

Edison Academy New Student Parent Orientation

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Mrs. Renee Peterson, Assistant Principal

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Mr.
Gormaz
Principal



Mrs.
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Principal





Ms.
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Outreach



Congratulations...

...on joining the Edison family for the 2025-2026 school year!

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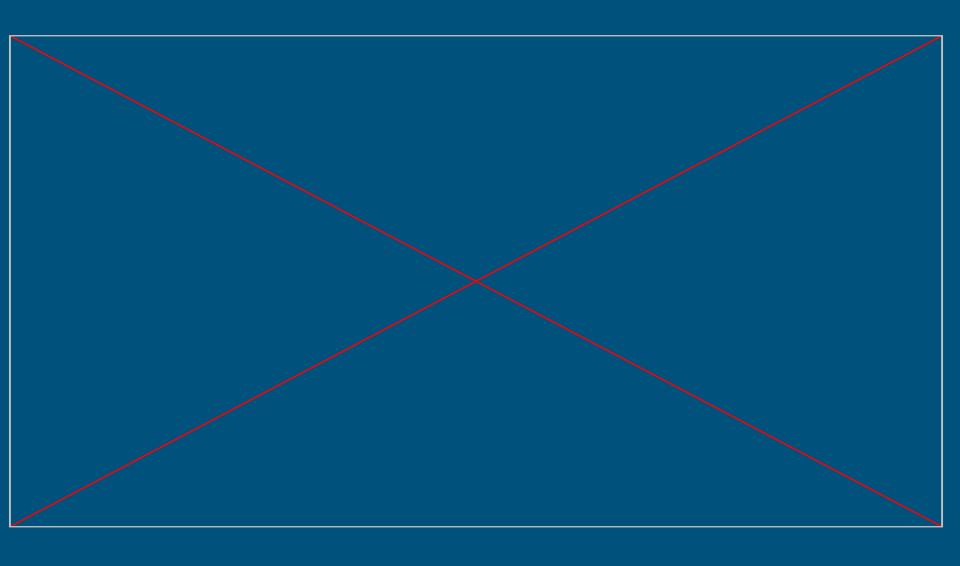
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Appointments can be scheduled with the front office.

Mr. Gormaz Video Message



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Ways you can make sure to stay connected:

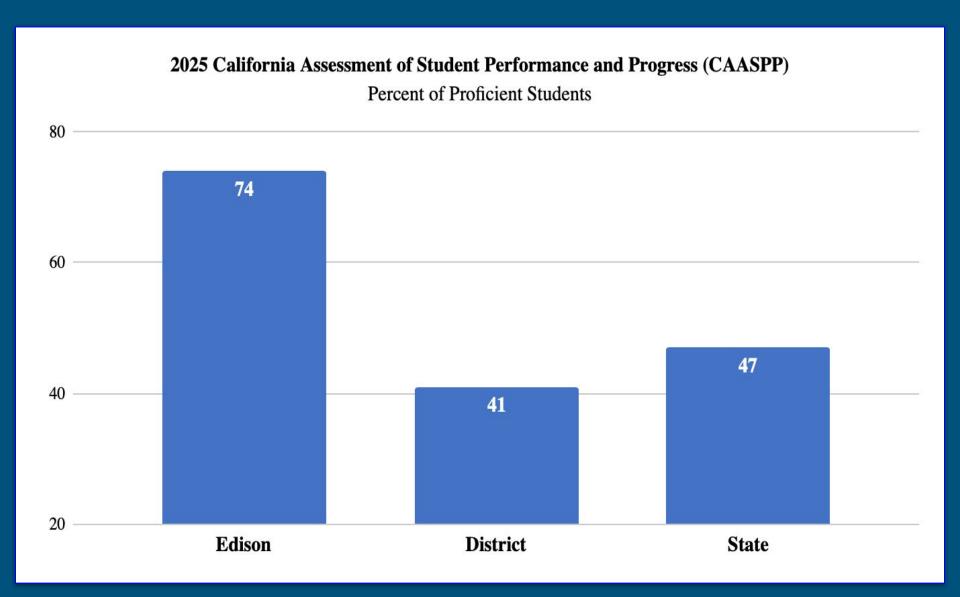
Classroom News and Announcements

- Sign up for Class Dojo (Tk 5th)
- Sign up for Parent Square (6th 8th)

