

Dear eStem Elementary Families,

What a GREAT start to the school year! We are so proud of our students who have been making positive choices, demonstrating good behavior, and earning **METS' BUCKS** for their hard work and outstanding character!

Our students had the opportunity to put their hard earned METS' BUCKS to good use at the Snack Shack! It was wonderful to see their excitement as they made purchases with the bucks they earned by showing responsibility, respect, and making great choices.

Keep up the great work, students! We are excited to continue celebrating your success throughout the year!

SAVE THE DATE: FAMILY NIGHT!
Tuesday, September 15th | 5:30-6:30 PM

Join us for a fun evening filled with:

- Food Trucks
- Community Partnerships
- Opportunities to see what your child is learning
- Student Performances And MORE!

You won't want to miss it! More details are coming soon!

We are off to a fantastic start, and we can't wait to continue making this school year one to remember!



Request from our counselors!



Uniform Help Needed!!



We are currently experiencing a high volume of students needing a change of clothes during the day. This has us scrambling for clothes!

Ways you can help:

- Donate gently used uniform shirts, shorts, pants, skirts & eStem t-shirts
- Donate new uniform pieces, new socks, & new children's underwear
- Return borrowed clothes after washing them.
- Send a change of clothes for your child in their backpack



Important Dates To Note

September 7 – Labor Day – school closed

September 11 – Grandparent and Special Friends Day

**3rd -6th Grades 8:30am – 10:00am

**Kindergarten – 2nd Grades – 12:30pm – 2:00pm

September 15 – Title I Family Night – 5:30-6:30pm

September 25 – Mrs. Yolanda Scott Day – wear your yellow in memory of Mrs. Scott

Notes from the Office

- **Last day to get the best price for Yearbooks!** Our Yearbooks are at the LOWEST PRICE of the year right now. For just \$35 you can purchase a yearbook for your child that will include their portrait, their class and all the special memories of the year. Also, you can get FREE icons when you order personalization of the yearbook until 8/28. Order at www.jostens.com
- **Meal Account Balances** – If your child's meal account should go into the negative, you will receive an email through the MySchoolBucks system and a paper letter through your child's teacher if it is over -\$30.00. Please load money on their account through [MySchoolBucks](#) or you can send cash or check to the office.
- **Kroger Community Rewards – Easy money for our school!** If you have not enrolled your card yet, it's easy! Log in or make an account, click on Community Rewards and search for eStem. You will see eStem Public Charter School Downtown K6 listed. (Organization # KG979) You will need to enroll each year. Kroger sends us checks quarterly based on the membership and it will cost you nothing! [Click here!](#)

- **Student Absences**

Please notify us of any student absences by emailing the attendance email at attendance@estemschools.org You may attach doctor's notes to the email as well.

- **Phone, Email & Address changes**

Please notify our registrar and your child's teacher of any changes to your phone, email or address. Our registrar is Allyson Peterson. Her email is Allyson.peterson@estemschools.org

- **Uniform & Dress Code:** Be sure your child is in the required uniform each day, including appropriate footwear. Let us know if you need assistance with any items.



- **No Outside Food or Drinks:** For safety and allergy reasons, outside food and beverages (including fast food and restaurant deliveries) are not allowed. Breakfast and lunch are provided daily, and we ensure all meals meet district guidelines.



- **Communication:** Stay connected with us through our Instagram page @estemelementary, eStem's Facebook page and our website of

course www.estemschools.org and make sure your contact information is up to date so you don't miss any important updates. You can click on each picture below to get to the correct page! We also send information through Thrillshare by text and email. You can check your notifications on the eStem App.



With appreciation,

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