



Evansville Vanderburgh School Corporation

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2008-2009 School Year

ENROLLMENT INFORMATION

LEGAL RESIDENCE

All students should attend the school in the district in which their legal guardian lives.

Exceptions to this policy include special education students, students on Title I School Choice Transfers, Medical Transfers, Adjustment Transfers, and Working Parent Transfers (for elementary and middle school only).

These **exceptions** and any others must be approved by the **Center for Family, School and Community Partnerships, at 435-8452.**

FOREIGN EXCHANGE PROGRAM STUDENTS

High school principals approve enrollment of foreign exchange program students. Students enrolling without a birth certificate issued in the United States and/or living with parents/guardians in your district will be permitted to enroll. Passport information can be accepted as legal verification.

For questions about this or enrolling in English as a Second Language (ESL) programs, contact Sandra Madriaga, supervisor for world languages and English as a Second Language, at 435-8424.

IMMUNIZATIONS

Immunizations are required by Indiana State Law. When children enroll in EVSC schools for the first time or any subsequent time and at any level, the parent/guardian must show written proof of immunizations or have on file a current religious or medical exemption. The immunization waiver for a medical exemption requires a written diagnosis by a physician stating that a student has a medical condition that precludes receiving certain vaccines. A waiver of immunization because of religious reason requires a letter from the parent/guardian. Both waivers **must be updated yearly. No child will be permitted to attend school beyond the first day of school without furnishing written proof of immunizations, or a request for a waiver. See Minimum Immunizations for School Entry.** For further information, please call the Center for Family, School and Community Partnerships - Office of Health Services and Wellness at 435-8279.

To obtain the current immunization requirements, see the next page. For more information, contact the Center for Family, School and Community Partnerships - Office of Health Services and Wellness at 435-8279.

PHYSICAL EXAMINATION

Written documentation of a physical examination by a physician or nurse practitioner is required for students entering EVSC for the first time, students enrolling in kindergarten, students entering the sixth grade, and students entering the ninth grade. A test for tuberculosis is recommended. Physical Examination Forms are available at the school, at the Center for Family, School and Community Partnerships, 123 Main Street, Evansville (corner of Main and 2nd Street in downtown Evansville) or may be accessed online at www.evscschools.com, then click on the "forms" button.

BUS TRANSPORTATION

Bus schedules and pick-up points may be obtained by calling the Office of Transportation at 435-8263. Individuals are encouraged to call prior to the first week of school, to get their questions answered. The office is open year round.

Transportation to the Southern Indiana Career and Technical Center – Transportation to the Southern Indiana Career and Technical Center is provided. After bus arrival at students' home schools, students attending the morning sessions at the center will ride by school bus to the Southern Indiana Career and Technical Center, leaving the school at 7:40 a.m. and returning to their home schools in time for lunch. Students enrolled in the afternoon session leave their home school on the school bus at 11:55 a.m. and are returned at the end of school.

MINIMUM IMMUNIZATION REQUIREMENTS FOR SCHOOL ENTRY INDIANA STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

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When a student enrolls in a school corporation, for the first time or any subsequent time and at any level, parents must show either that child has been immunized or that a current religious or medical objection is on file. Parents must provide the School Corporation with complete immunization records prior to the beginning of the school year.

MINIMUM IMMUNIZATION REQUIREMENTS FOR STUDENTS ENROLLED AT PRE-KINDERGARTEN:

- **4** doses of diphtheria-tetanus-acellular pertussis (DTaP), diphtheria-tetanus-pertussis (DTP), pediatric diphtheria-tetanus vaccine (DT) or any combination of the three are required;
- **3** doses of either oral polio vaccine (OPV) or inactivated polio vaccine (IPV), in any combination;
- **1** dose of measles (rubeola) vaccine, on or after the first birthday;
- **1** dose of rubella (German measles) vaccine, on or after the first birthday;
- **1** dose of mumps vaccine, on or after the first birthday.
- **1** dose of varicella (Chicken Pox) vaccine on or after the first birthday, or record of disease. **Parental history of chicken pox disease is acceptable** as proof of immunity and no vaccine is needed. A written statement from the parent/guardian indicating dates of disease and signed is all the documentation needed. Documentation by a physician is not necessary.

