



Message from Admin

As we enter the final stretch of 2024, we want to take a moment to reflect on what has been a busy and productive start to the school year. From the hustle of classroom activities, to the excitement of extracurriculars, field trips, and athletic events, we have truly hit the ground running this fall. It has been wonderful to witness the energy and enthusiasm of our students, and the dedication of our teachers and staff who work tirelessly to create a positive and engaging learning environment.

As we head into December, we encourage everyone to take a deep breath and make time for rest and relaxation. The holiday season is the perfect opportunity to recharge, spend quality time with loved ones, and reflect on all that we've accomplished. It is important that we all take the time to care for ourselves, so we can return in the new year feeling refreshed and ready to tackle the challenges ahead.

We would also like to extend our heartfelt thanks to all of our students, parents, staff, and community members for your continued support throughout the first part of the year. Your involvement—whether it's attending events, volunteering, or simply encouraging students—makes a world of difference in fostering a strong, connected school community.

Looking ahead, we are excited for the opportunities and growth that await us in 2025. Together, we will continue to support each other and push forward to achieve great things.

Wishing you all a peaceful and joyful holiday season. Let's take this time to rest, reflect, and come back in the new year with renewed energy and determination.

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December

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

2 Bring Donations for the Interact Toy & Food Drive Day 2	3 Bring Donations for the Interact Toy & Food Drive Day 1	4 Bring Donations for the Interact Toy & Food Drive Day 2	5 Bring Donations for the Interact Toy & Food Drive Day 1	6 Bring Donations for the Interact Toy & Food Drive Day 2
9 Day 1	10 Day 2	11 Day 1	12 Board of Trustees Meeting 10-2pm Athabasca University Day 2	13 Day 1
16 Ugly Sweater Theme Day Day 2	17 Anything But A Backpack- Theme Day Day 1	18 Festive Hat- Theme Day Bake Sale @ lunch Day 2	19 Bake Sale @ lunch Day 1	20 PJs- Theme Day Day 2
23 C h r i s t m a s	24 B r e a k	25 MERRY CHRISTMAS	26 C h r i s t m a s	27 B r e a k
30 C h r i s t m a s	31 B r e a k	1	2 C h r i s t m a s	3 B r e a k



NEWS



If you have a graduate from the class of 2024, there is a Grad package available for them to collect at the front office. This package includes various items to celebrate their accomplishments, such as a certificate and a class photo.

Save with Save on Foods fundraising is now happening at EPC. When you purchase Save on Foods gift cards through EPC, your family will earn 10% back in fundraising money. This money can be used towards non-curricular fees that your child may have: yearbooks, sports, student council fees, grad fees, travel. This money will stay with your child until they leave EPC at which point the remaining balance will be transferred to our Food for Thought program.

Save on Foods gift cards can be purchased at EPC's business office or at the Athabasca Alberta Treasury Branch (ATB).

Family and friends may also purchase Gift Cards for your family.

The logo for Save on Foods, featuring the words "save", "on", and "foods" in a white, rounded, sans-serif font. The word "on" is enclosed within a white circle. The entire logo is set against a solid green background.

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foods



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NEED OF EMPTY
CONTAINERS WITH LIDS.
IF YOU HAVE ANY TO
SPARE, PLEASE FEEL FREE
TO DROP THEM OFF AT
THE OFFICE.**



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If you're interested in purchasing a yearbook for the 2024-2025 school year, please send an email to epcsecl@aspenview.org.

