

Happy New Year, ETS FAMILIES!!



2025



WHAT IS ETS?

Educational Talent Search is a federally funded program for eligible 6th-12th grade students at no cost Educational Talent Search provides academic support, career advisement, and financial aid counseling to eligible middle and high school students.

MEET THE STAFF

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Program Coordinator

What We Offer?

Cultural enrichment activities
Financial aid assistance
Self Awareness activities
SAT & ACT prep assistance
Community service projects
Afterschool tutoring
Summer camp
College application assistance and much more!

"The new year stands before us, like a chapter in a book, waiting to be written."
- Melody Beattie



ETS Recruitment

Educational Talent Search is actively seeking students in grades 6 through 10 from our designated schools.

****Middle Schools:**** Piedmont, McClintock, Sedgfield, Martin Luther King, Jr.

****High Schools:**** East Mecklenburg, North Mecklenburg, Garinger, Independence.

Enroll Today



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WEEKLY EVENTS

Academic Tutorial-
Every Tues/Thurs
4pm-8pm

Biology EOC Blitz
Every Tues/Thurs
@5pm via Zoom

Reminders

If you RSVP, please make sure to attend. Multiple no-shows WILL impact your future travel with ETS.

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Believe in yourself!

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UPCOMING EVENTS

- **Cultural Connection Saturday- Beat the Bomb Escape Room-** Sat. January 18th from 11am-1pm
ETS will provide admission into the venue only.
- **DIY Junk Socks & Service-** Wed January 29th 4pm- 6pm
This is a drop-in event

Life Skills for Middle School Students

- Social and emotional skills: Self-esteem, empathy, respect, self-advocacy, and handling emotions
- Communication skills: Problem solving, critical thinking, and effective communication
- Goal setting: Setting and achieving goals, and planning ahead

"Nothing is impossible, the word itself says 'I'm possible!' —Audrey Hepburn



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S.M.A.R.T Goals

SMART goals are a framework for setting goals that are specific, measurable, achievable, relevant, and time-bound. SMART goals can help middle school students challenge themselves academically while staying motivated and engaged in their learning.

Here are some tips for setting SMART goals:

- Make it specific: Describe your goal in detail so that it is clear and tangible.
- Make it measurable: State how you will assess whether you have met your goal.
- Make it attainable: Justify why you think it's possible for you to achieve your goal.
- Make it relevant: Ensure your goal is relevant to your current class, lesson, or degree.
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TRIO EDUCATIONAL TALENT SEARCH

BECOME A Student Ambassador

WHAT WE NEED...	WHAT YOU NEED...	INCENTIVES
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2-4 Students from each TARGET Middle/High School who are willing to recruit & promote ETS to other students • Students who Participate in current ETS activities/events • Students who are Outgoing & well mannered 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To be in Good Academic Standings at current school • To Have PARTICIPATED in the ETS program for at least a year • To be in good disciplinary standings at current school • Attend/assist TRIO-ETS activities/events 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1st to Get Free Exclusive ETS Merchandise • Trip/Activity Input • Gain Leadership Skills • Obtain volunteer hours

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<https://forms.gle/ari9MaR8kMcQ78Jn6t>

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January 24th.
HS Students who RSVP'd
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office by 7am.

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Scholarships

**What are first generation students
scholarships?**

First generation students scholarships
are financial aid for college created
specifically for first generation
students students. First generation
students scholarships can help
students attain higher education
opportunities that otherwise may be
out of reach due to financial reasons.
All scholarships are free money for
college that you don't have to pay
back.

No Essay Scholarship-

www.sallie.com/scholarships/no-essay

"Anyone who has never made a mistake has
never tried anything new" (Albert Einstein)



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