MINIMUM IMMUNIZATION REQUIREMENTS FOR STUDENTS ENROLLED IN KINDERGARTEN AND GRADE ONE and Under 7 Years of Age:

- **5** doses of diphtheria-tetanus-acellular pertussis (DTaP), diphtheria-tetanus-pertussis (DTP), or pediatric diphtheria-tetanus (DT) vaccine (under 7 years of age), or **4 doses are acceptable if the 4th dose was administered on or after the 4th birthday;**
- **4** doses of any combination of IPV or OPV by age 4-6, or **3 doses of all OPV or IPV are acceptable if the 3rd dose was administered on or after the 4th birthday;**
- **2** doses of measles (rubeola) vaccine, on or after the first birthday;
- **1** dose of rubella (German measles) vaccine, on or after the first birthday;
- **2** dose of mumps vaccine, on or after the first birthday;
- **3** doses of hepatitis B vaccine for all Kindergarten and/or Grade 1 students; and
- **1** dose of Varicella (Chicken Pox), on or after the first birthday, or record of disease. **Parental history of chickenpox disease is acceptable** as proof of immunity (no vaccine needed). A signed written statement from the parent/guardian indicating dates of disease is all the documentation needed. Documentation by a physician is not necessary.

MINIMUM IMMUNIZATION REQUIREMENTS FOR STUDENTS ENROLLED AT GRADE TWO, THREE, FOUR, FIVE AND SIX:

- 3 doses of diphtheria-tetanus-acellular pertussis (DTaP), diphtheria-tetanus-pertussis (DTP), pediatric diphtheria-tetanus vaccine (DT) or tetanus-diphtheria (Td) [7 years of age or older];
- 4 doses of any combination of IPV or OPV by age 4-6, or **3 doses of all OPV or all IPV vaccine series are acceptable if the 3rd dose was administered on or after the 4th birthday;**
- 2 doses of measles (rubeola) vaccine, on or after the first birthday;
- 1 dose of rubella (German measles) vaccine, on or after the first birthday;
- 2 dose of mumps vaccine, on or after the first birthday;
- 3 doses of hepatitis B vaccine; and
- 1 dose of Varicella (Chicken Pox), on or after the first birthday, or record of disease. **Parental history of chicken pox disease is acceptable** as proof of immunity (no vaccine needed). A signed written statement from the parent/guardian indicating dates of disease is all the documentation needed. Documentation by a physician is not necessary.

MINIMUM IMMUNIZATION REQUIREMENTS FOR STUDENTS IN GRADES SEVEN - TWELVE and for students in ungraded classrooms, who are thirteen years of age or older by August 1st of the current school year:

- 3 doses of diphtheria-tetanus-acellular pertussis (DTaP), diphtheria-tetanus-pertussis (DTP), pediatric diphtheria-tetanus vaccine (DT); or tetanus-diphtheria (Td) [7 years of age or older]
- 4 doses of any combination of IPV or OPV by age 4-6, or **3 doses of all OPV or all IPV vaccine series are acceptable if the 3rd dose was administered on or after the 4th birthday;**
- 2 doses of measles (rubeola) vaccine, on or after the first birthday;
- 1 dose of rubella (German measles) vaccine, on or after the first birthday;
- 2 dose of mumps vaccine on or after the first birthday;
- 3 doses of hepatitis B vaccine; and
- 1 dose of Varicella (Chicken Pox), on or after the first birthday, or record of disease. **Parental history of chicken pox disease is acceptable** as proof of immunity (no vaccine needed). A signed written statement from the parent/guardian indicating dates of disease is all the documentation needed. Documentation by a physician is not necessary.

ED CENTER PROGRAM

The ED Center (**Extended Day Center**) Program is available for children who need care before and/or after school. Children may attend before school from 6:30 am until school starts and from the end of the school day until 6:00 pm.

Any child enrolled in elementary school, K-5 is eligible to attend on a first-come, first-served basis. Fees must be paid on the first day of each week of attendance. If children are in attendance only part of the week, full payment is expected for the entire week. **Parents are responsible for all transportation.** Children in the morning program will be able to purchase breakfast at the school cafeteria. Snacks will be provided for the afternoon program. Opportunities will be provided for study and enrichment. The ED Centers have space for students to do homework, read for pleasure, and participate in recreational activities.

