



**El Camino Real  
Academy**  
FAMILY NEWSLETTER  
October 1, 2021

## IMPORTANT DATES

October 8 -11: Fall Break (no school)  
October 11: Virtual Book Fair begins  
October 13: HOWL Assembly  
October 14-15: Parent/Teacher  
Conferences  
October 29: October birthday  
celebrations  
October 29: Fall Festival

## Parent/Teacher Conference



## PARENT TEACHER CONFERENCES

Parent teacher conferences will be held on October 14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup>. Classes will not be held in order to give teachers and families enough time for their meetings. Secondary students will be required to complete assignments given by their teachers for those two days. More details will be available soon.

## SCHOOL SHIRTS

ECRA shirts that can be used as part of the school uniform are available for purchase. The sale will run from October 1st through October 17th. Shirts will take approximately two weeks to be delivered to ECRA after the sale ends.

<https://ecrawebstore-fall2021.itemorder.com/sale>



## WELCOME

Hello ECRA families! We hope everyone had a great week and is enjoying the cooler weather. Here is some important information for October. Please reach out to the school if you have any questions or concerns.



# Stop the spread of germs that can make you and others sick!



Wash your  
hands often



Cover your coughs  
and sneezes



Wear a mask



Get a COVID  
vaccine



Keep **6 feet** of space  
when possible



## ECRA STUDENT DAILY COVID-19 QUESTIONNAIRE (if you chose in-person learning)



**Each day before sending your child to school,** please review the following questions regarding your child's health.

If you answer yes to any of the questions:

**Please do not send your child to school.** Contact a medical provider or call the COVID Hotline at 855-600-3453, then call the health office at ECRA.

### Questions for ECRA Students Before They Go to School

1. Does your child currently have a temperature of over 100.4 degrees?
2. In the past 24 hours, has your child experienced:
  - Sore throat, runny nose, congestion
  - New frequent, dry cough (for students with documented chronic allergies/asthma, a change in baseline cough)
  - Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing
  - Diarrhea, vomiting
  - Loss of taste or smell
  - New onset of headache
  - Fatigue or muscle or body aches
3. Has your child recently been in close contact with anyone who has exhibited any of these symptoms?
4. Has your child recently been in contact with anyone who has tested positive for COVID-19?
5. Is anyone in the household waiting for COVID-19 test results? (routine surveillance testing not included)

Reviewing these questions daily and making good decisions can help us prevent the spread of COVID-19



Tuesday, October 5th is Tasting Tuesday with Ms. Rachel and Kids

Cook! The Tasting of the Month is Leeks which were grown at Chispas Farm in the South Valley of Albuquerque! Leeks are an excellent source of Manganese which helps our bodies make energy from the food we eat. Teachers will pass out the tasting to each students and pass out the Kids Cook! digital newsletter. Classes will vote if they "loved it", "liked it", or "tried it".

### OCTOBER BREAKFAST/LUNCH MENU



### LEARNING OPTIONS

As a reminder, ECRA is operating with 3 learning options for students.

Option A: Students are onsite

Monday through Friday

Option B: Students are fully remote

Option C: Students are in remote learning Monday through Thursday and onsite on Fridays.

Families are asked to remain in the option they chose for the remainder of the semester with one exception. If you decided to have your child attend school for in person instruction every day and you later decide you would like to change to remote learning, you may do so at any time. You would just need to complete the [Change Request for Remote Learning](#) form and your student will be moved.



If any family has a **positive case of COVID-19**, please contact Jennifer Mercer at 505-314-2212 as soon as possible. ECRA is required to report cases to the New Mexico Public Education Department. Thank you for helping us keep everyone safe!

