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Our Story

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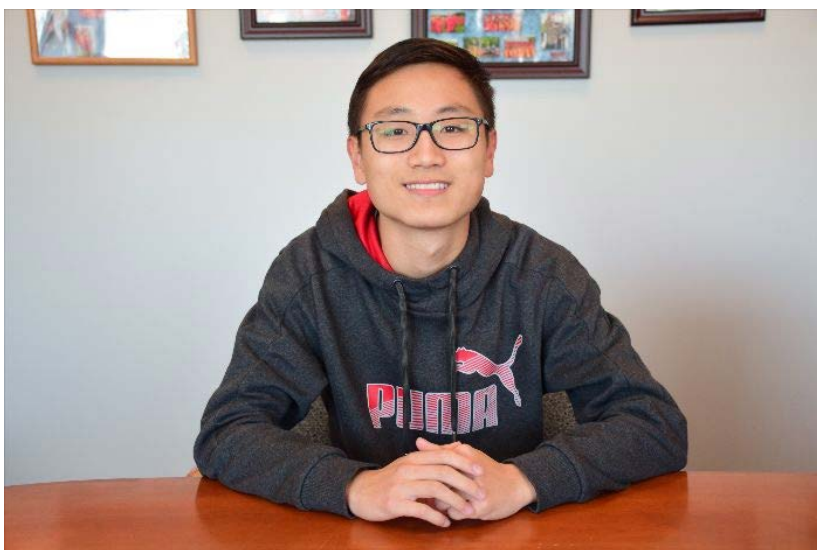


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Student Spotlight



Sachem East Student Earns Regeneron Scholar Honors

Sachem High School East senior Vincent Zhang has been named a Regeneron Science Talent Search Scholar by the Society for Science & the Public. Vincent was one of 300 esteemed young scientists selected from a group of 1,964 applicants spanning 601 high schools in 48 states, two U.S. territories and eligible students living in seven other countries. ([read more](#))

Curriculum Update

Recognizing the diverse academic needs that are essential to the success of our students, the Sachem Central School District has developed a new Elementary Math Workshop curriculum aligned with the requirements of the New York State Education Department's revised Mathematics Learning Standards. Also, learn more about the expansion of the World Language program to seventh grade and our digital literacy enhancement at this

link: <http://www.sachem.edu/News/#73833>



Featured News

Students at Sachem High School East have been showcasing their culinary expertise recently during a World Cooking class that guides students through an expansive introduction to cuisines and cultures from around the world.





Students across each Sachem Central School District middle school have recently participated in the Project Kindness initiative led by seniors in Jonathan Chiramonte's Peer Education class at Sachem High School North.

At Cayuga Elementary School, third-graders in Stacy Heinz's class took the fundamentals of direction to new heights when they created miniature cities that were paired with a unique piece of educational technology to practice cardinal and intermediate directions.



Fueled by creativity and collaborative inspiration, first-grade students in Kendra Bernagozzi's class at Hiawatha Elementary School visited the building's STEAM room to participate in several challenging hands-on activities with their classmates.

Hands-on activities were plentiful at Seneca Middle School during a visit from Sachem Public Library members that introduced students to a number of new technology-based learning devices and low-tech building components.



For the second consecutive year, Superintendent of Schools Dr. Kenneth Graham and various members of the administration visited each school building throughout the Sachem Central School District to gain valuable insight on building culture and student concerns through student roundtable discussions.

An improbable run as the fifth seed in the tournament resulted in a team championship for Sachem East wrestling.





At Suffolk Community College West on Sunday, Jan. 20, Sachem East found itself in a position familiar to past players that felt brand new to this year's team: atop the podium in League I with a total of 104 points ahead of Longwood (72 points), Ward Melville (71 points) and Sachem North (58 points). The victory is the fourth consecutive league title for Sachem East and its eighth victory in the last 13 years.

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Announcements

Private or Parochial School Registration for Transportation

Effective immediately, we will begin accepting applications for private school transportation for the 2019-2020 school year ahead of the April 1st deadline (as per NYS Law).

[Click here to view the requirements](#)

Letter from the Superintendent - Closing or Delay of School

[Click here to read the letter](#)

February 18-22

Schools Closed—Mid Winter Recess



Instant facts, stats and thoughts from the desk of Dr. Graham.

- This month, a group comprised of Sachem teachers, administrators, members of the Legislative Committee and myself attended the 2019 SCSSA Advocacy Workshop to advocate for the students of Sachem.



- Did you know, the recent Regeneron Science Talent Search Scholar, Vincent Zhang, a senior at Sachem High School East, is one of only six Sachem students to ever receive this honor. (see news story above)
- Securing big wins in their respective sports this month were the Sachem High School East wrestling team, who took home the League I and Section XI Dual Meet championships, and the Sachem High School East girls winter track team, who were named League champions.
- Traveling throughout the district, I see with great excitement students engaged in activities and initiatives utilizing our new laptop carts for projects in research, coding and more.
- This month we celebrated the PTA and all they do for us!



Board of Education

The Board of Education is composed of nine community members elected by district residents to serve overlapping three-year terms of office. The Board has the responsibility to ensure that all students receive the best education possible, as well as to express and represent the views of the community in matters affecting education.



Upcoming Meetings

February 13, 2019

BOE Regular Meeting 7:30 PM

Samoset MS - Board Room

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February 27, 2019

BOE Regular Meeting 7:30 PM

Samoset MS - Board Room

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Recent Presentations

[Tri-State Consortium-Updates - January 9, 2019](#) - **NEW!**

[SEL - "Educating The Whole Child" - December 12, 2018](#)

[BOE Code of Conduct - November 14, 2018](#)

[Security Update - November 14, 2018](#)

[17-18 Climate Survey Overview & Academic Performance Data - October 24, 2018](#)

[Curriculum and Instruction Update - October 10, 2018](#)

[Threat, Vulnerability, and Risk Assessment Presentation - September 12, 2018](#)

Board of Education Goals[Read more about it here](#)

Calendar

View Upcoming Events

Mission Statement

The Sachem Family (students, parents, employees and residents) works interdependently to develop leaders of great character who are highly competent, confident and caring. Most importantly we are motivating our students to become the best possible version of themselves.

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