RATES

The fee on a weekly basis is \$13 per week for the morning program only; \$30 per week for the afternoon only; and \$43 per week, per child, for both morning and afternoon.

DROP IN RATES

Parents may choose to have their children attend on a daily rather than weekly basis. The fee on a daily basis is \$6.50 per day (am only) per child and \$11.50 per day (pm only) per child for the afternoon program.

LATE CHARGES

\$10 will be charged if parent arrives between 6:01 pm and 6:19 pm

\$20 will be charged if parent arrives at 6:20 pm or later

EMERGENCY DAYS

The ED Centers are open only when schools are open. If schools are closed because of a snow day or other emergency, the ED Centers will be closed. No charge will be made for that day. In the event that an emergency day is made up, the ED Center will be open. A charge will be added for the ED Center Program. If there is a delayed opening of school or early dismissal due to an emergency, such as a snowstorm, the following procedures will be followed:

- The ED Centers will open at 6:30 am even if there is a delayed opening.
- If school is canceled after a delayed opening, parents will be notified to pick up their children.
- If an early dismissal occurs before noon, the Ed Center Program will be canceled for that day.
- If an early dismissal occurs after noon, the ED Center will be opened as soon as school is dismissed and will operate on a regular schedule. In the event of severe weather, parents are asked to pick up their students as soon as is possible to help protect the safety of the ED Center staff, as well as the students and parents.
- Lincoln Elementary School's ED Center will operate on Lincoln's year-round school calendar.

ED CENTER PHONENUMBERS

Extended Day Program Central Office Manager - Center for Family, School and Community Partnerships

Leia Darden..... 435-8435

ED CENTER LOCATIONS:

Caze: 474-6901

Culver: 435-8222

Daniel Wertz: 435-8315

Dexter: 474-0131

Harper: 474-6910

Highland: 867-0657

Lincoln: 435-8238

Scott: 867-4763

Stringtown: 435-8322

Vogel: 474-6944

Cedar Hall: 435-8226

Cynthia Heights: 963-6031

Delaware: 435-8230

Fairlawn: 474-6907

Hebron: 474-6914

Howard Roosa: 435-8234

Lodge: 474-6929

Stockwell: 474-6924

Tekoppel: 435-8336

West Terrace: 985-2218

SPECIAL EDUCATION

All special education students enroll and attend the first day of school on Monday, August 11, 2008.

Special education bus transportation is provided on the first day of school for those students whose individualized education programs require transportation. Bus assistants are assigned to assist the children on and off the bus, and to assist them during the ride to and from school as needed.

Special education services are available in the following areas:

**Orthopedic Impairment
Blind and Low Vision
Emotional Disability
Autism Spectrum Disorder
Traumatic Brain Injury
Language or Speech Impairment
Developmental Delay (early childhood)**

**Deaf or Hard of Hearing
Cognitive Disability
Multiple Disabilities
Deaf-Blind
Other Health Impairment
Specific Learning Disability**

The Department of Special Education also provides services to students recommended for a temporary medical homebound placement by their physician.

For information concerning special education services, call the Special Education Office at 435-8442.

Questions regarding special education transportation may be directed to Special Education Bus Transportation, 435-8263.

EVSC FOOD/NUTRITION

HEALTHY EATING HELPS MAKE THE GRADE

Children who are not hungry feel better, learn better and behave better

Breakfast and lunch are available on regularly scheduled days in EVSC's five high schools, 10 middle schools, and 20 elementary schools. The administration of each school schedules meal serving times, based on the number of students in attendance at each school. The menus for high schools, middle schools, and elementary schools meet the dietary guidelines as established by the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA).

Elementary and middle school menus are published in the *Evansville Courier & Press* each day during the school year. High school menus are announced in daily bulletins. Menus and nutrient information are posted on the EVSC website, <http://www.evscschools.com>. Click on Educational Support Services/Food and Nutrition Services

Meal prices for 2008-09 school year are as follows:

<u>Elementary</u>		<u>Middle/High</u>	
Breakfast	\$1.00	Breakfast	\$1.00
Lunch	\$1.50	Lunch	\$1.75
Adult (EVSC)	\$2.25	Adult (EVSC)	\$2.25
Adult (Non-EVSC)	\$3.00	Adult (Non-EVSC)	\$3.00
Pre-School Child	\$2.00	Pre-School Child	\$2.00
Milk	\$.35	Milk	\$.50

Ala Carte items are available in all the school cafeterias for students in grade 4 through grade 12. Food offered in the school cafeterias comply with the guidelines as outline in the EVSC Wellness Policy. (Policy 8510 – See www.evscschools.com, Bylaws and Policies)

I.O.U.'s are permitted on a limited basis in elementary and middle schools. Please check with the office at your child's school regarding the policy.

