



# Emma Jewel Charter Academy

"Helping the Village Raise the Child"

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## Save the Date!

### February 12, 2014

Valentine's Day Dance  
5:30 P.M.  
Grades 5-7  
Emma Jewel Charter

### February 17, 2014

President's Day  
No School  
Student Holiday

### February 17, 2014

Governing Board Meeting  
5:30 P.M.  
Room G-101  
Emma Jewel Charter

### February 27, 2014

GrandParent Again  
Sheriff Wayne Ivey  
Presentation  
5:00 P.M.-7:00 P.M.  
Emma Jewel Charter

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## Principal's Message

Parents,

### The Importance of Reading

I would like encourage you to read with your children or encourage them to read for a minimum of 20 minutes each night. Reading improves a child's vocabulary, leads to more highly developed language skills and improves the child's ability to write well. Children learn new words as they read but also because they unconsciously absorb information as they read about things, like how to structure sentences and how to use words and language effectively. Reading also develops a child's imagination. When we read, our brains translate the descriptions we read of people, places and things into pictures. When we're engaged in a story, we're also imagining how the characters are feeling. We use our own experiences to imagine how we would feel in the same situation. If you have any questions about creative ways to read with your children at night please contact Ms. Ingram, our reading coach. She will be glad to provide fun and engaging reading strategies you can use at home with your child.

Thomas Cole, M. Ed.  
Principal



### Emma Jewel Charter Academy Heart and Health Pledge

As a dedicated member of the Emma Jewel Charter Academy,

I pledge my commitment to achievement and service.

I pledge to make healthy choices, personally and socially, because I respect myself, other people and my environment.

**My choices reflect my character.**

I pledge to nurture myself, so that I am capable of nurturing my family, my friends and my community.

**By helping others, we help ourselves.**

I pledge to value the opportunity to learn, and to respect and support the efforts of my teachers.  
**Education is the gateway to success.**

I pledge to recognize that each day is a new opportunity to better myself, and the world I live in.

**This is my choice.**

**This is my pledge.**

# Breakfast



# Lunch

<p>RASIN BRAN Mozzarella String Cheese Spiced Grahams Blended Fruit Juice Choice of Milk</p>	<p><b>Monday</b> <b>February 03, 2014</b></p>	<p>BEAN &amp; CHEESE BURRITO Salsa Cup Whole Kernel Corn 100% Juice Orange Sorbet Choice of Milk</p>
<p>BREAKFAST BURRITO Fresh Banana Taco Sauce Choice of Milk</p>	<p><b>Tuesday</b> <b>February 04, 2014</b></p>	<p>PEPPERONI PIZZA Green Beans Cinnamon Applesauce Choice of Milk</p>
<p>CHEESY EGG POTAO &amp; TURKEY SAUSAGE INCREDI-BOWL Banana Muffin Fresh Orange Choice of Milk</p>	<p><b>Wednesday</b> <b>February 05, 2014</b></p>	<p>MEATLOAF W/TOMATO SAUCE &amp; MASHED POTATOES Whole Wheat Bread Diced Peaches Snickerdoodle Cookie Choice of Milk</p>
<p>WAFFLES Mozzarella String Cheese Fresh Pear Syrup, Margarine Choice of Milk</p>	<p><b>Thursday</b> <b>February 06, 2014</b></p>	<p>CHICKEN DRUMSTICK W/POTATO ROUNDS Breadstick, Maple Baked Beans Fresh Orange BBQ Sauce, Ketchup Choice of Milk</p>
<p>MINI WHEATS LITTLE BITES Mozzarella String Cheese Applesauce Cup Choice of Milk</p>	<p><b>Friday</b> <b>February 07, 2014</b></p>	<p>SPAGHETTI &amp; MEATBALLS Broccoli Florets, Light Ranch Dressing Fresh Banana Choice of Milk</p>



## Heart & Health Award Winners



- K-Javen Smiley-Peredello
- K-Talyah McGhee
- 1st-Summer Snaith
- 2nd-Zanaisa Taber
- 2nd-Yalanti Wilson
- 4th-Ramon Vega
- 5th-Amari Henderson
- 6th-Keshon Wright
- 7th-Arron Soloman
- Jewels Class-Jeremiah Duncan