YEARBOOK

Athabasca Family Center

YOUTH CLUB EPC



MUST REGISTER TO JOIN

Limited spots available

3:30 pm to 5:00pm

Location: Room 109F EPC



Wednesday December 11, 2024
Craft - Christmas Craft

Students Grade 7 to Grade 9 only

**To register contact FCSS
phone: (780) 675-2623 or**

email: apotts@athabascacounty.com



EPC January 2025 Exam Schedule

Last day of SR High classes is Thursday, Jan. 16th

Date	Time	Exam	Room
Tuesday, January 14 th	9am – 12pm	ELA 30-1 Part A (Borris) ELA 30-2 Part A (MacKay)	RM 109H RM 109J
Wednesday, January 15 th	9am – 12pm 9am – 11:30am	SS 30-1 Part A (White) SS 30-2 Part A (Small) SS 30-2 Part A (White)	RM 206D RM 109H RM 109J
Friday, January 17 th	9am – 12pm	Math 30-1	RM 206F
		Math 30-2	RM 206D
Monday, January 20 th (Day 1)	9am – 12pm	ELA 30-1 Part B ELA 30-2 Part B	Gym
	12:30pm – 3pm	Math 10C Math 10-3	Gym
Tuesday, January 21 st (Day 2)	9am – 12pm	SS 30-1 Part B SS 30-2 Part B	Gym
	9am – 11am	Math 10-4/20-4 K&E	RM 206E
	12:30pm – 3pm	Math 20-1 Math 20-2 Math 20-3	Gym
Wednesday, January 22 nd (Day 1)	9am – 12pm	Biology 30	Gym
	9am – 12pm	SS 20-1 SS 20-2	
	9am – 11am	ELA 10-4/20-4/30-4	RM 206E
	12:30pm – 3pm	SS 10-1 SS 10-2	Gym
Thursday, January 23 rd (Day 2)	9am – 12pm	Chemistry 30	Gym
	9am – 11:30am	ELA 20-1 ELA 20-2	
Friday, January 24 th	9am – 12pm	Physics 30 (CAVE only)	CAVE
	9am – 11:30am	Biology 20 Science 14	206F 203J
	9am – 11am	Science 14/24 K&E	RM 206E
	12:30pm – 3pm	Science 10	109H – BK3 class 109J – BK4 class
Monday, January 27 th	9am – 12pm 9am – 11:30am	Science 30 (CAVE only) Chemistry 20 Physics 20	CAVE RM 206F RM 203D
Tuesday, January 28 th	9am – 11:30am	Alternate Date for Non-Diploma Exams due to Inclement Weather	Library

Note that Diploma Exams are colored in RED and up to double time is provided to complete them

All this week your Interact Club will be collecting every morning this week. Please donate if you are able.



SANTA'S ANONYMOUS

CHRISTMAS RUSH !

December 2nd - 6th

Spread some Christmas cheer to those less fortunate by making a donation!

DONATE:

- new/unused toys
- non-perishable food items

Donation bin will be in the foyer in the morning until the warning bell.

Thank You!



Your Edwin Parr Interact Club sent 12 awesome students to Extendicare to help decorate. So proud of this group!!





Sr. girls volleyball team had a fantastic season wrap-up with an amazing alumni game! It was a fun night filled with great memories and camaraderie. Thank you to everyone who came out to support them!



After a great season of volleyball, our Sr. Boys were off to zones in Westlock!



EPC held our Remembrance Day Ceremony to honour those who gave their lives to serve our country. A huge Thank You to the Royal Canadian Legion Branch #103, RCMP and Cadets for being a part of our ceremony.



Opening night was a huge success for
our Mainstage students.
#Romeo



Career Counsellor's CORNER

It is that time of the year for applying to post-secondary schools. If you would like to set up your Mypass and Apply Alberta accounts, please come see Mrs. Holdis.

Links:

MyPass:

<https://public.education.alberta.ca/PASI/myPass/welcome>

Apply Alberta:

<https://www.applyalberta.ca/>

2025 Graduation

Friday, May 23rd

9:00 am-1:00 pm- Set-up of Multiplex (fieldhouse and EPC Gymnasium)

1:30 pm: Grad Rehearsal-All Grads must attend

Saturday, May 24th Graduation Day

2:00 pm: All Grads need to be at the Multiplex in order to take the Grad Group Photo. Grads will be let into the Field house and the photo will be taken around 2:15 pm or so. If you are late, the group will NOT wait for you.