Meal payments using cash or check may be made at your child's school. A new payment option available is EZSchoolPay.com. This on-line service allows you to check your child's meal account balance and, if desired, use VISA or Mastercard to make payments into the student's meal account. There is no charge to sign up and check the student's balance. A 5 percent service fee will be charged for those making an on-line payment. To sign up for EZSchoolPay, you will need your child's EVSC Student ID number. This number can be found on the pre-printed free and reduced price meal application that every child receives on the first day of school; or by contacting the school.

Families may be eligible for free or reduced price meals. Reduced prices for breakfast are 30¢ and 40¢ for lunch. A pre-printed family application will be distributed to each student on the first day of school at all elementary and middle schools. High school students are given an application either on the first day of school or during orientation activities. One application listing all students in the household should be submitted per family. Should the need arise; a family may submit an application at any time during the school year. A student approved for free or reduced price meals is also eligible to receive free textbooks and other benefits.

If your child has special dietary needs that require a menu change, a Diet Prescription for Meals at School form may be obtained from the cafeteria manager, or school nurse. The form is to be signed by a physician/recognized medical authority, and returned to the cafeteria. In most instances, EVSC is able to make the necessary adjustments.

WEATHER RELATED SCHOOL CLOSING

All schools in the EVSC will be open on all regularly scheduled days unless closed by the EVSC Superintendent because of an emergency. The school corporation will attempt to have schools open each day that road and weather conditions are considered safe for students.

On days of inclement weather when roads are considered to be unsafe for school bus transportation, the decision to close school is made by the Superintendent usually prior to 5:30 am. Decisions regarding schools closing are reached by school officials after traveling area roads between 3:00 am and 5:00 am. In addition, information is received from the National Weather Service, Indiana State Police, Evansville Police Department, Vanderburgh County Sheriff, Indiana State and Vanderburgh County Highway Departments.

All local radio and television stations are notified at the time the decision is made and the stations begin making the announcement immediately and at frequent intervals thereafter. Parents and students are urged to tune to local radio and television stations or check the EVSC website for weather and school information when inclement weather conditions prevail.

The following announcements may be made:

- All schools are closed.
- Schools will be open, but starting time may be delayed up to two hours.
- Schools will be open as usual, but bus transportation is provided **ONLY** on alternate routes. Alternate routes are those identified by the city and county officials as having first priority for clearing.
- On rare occasions, weather conditions may worsen sufficiently during the day as to require an early dismissal of students. Early dismissal may be necessary in order to get students home before inclement conditions make transportation hazardous. In order to prepare for this, parents should instruct children what to do should this occur.
- Parents are requested to tune to local television and radio stations for notices regarding early dismissal, or check the EVSC website at www.evscschools.com.
- Weather conditions are not always the same throughout the 241 square miles of Vanderburgh County; thus, it may be possible for most of our schools to remain open while some must be closed due to the terrain and roads in the immediate vicinity.

EACH PARENT HAS THE FINAL RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE CARE OF THEIR CHILD; THEREFORE, ON DAYS WHEN THE SCHOOL IS OPEN AND THE PARENT OR GUARDIAN FEELS THAT TRAVEL IS NOT SAFE, THE PARENT MAY CHOOSE TO KEEP THE STUDENT HOME When this decision is made, the parent/guardian should send a note to school and the absence will be considered excused and time will be allowed for make-up work to be completed. The State of Indiana requires that all schools be open a minimum of 180 days.

EMERGENCY DISMISSAL INFORMATION

One-Hour Delay

- Morning Southern Indiana Career and Technical and School of Academic and Career Development buses will run one hour later.
- Extended Day Centers will be open at 6:30 am.
- International Newcomer's Academy at Washington Middle School cancelled.
- Breakfast will be served.

