will I need to know?

- School Principal: Ms. Quinn
- Administrative Associate: Mrs. Kelly
- Attendance: Mrs. Arnold
- College Transition Advisor: Ms. Johnson
- School Counselors:
  - Mrs. Owens and Mrs. Wagner

# Athletics

- How to participate
- Eligibility Requirements
- Must pass 4 of 5 classes
- Must take 5 courses
- ECHS requirement must have 75% or higher for interims



**Sports and Extra Curricular Activity  
Early Dismissal Permission Slip**

# Busing

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Please refer to your handout

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ANGEL

[angel.lorainccc.edu](http://angel.lorainccc.edu)

# Questions?

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Please call the office at 440-366-  
7689.