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We **encourage** all families/friends/community members to **continuously** check our school's website for up-to-date information. Click [HERE](#).

EMMS Reminders:

Attendance @ EMMS: In an effort to simplify and streamline the process of notifying the school of your child's absence, we have created a unique email address which parents can now use to send in their absentee notices. This will eliminate the need to call school and/or send in a handwritten note in the event of your child's absence. This process became effective on September 24, 2018. The email address is: emmsattendance@hcpss.org.

The exclusions to this are:

- If you are requesting 3 or more discretionary days, you must still complete a [Discretionary Absence Form](#) and sent it in to Student Services.
- If you are requesting a day for a religious holiday not identified by the Howard County Public School System school calendar, please complete a [Religious Obligation Form](#).

Student Late Arrival / Early Dismissal:

- **Late Arrival**
 - Students who arrive to school late (after the bells) **MUST** report to the Student Services Office and sign in.
- **Early Dismissal**
 - The last unscheduled Early Dismissal time:
 - FULL days - 2:50pm (only exception is for emergencies)
 - 1/2 days - 11:50am
 - If you arrive after that time, parent(s)/guardian(s) should wait for your student in the car loop for our dismissal.

- For more information click [HERE](#) and scroll down to appropriate information under School Overview.

EMMS Flu Clinic has been scheduled:

Ellicott Mills will offer a flu vaccination clinic for our students and staff only on Monday, October 21st. We are sending home consent forms with students on Monday, October 16th. If you want to have your child vaccinated, you must fill out a consent form and send it in to school. If you would prefer to complete this form online using CHROME or SAFARI, please go to this [LINK](#) and select Consent Form for STUDENTS. All consent forms **MUST BE SUBMITTED/RECEIVED BY SEPTEMBER 21st – NO EXCEPTIONS!**

EMMS Drama Presents – Peter Pan, Jr.:

Click [HERE](#) for more details.

EMMS Current/Important Information for All Families:

Click [HERE](#) to see up to date information for all EMMS families. For example: School Supply List, School Leadership Team, etc.

EMMS Fundraisers:

Click [HERE](#) to see all current and upcoming fundraisers.

Community News:

Please visit the [HCPSS Community News and Programs](#) page on its website for a complete list of announcements of upcoming events and programs sponsored by non-profit organizations. For ALL opportunities EMMS is aware of, please visit the EMMS website – click [HERE](#)

- **HCPSS Office of Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion**
 - [Hosting a community conversation on restorative justice on October 7 from 6:00 pm-9:00 pm in Rouse Theater @ Wilde Lake High School. Refreshments will be served from 6-6:30 pm.](#)
- **HOWARD HS**
 - [HoHS Color Fun Run - September 22nd @ 2pm](#)
 - [HoHS Arts & Crafts Show - October 5th @ 10am](#)
- **MT HEBRON HS**
 - [Mt. Hebron Homecoming News](#)
- **HCYP**
 - Ellicott Mills teams are participating again this year in HCYP's Middle School Basketball league and tryouts will be held sometime in September / October. Specific information can be found at <https://hcypbasketball.org/middle->

[school](#) if you are interested.

- **BOYS TRYOUTS**

- All tryouts will be held in the Ellicott Mills MS gym.
- 1st Round
 - Varsity (7th and 8th only) - Monday, September 9th at 7-8:30pm
 - JV (6th and 7th only) - Wednesday, September 11th at 7-8:30pm
- 2nd Round
 - Varsity (7th and 8th only) - Wednesday, September 18th at 7-8:30pm
 - JV (6th and 7th only) - Thursday, September 19th at 7-8:30pm

- **GIRLS TRYOUTS**

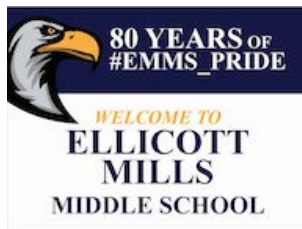
- All tryouts will be held in the Ellicott Mills MS gym.
 - Monday, September 23rd @ 7:30-9:00pm
 - Wednesday, September 25th @ 7:30-9:00pm
- **WINTER** Basketball December -> March
 - [HCYP Recreation Winter Basketball.pdf](#) (click to download)

Mark Your Calenders!!

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| Sept. 16 th | 7 th Grade Field Trip – Deadline to submit paperwork (click to download) |
| Sept. 16 th | Re-Screenings - 8 th Grade and New to EMMS Hearing and Vision |
| Sept. 18 th | Back to Music Night @ 6pm, EMMS Cafeteria & Music Classrooms |
| Sept. 24 th | EMMS Restaurant Night @ 5-9pm, Chick-Fil-A (Executive Park Dr.) |
| Sept. 30 th | Schools and Offices Closed |
| Oct. 2 nd | PTA Meeting @ 6:30pm, EMMS Media Center |
| Oct. 3 rd | 7 th Grade Field Trip – PA Renaissance Faire |
| Oct. 15 th -17 th | 6 th Grade Field Trip – Outdoor Ed |
| Oct. 21 st | EMMS Flu Clinic (<i>details coming home soon</i>) |
| Oct. 23 rd -24 th | EMMS Restaurant Night @ UNO's (Long Gate) |
| Oct. 25 th | 8 th Grade Field Trip – Washington, DC (<i>details coming home soon</i>) |
| Oct. 28 th | FALL School Photos (<i>details coming home soon</i>) |

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