Two-Hour Delay

- Morning Southern Indiana Career and Technical and School of Academic and Career Development buses will not run.
- Extended Day Care Centers open at 6:30 am
- Breakfast will be served to ED Center students only.
- International Newcomer's Academy at Washington Middle School cancelled.
- Morning classes at School of Academic and Career Development and Henry Reis are cancelled.
- Morning classes at EARC, REHAB, Lincoln and Culver pre-schools cancelled.

Early Dismissal

- If dismissed on or before noon, Extended Day Centers are cancelled. Parents will be notified to pick up children. If dismissal occurs after noon, the Ed Centers will remain open on a regular schedule.
- Athletic practices and games cancelled.
- Fine Arts rehearsals and performances cancelled.
- Secondary Credit Program (Central Evening) cancelled.
- Afternoon classes at School of Academic and Career Development and Henry Reis cancelled.
- Afternoon classes at EARC, REHAB, Lincoln and Culver pre-schools cancelled.

Cancellations

- Extended Day Centers closed. (Parents will be notified to pick up children who may already be at the center.)
- Fine Arts rehearsal and performances cancelled.
- Athletic games cancelled. Practices may be held, but attendance is voluntary.
- Secondary Credit Program closed.

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SCHEDULED SCHOOL BOARD MEETINGS

All meetings scheduled 5:30 pm in the Board Room of the EVSC Administration Building or a school facility.

<p>July 7, 2008 - 5:30 pm - Regular Mtg. Board Room, EVSC Admin. Bldg.</p> <p>* July 28, 2008 - 5:30 pm Regular Mtg. - Budget Review, Board Room, EVSC Admin. Bldg.</p>	<p>* January 12, 2009 - 5:30 pm - Regular Mtg. - Re-organization of Board – Board Room, EVSC Admin. Bldg.</p> <p>January 26, 2009 - 5:30 pm - Regular Mtg. - Board Room, EVSC Admin. Bldg.</p>
<p>* August 11, 2008 - 5:30 pm - Regular Mtg. - Permission to Advertise Budget</p> <p>* August 25, 2008 - 5:30 pm - Regular Mtg. - Budget Hearing - Assembly Hall, Southern Indiana Career & Tech. Center.</p>	<p>February 9, 2009 - 5:30 pm - Regular Mtg. - Auditorium, Harrison H.S.</p> <p>February 23, 2009 - 5:30 pm - Regular Mtg. - Board Room, EVSC Admin. Bldg.</p>
<p>* September 8, 2008 - 5:30 pm - Regular Mtg. - Budget Adoption - Board Room, EVSC Admin. Bldg.</p> <p>Monday, September 22, 2008 – 5:30 pm – Regular Mtg. - Board Room, EVSC Administration Building</p>	<p>March 16, 2009 - 5:30 pm - Regular Mtg. - Board Room, EVSC Admin. Bldg.</p>
<p>October 13, 2008 - 5:30 pm - Regular Mtg. - Board Room, EVSC Admin. Bldg.</p> <p>October 27, 2008 - 5:30 pm - Regular Mtg. - Auditorium, Bosse H.S.</p>	<p>April 6, 2009 - 5:30 pm - Regular Mtg. - Auditorium, North H.S.</p> <p>April 20, 2009 - 5:30 pm - Regular Mtg. - Board Room, EVSC Admin. Bldg.</p>
<p>November 10, 2008 - 5:30 pm - Regular Mtg. - Board Room, EVSC Admin. Bldg.</p> <p>November 24, 2008 - 5:30 pm - Regular Mtg. - Board Room, EVSC Admin. Bldg.</p>	<p>May 4, 2009 - 5:30 pm - Regular Mtg. - Auditorium, Reitz H.S.</p> <p>May 18, 2009 - 5:30 pm - Regular Mtg. - Board Room, EVSC Admin. Bldg.</p>
<p>December 15, 2008 - 5:30 pm - Regular Mtg. - Auditorium, Central H.S.</p>	<p>June 8, 2009 - 5:30 pm - Regular Mtg. – Board Room, EVSC Admin. Bldg.</p> <p>June 22, 2009 - 5:30 pm - Regular Mtg. - Board Room, EVSC Admin. Bldg.</p>

(* Meetings set by state law or EVSC organizational plan and occur on a Monday.)

