



EEG News & Updates

A Message from the CEO

Lately, there has been a gradual increase of negative occurrences and unsettling news in our nation, state and communities. Becoming inundated with negative reports can easily trigger stress and anxiety in our personal and professional lives. During this season, my prayer is for you to have peace in every area of your life. May you experience solace and tranquility during this holiday season. I hope you have the opportunity to decompress, relax and take care of yourself during the upcoming winter break. I sincerely appreciate your commitment to excellence and value your dedication to EEG. May peace be yours!



Wendy Rydarowicz, Founder and CEO

EEG's New Look



Elevating the Experience has been the focus of EEG and each school we serve. In our quest to improve, we have changed the EEG logo to reflect the core values of the company which are as follows:

- We **Elevate** charter schools.
- We **Empower** students.
- We **Emulate** research based practices.
- We **Engage** community stakeholders.

Our foundational pillars are embedded within these four highlighted power verbs. It encompasses everything we do, as we strive to be a cutting edge school management company. We will practice these actions in every department to be impactful, creative, collaborative and effective. We endeavor to foster inventive practices to promote positive outcomes. We would like to acknowledge Janet Pahlau for the creation of the new logo. Your talent and attention to detail are amazing!

We Are a Community!

Did you know that we have over 125 community partnerships among our schools? Our students and families receive a variety of wrap-around services, which include, but is not limited to food distribution, clothing distribution, medical care, legal assistance, boys and girls mentorship programs, mental health services, tutoring and after school clubs. We aspire for our students to have a well-rounded school experience by helping them to achieve while meeting their immediate needs. Our Director of Community Engagement, Tracy Carter, is leading this charge. We will continue to forge community partnerships and provide services for our students and families. We expect our partnerships to increase significantly.



“I alone cannot change the world, but I can cast a stone across the waters to create many ripples.” – Mother Teresa



The RCA House System School Spotlight

This month, East Bridge Academy of Excellence is in the spotlight for its implementation of the RCA House System. The House Roll Out included the faculty, staff, students, parents, and members of the community. Excitement filled the air as the East Bridge Drumline saluted and celebrated each student's house assignment.

During the month of November, the 4 Houses of East Bridge modeled kindness and empathy by conducting a canned food drive. Each house competed to see who would collect the most food. Congratulations to **Altruismo** (The Black House) for acquiring the

highest number of non-perishable items. All food products were donated to families in need. Under the leadership of Principal Lisa Lewis, there are many more House System community projects on the horizon.



Education...

The Educational Empowerment Group

is doing what's best for kids!

A collage of seven photos showing students in various educational settings. The photos include: a girl in a blue hijab smiling at a table; a student working on a project; a student reading a book; a student working on a project; a student working on a project; a student working on a project; and a group of three girls smiling and holding pink backpacks.

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