3:00 pm: The doors to the Field House will open to the public to settle into their seats.

3:40 pm: All Grads will assemble in the Curling Rink portion of the Multiplex to get in line for the walk-in for the ceremony.

4:00 pm: The Grad ceremony will start, with the walk-in of the Grads

5:40 pm – 5:50 pm: The Grad ceremony will be concluded.

6:15 pm: All Grads will assemble in the Field House of the Multiplex to get in line for the walk over for the parade.

6:30 pm: The Grad Parade to EPC.

6:30 - 9:30 pm: The Celebration - Prom 2025 at EPC.

Grade 12 students can join the Graduation Committee to help with the details. Please see Mrs. Holdis or Mr. Zinnick to sign up.



Dear Aspen View School District Students, Parents & Guardians,

We've partnered with Castle Rock Research to offer discounted Excelerator Diploma Preparation Courses to help students excel in diploma exams. **Aspen View School District will fund \$50/student/course and families will pay the remaining \$50/student/course.** Led by top educators on the SOLARO platform, these courses provide interactive learning, immediate feedback, and essential test-taking strategies. Each 20-hour course, delivered over 5 days, is fully aligned with Alberta's Program of Studies, offering device compatibility and interactive Q&A options. Click the button below to sign up or learn more.

Excelerator Diploma Preparation Course Aspen View School District Price \$100.00 **Mathematics 30-1**



- Mathematics 30-1 focuses on algebra, functions, trigonometry, and problem-solving using graphing calculators. This course builds confidence and enhances exam readiness.

Mathematics 30-2



- Mathematics 30-2 emphasizes logical reasoning, probability, and practical applications. It equips students with strategies for exams without requiring calculus knowledge.

Chemistry 30



- Covers thermochemical, electrochemical, and organic reactions. Hands-on practice and feedback enable students to grasp complex concepts and perform well on their exams.

Biology 30



- Explores biological systems, genetics, and population dynamics. The course strengthens students' scientific understanding and exam skills, emphasizing scientific literacy.

Physics 30



- Focuses on momentum, forces, and atomic physics. Interactive lessons build problem-solving and critical thinking skills essential for diploma exams.

English 30-1



- Enhances skills in analysis, comprehension, and communication. Includes practice for written responses and exam strategies, helping students construct strong, clear arguments

Social Studies 30-1



- Covers citizenship, identity, and ideologies, developing analytical and essay-writing skills. This course equips students with strategies to manage time effectively on exams.

Place Order

<https://castlerockresearch.com/excelerator-for-avps>

School Info



2024 2025 Junior High Bell Schedule

Period 1 8:35-9:15

Break 9:15-9:20

Period 2 9:20-10:00

Break 10:00-10:05

Period 3 10:05-10:45

Break 10:45-10:50

Period 4 10:50-11:30

Lunch 11:30-12:15

Period 5 12:15-12:55

Break 12:55-1:00

Period 6 1:00-1:40

Break 1:40-1:45

Period 7 1:45-2:25

Break 2:25-2:30

Period 8 2:30-3:10

2024 2025 Senior High Bell Schedule

Block 1 8:35-10:00

Break 10:00-10:05

Block 2 10:05-11:30

Lunch 11:30-12:15

Block 3 12:15-1:40

Break 1:40-1:45

Block 4 1:45-3:10

Creating Community

School Info



POWER SCHOOL APP

Power School provides real-time access to:

- Attendance
- Grades
- Assignments & Scores
- Standards Progress
- School Announcements
- Teacher Comments
- Grade Point Average
- Fee Transactions & Balance.

You can also use PowerSchool to register to receive email alerts for grades, attendance, assignments and more.

LOST AND FOUND

Please remember to check the lost and found by the bus doors for missing items and also at the front office.