KINDERGARTEN ENROLLMENT

ENROLLMENT PROCEDURE

To be eligible for enrollment in kindergarten in the EVSC, a child must be five (5) years of age on or before **August 1, 2008**.

When enrolling, a child must be accompanied by a parent or guardian. The child's birth certificate and Social Security Card must be presented. **A hospital certificate will not be considered legal proof of age.**

For students not previously enrolled, kindergarten enrollment is scheduled for August 4-8, 2008. The first day of school for all kindergarten students is Monday, August 11, 2008. For information regarding bus routes and pick-up points, please call 435-8263.

EARLY KINDERGARTEN ENTRY

All testing for early kindergarten entry was completed before the last school day in May, 2008. Testing will be completed in the fall **only** for students who have moved to Vanderburgh County during the summer.

BOOK RENTAL

KINDERGARTEN.....	\$ 73.65 KINDERGARTEN
*(USING "MATH THEIR WAY").....	63.15

* Schools using Math Their Way for kindergarten:: Caze, Delaware, Fairlawn, Harper, Lincoln, Lodge, Scott, Stringtown, Tekoppel, West Terrace

Payment is expected during the first week of school. A new payment program for textbooks has been instituted to make payment easier for families. Payments may be made at any Old National Bank or be mailed to the ONB lockbox at P.O. Box 267, Evansville, Indiana 47702-0267. Payments will also still be accepted at each school. Families unable to pay for the textbook rental may be qualified for free textbook rental from the state. The standard of eligibility for receiving free textbook rental is that you must be qualified to participate in the free or reduced lunch program. If students are currently receiving free/reduced lunches, an application is mailed to the home prior to the new school year. Applications are available at the school. Classroom fees vary by school.

FULL-DAY KINDERGARTEN SCHEDULE

All kindergarten classes in the EVSC are on a full-day schedule. Kindergarten begins at 7:55 am and dismisses at 2:16 pm. The Extended Day Program (ED Center) is available prior to school and after school. Students may ride the bus to and from school, if transportation is available.

ELEMENTARY ENROLLMENT

Any student entering grades 1 through 5, who is enrolling in an EVSC elementary school for the first time, should go to the office of that school Monday, August 4, through Friday, August 8. Parents/guardians should call the school for exact times. The student will be assigned to a home room upon enrollment. A student who attended an out-of-county, private, or parochial school last year must present a birth certificate when they enroll. **A hospital certificate is not considered legal proof of age.**

Written documentation of a physical check-up by a physician is required for students entering EVSC for the first time.

SCHEDULE

All students in grades 1 through 5 will attend school for a full day beginning Monday, August 11, 2008. School bus transportation will also begin on Monday, August 11, 2008. For information regarding bus routes and pick-up points, please call 435-8263.

Elementary schools start at 7:55 a.m. and dismiss at 2:16 p.m.

2008-2009 ELEMENTARY TEXTBOOK RENTALS

GRADE ONE.....	123.00
* GRADE ONE (USING "MATH THEIR WAY").....	103.50
GRADE TWO	108.15
GRADE THREE	115.10
GRADE FOUR.....	100.45
GRADE FIVE.....	103.50

* Schools using MathTheir Way for Grade One: Harper, Lincoln, West Terrace

Payment is expected the first day of school. A new payment program for textbooks has been instituted to make payment easier for families. Payments may be made at any Old National Bank or be mailed to P.O. Box 267, Evansville, Indiana 47702-0267. Payments will also still be accepted at each school. Checks should be made payable to the Evansville Vanderburgh School Corporation. Families unable to pay for the textbook rental may be qualified for free textbook rental from the state. The standard of eligibility for receiving free textbook rental is that you must be qualified to participate in the free or reduced lunch program. If students are currently receiving free/reduced lunches, an application is sent home on the first day of school. Applications are also available at the school.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION UNIFORM

Physical education teachers will share information on the type and style of PE uniforms required during the first day of class. Physical Education fee for elementary school is \$1 per student.

MIDDLE SCHOOL ENROLLMENT

Any student entering grades 6-8, who is enrolling in an EVSC Middle School for the first time, should go to the office of the school August 4 through August 8. Parents/guardians should call the school for exact times. The student will be assigned to a homeroom at that time.

McGary – July 31 – aug. 6

Evans – July 28

Glenwood – July 28 8-3

Plaza park – August 4 – 7:30 – noon; 1-3

Washington – July 30 through the start of school – all day

Students who have already enrolled at feeder schools do not have to enroll.