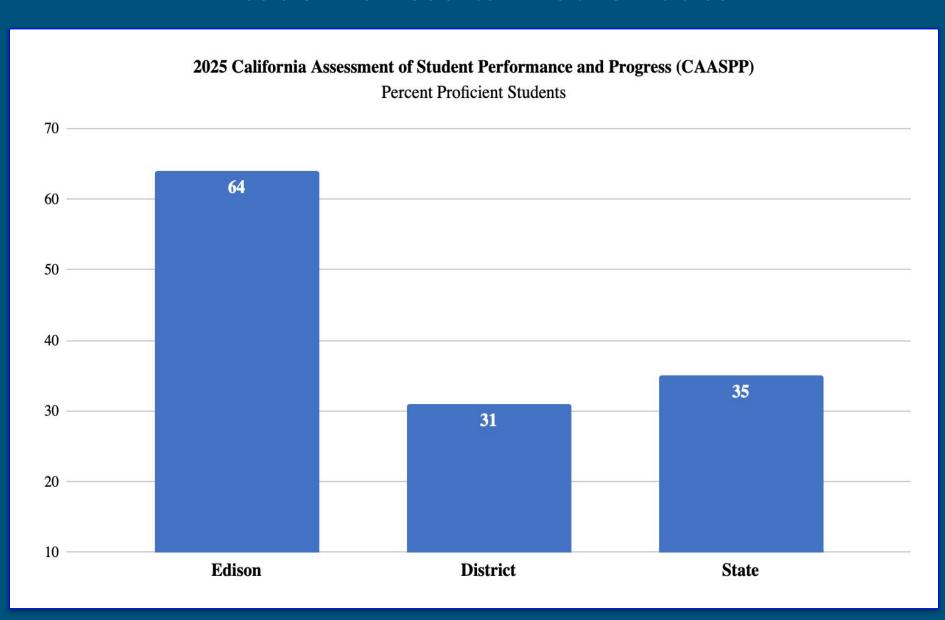
School News and Resources

- Sunday Message
 - Voice message sent weekly
 - Accompanying email with resources
 - Keep information current
 - https://parentconnect.omsd.net/pp/

Academic Results: English Language Arts



Academic Results: Mathematics



Gifted and Talented Education (GATE)

- All students are gifted and talented
- Regionally respected GATE program
- Staff training
- GATE thinking prompts
- All classrooms are GATE
- Differentiation
- GATE Advisory Council (August 21 @ 3:30 p.m.)

A Tradition of Excellence

We are counting on you to continue the tradition of excellence here at Edison!

Inland Valley's BEST Readers Choice Award Best Elementary School



Attendance Matters

Attendance Goal

No more than 5 absences this school year

<u>Time</u>

Morning bell rings at 7:55 a.m.

<u>Attendance Trimester Awards</u>

- Perfect means perfect no absences, no tardies
- Exemplary minor allowances still recognized
- Report absences to main office on day of

Good Standing Requirements

Transfer may be revoked due to poor attendance and/or behavior



For a Safe Curbside Drop-Off

- Sixth Street / Sultana is for drop off only
 - No parking on school-side curbs
 - Closed parking lot
- Edison staff will be visible in drop off area
- Pull all the way forward in line
- Students exit curbside
 - Infant car seats should go behind driver

Main Gate (#2) opens for students at 7:30 a.m.







For a Safe Gate Drop-Off

- Plan to arrive early do not rush
- Plan to use the crosswalk on Sixth and Sultana
- Park with this intersection in mind
- Avoid walking through parked vehicles
- Walk students to the front gate

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Breakfast and Lunch

Breakfast

- 7:30 -7:55 a.m.
- All students receive free breakfast and lunch
- Complete survey to support funding



Lunch

- 45 minute lunch
- Alert office of any allergies
- Supervised by Proctors and Administrative team
- Students may bring a home lunch

Please note:

- No third party food delivery
- Lunch drop offs should be for your student only

Afternoon Pick Up

- Dismissal
 - o 2:40 p.m.
 - 1:25 p.m. (Tuesday)
- 1st-4th Grade: dismissed on Sixth Street
- 5th 6th Grade: dismissed on Sultana

Many families park on the south side of Sixth Street or on Sultana South of the intersection or North of the pick up area.

Students should walk directly home. Two crossing guards are stationed at Sixth and Sultana.





Think Together Program

- After school program until 6:00 p.m.
- Spaces fill up quickly
- Enrollment in Think Together is separate from enrollment in regular school day
- Contact Christina Hoang, Program Lead
 909.331.8290, if interested



Academic Success

- Team effort
- Curiosity, hard work, fun
- Communication
- Establish routines
- Back-to-School preparation and supplies
- Partnership and Collaboration
 - Family backpack checks
 - Set goals
 - Importance of self-efficacy



Perseverance, Unity, Respect, Responsibility

- Positive Behavior Intervention and Supports (PBIS)
- Focus on the whole child
- Explicitly teach expected behavior
- Clear expectations
- PBIS points used as reward



Dress Code

- Clothes: must conceal undergarments and stomach when walking normally. No spaghetti straps, off-the-shoulder, low cut, or crop tops. Pants must be worn at waist
- Shorts/Skirts: Must cover when moving normally
- Shirts: No inappropriate designs and/or messages on shirts, regardless of cover-up garments

Dress Code continued...

 Shoes: No sandals, flip-flops, open-toed, or backless shoes, including crocs (even in sport mode)

 Hair/Nails: Should support full participation all school activities to support a focus on learning

Jewelry: Safety first

Cell Phone & Electronic Devices

- Put away and on silent mode
- Honor the privacy the others (no recording)
- Enforce home-school communication
- Teach appropriate digital citizenship

Policies to be signed in first day packet.

Extracurricular Activities

- Athletics Basketball, soccer, flag football, volleyball, baseball, and track and field
- **Extended Learning (ELOP)** Gardening, art, coding, chess, choir, theatre and many more
- District Competitions STEAM Symposium, chess, spelling, math and science
- Field Trips Two per year supported by our Parent Faculty Organization (PFO)
- PFO Hosted Events Trunk or Treat, dances, read-a-thon, craft nights and more

Mark Your Calendars

Back to School Night
Thursday, August 14 @ 5:30 p.m.

Parent Volunteer Orientation
Thursday, August 21 @ 9:00 a.m. *or*Wednesday, August 27 @ 5:00 p.m.

PFO Mixer Friday, August 22 @ 5:00 p.m.

<u>Coffee with the Principal</u>
Wednesday, September 10 @ 8:30 a.m.

