



eLearning Information

East Porter County School Corporation will be utilizing eLearning days to account for days missed due to inclement weather in the Spring of 2019 in the form of an eLearning weekend. Our first eLearning date is scheduled to take place on Saturday, April 6.

At this time, eLearning days will not take place on actual inclement weather days but only be used as scheduled make up days. Additional information will be provided if this policy changes.

All students will participate in virtual learning (eLearning day). Students will have access to their eLearning day assignments through Google Classroom. Participation in this day counts as one of our 180 required days for student instruction.

For Scheduled eLearning weekends- Teachers will make lessons available at 3PM (no earlier or later) on the Friday before an eLearning Weekend/Saturday.

Student work is to be completed and submitted before school on the following Tuesday. Attendance will be tracked for each eLearning day based on timely and sufficient assignment submission.

Teachers will work to prepare students for successful online learning. All students will have the opportunity to become comfortable learning in an online space as part of regular instruction.

Students and parents will be able to contact a teacher for instructional help during the office hours of 9AM to 3PM on the eLearning Saturday. Please contact the teacher via email.

Students and parents can access technology help by contacting our technology team. Dial your school's phone number and select option seven after the greeting.

On an elearning weekend, assignments are due before school begins on Tuesday.

A digital space at each campus will be open and available to students from 9AM-3PM on scheduled eLearning days to come in and complete work. Staff members will be available. Parents will be asked to accompany and remain with their children while utilizing the digital space.

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When will an elearning day be scheduled?

Each school will run a practice eLearning experience before the actual scheduled day. Our first scheduled eLearning day is April 6, 2019.

Is the eLearning day required?

The eLearning day for make up counts as one of our 180 days of school. East Porter County Schools has been approved by the Indiana Department of Education to utilize eLearning days.

Why is East Porter using eLearning days as make up days?

East Porter prides itself on our students' academic excellence. eLearning gives our students the opportunity to maintain continuity in their learning and gives as many instructional days before state assessments. Waiting until the end of the year to add instructional days does not offer the students the same opportunities.

How do I contact my teacher?

Please contact your teacher by email. Students can also contact the teacher through Google Classroom. Your teacher will be monitoring eLearning lessons from 9AM to 3PM on Saturday, April 6. Please be patient if you do not receive an immediate response.

How will attendance be taken?

You must submit the assigned work by the deadline given to be counted present for that day of instruction. You will be counted absent if you do not submit work in a timely manner.

How long do I have to complete assignments?

All work, virtual or offline, is due the Tuesday after an elearning Saturday/weekend.

What if I have no internet connection at home?

1. Talk to your teacher in advance of a scheduled day to arrange for accommodations.
2. Arrange to complete your lesson where wifi is available. [List of public wifi availability.](#)
3. Arrange to complete your lessons at the East Porter open digital space.
4. Visit the local public library.