Students who attended out-of-county schools, private, or parochial schools the previous year must present birth certificate when they enroll. **A hospital certificate is not considered legal proof of age.**

Written documentation of a physical check-up by a physician is required for students entering the EVSC for the first time and for students entering the sixth grade.

SCHEDULE

All students in grades 6 through 8 will attend school for a full day beginning Monday, August 11, 2008. School bus transportation will also begin on Monday, August 11, 2008. Middle Schools start at 7:55 am and dismiss at 2:40 pm.

For information regarding bus routes and pick-up points, please call 435-8263.

2008-2009 MIDDLE SCHOOL TEXTBOOK RENTAL

GRADE SIX.....	\$ 129.60
GRADE SIX (HONORS).....	151.80
GRADE SEVEN	133.90
GRADE SEVEN (HONORS)	156.10
GRADE EIGHT	134.95
GRADE EIGHT (HONORS)	157.10

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PHYSICAL EDUCATION UNIFORM

Physical education teachers will share information on the type and style of PE uniform required during the first day of class. Physical Education fee for middle school is \$2 per student.

Year Round Education (**YRE**) is a reorganization of the school calendar with instructional blocks and vacations distributed throughout the calendar year so that learning is continuous. The Lincoln Elementary School calendar is an alternative calendar. **Students will only attend school the required 180 instructional days that are listed on the Lincoln Elementary calendar.**

Lincoln students will:

- Have mini-vacations during all four seasons.
- Have the same holidays as all other EVSC students.
- Have all the services offered at other elementary schools such as: Extended Day Program, breakfast, lunch, and bus transportation.
- Have the option of attending fall, spring, and summer inter-sessions.

If parents choose the YRE program for their child, **they have made a year-long commitment.** If students move out of the district, transportation to and from Lincoln Elementary School will be provided. If parents living within the Lincoln Elementary School district do not want the YRE Program, an alternative enrollment will be provided at either Cedar Hall Elementary School or Stringtown Elementary School.

Intersession - An optional two-week enrichment program:

Students will attend school four grading periods with breaks between each grading period. **Intersessions occur in the fall, spring, and summer.** Enrichment and remediation classes will be available to all students. The student day during the intersession will be 4 1/2 hours. Each 2-week intersession is followed by a 1-week vacation.

Intersession programs are optional and designed for fun as well as learning. Students are assessed, but do not receive grades.

Vacation:

1-week of vacation in both the fall and spring and a 4-week vacation in the summer.

- Lincoln Elementary School offers a full-day kindergarten program.
- The ED Center (Extended Day) program is available before and after school, as well as day-long care during the intersessions. The Ed Center will not be in session during the fall, winter, or spring breaks, scheduled holidays, or days of inclement weather when all EVSC schools are closed.

For information regarding bus routes and pick-up points, please call 435-8263.

2008-2009 ELEMENTARY TEXTBOOK RENTALS

GRADE ONE.....	123.00
* GRADE ONE (USING "MATH THEIR WAY").....	103.50
GRADE TWO	108.15
GRADE THREE	115.10
GRADE FOUR	100.45
GRADE FIVE	103.50

* Schools using MathTheir Way for Grade One: Harper, Lincoln, West Terrace

Textbook rental payment is expected the first day of school. Payments are accepted at the school. Checks should be made payable to the Evansville Vanderburgh School Corporation. Families unable to pay for the textbook rental may be qualified for free textbook rental from the state. The standard of eligibility for receiving free textbook rental is that you must be qualified to participate in the free or reduced lunch program. If students are currently receiving free/reduced lunches, an application is sent home on the first day of school. Applications are also available at the school.

HIGH SCHOOL ENROLLMENT

Please call to arrange an appointment. Office hours at Bosse High School and North High School are from 7:40 am to 2:30 pm. Office hours at Reitz High School, Harrison High School and Central High School are open 7:35 am to 3:00 pm. A high school student, including an incoming freshman, who has attended an out-of-county school last year, or who has not enrolled previously, **should enroll by appointment** Monday through Friday as follows:

Bosse High School: Enrollment will begin July 31. Call 474-6931 to schedule an appointment.

Central High School: Enrollment will begin Thursday, July 31. Call 435-0263 to make an appointment.

Harrison High School: .. New student enrollment begins Friday, August 1, and continues through Friday, August 8. Call 474-4120 to make an appointment.

North High School: Enrollment will begin August 1. Call 435-8286 to schedule an appointment.

Reitz High School: Enrollment will begin August 4. Call 435-8204 to make an appointment.

School of Academic and Career Development – enrollment begins July 28. Call 435-8281 to schedule an appointment

Parents/guardians enrolling students who are new to the corporation, should bring a birth certificate, proof of address, transfer information from previous school and custody papers, if applicable.

SCHEDULE

The first day of classes for all high school students and high school special education students is Monday, August 11, 2008. Bus transportation will begin Monday, August 11, 2008. For information regarding bus routes and pick-up points, please call 435-8263.

High schools start and dismiss as follows:

7:35 am - 2:40 pm

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PHYSICAL EDUCATION UNIFORMS

The uniform for high school physical education classes will continue to be gym shorts and T-shirts in the school's colors. Sweat pants may be worn if it is appropriate for the class. Physical education fee for high school is \$3 per student.

2008-09 HIGH SCHOOL TEXTBOOK RENTAL INFORMATION

Payment is expected the first day of school. A new payment program for textbooks is being piloted at North High School

and Reitz High School to make payment easier for families. Payments may be made at any Old National Bank or be mailed to P.O. Box 267, Evansville, Indiana 47702-0267. Payments will also still be accepted at each school. Checks should be made payable to the Evansville Vanderburgh School Corporation. Families unable to pay for the textbook rental may be qualified for free textbook rental from the state. The standard of eligibility for receiving free textbook rental is that you must be qualified to participate in the free or reduced lunch program. If students are currently receiving free/reduced lunches, an application is sent home on the first day of school. Applications are also available at the school.

Bookstore Hours

BO SSE

Wed., Aug. 6	9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.	All Students
Thurs., Aug. 7	9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.	All Students
Fri., Aug. 8	9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.	All Students

CENTRAL

Tues., Aug. 5	8:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.	All Students
Wed., Aug. 6	8:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.	All Students
Thurs., Aug. 7	8:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.	All Students
Fri., Aug. 8	8:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.	All Students

HARRISON

Tues., Aug. 5	8:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.	All Students
Wed., Aug. 6	8:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.	All Students
Thurs., Aug. 7	8:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.	All Students
Fri., Aug. 8	8:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.	All Students

NORTH

Tues., Aug. 5	8:00 a.m. - Noon	All Students
Wed., Aug. 6	8:00 a.m. - Noon	All Students
Thurs., Aug. 7	8:00 a.m. - Noon	All Students
Fri., Aug. 8	8:00 a.m. - Noon	All Students

REITZ

Mon., Aug. 4	8:00 a.m. - Noon	All Students
Tues., Aug. 5	8:00 a.m. - Noon	All Students
Wed., Aug. 6	8:00 a.m. - Noon	All Students
Thurs., Aug. 7	8:00 a.m. - Noon	All Students
Fri., Aug. 8	8:00 a.m. - Noon	All Students

Information 435-8453

Bus Transportation 435-8263

Individuals are encouraged to call prior to the first day of school for answers to questions regarding their student's transportation needs.

Office of Special Education 435-8442
Transfers

Office of Early Childhood Education 435-8586

Office of Food and Nutrition 435-8262
(Free and reduced lunch applications distributed at the school)

Office of Psychological Services ... 435-8300
ISTEP and other Testing, Early Kindergarten Enrollment

GED

Adult Basic Education (classes) 435-8274
GED Testing Center 435-8368

Athletics 435-8501
Physical Education

World Languages 435-8472
English as a Second Language

Gifted and Talented Program 435-8472

Office of Human Resources 435-8417
Employment opportunities, benefits

The Center for Family, School and Community Partnerships 435-8452

Office of Health Services and Wellness, Office of Early Childhood Education, Family Support, Office of Student Services, Student Support, Afterschool and Summer Enrichment Programs, Southwest Indiana College Access Network, and School-Community Council

Student Services

Work Permits, School Choice Transfers, Working Parent Transfers, School Transcripts, Duties and Liabilities Forms, Re-Entry Conferences, and Cash Tuition