



Extended Learning Opportunities for Students (ELOS) at Proviso West 2019 - 2020

ELOS is dedicated time outside of regular instruction to help students succeed and/or extend their learning. It is part of a systematic process to ensure that students receive the additional time and support needed to learn at high levels. Students may choose the ELOS activity that best fits their needs, unless they are specifically assigned to sessions to make up work or participate in interventions. If students are assigned to ELOS to make-up exams or complete missing assignments, failure to attend may forfeit their opportunity to make up the work. Otherwise, there is no penalty for missing ELOS.

ELOS is an opportunity for students to:

- Receive small group and/or individualized instruction from teachers
- Allow students to make up exams and classwork
- Engage in enrichment activities
- Meet with counselors & social workers
- Utilize library resources
- Prepare for the PSAT and SAT
- Receive targeted instruction to improve literacy and math skills

ELOS Schedule

Each month faculty and staff will have an opportunity to share what activities or skills students will be able to work on during ELOS. This information will be used to create an ELOS schedule. On this schedule faculty and staff will be able to designate whether they will be providing open support/activities or closed support/activities. "Open" means any student in your class or on your caseload who needs support can come. No pass needed. "Closed" means that specific students were given a pass to attend a session. This typically occurs when giving a re-take for an exam, running groups, or providing targeted instruction for a specific skill, etc. The ELOS schedule will be posted around the building, shared with staff, parents & students via email, and uploaded on the school website on a monthly basis.

Transportation

For students who receive bus service, there are special ELOS buses that bring them to school. The bus schedule can be found on the school webpage (www.pths209/west). Look for the icon of a bus at the bottom of the webpage. Then, click on the "[2019-2020 Bus Routes-Proviso West](#)" link at the bottom of the page. The ELOS bus pick up locations and times are in the last two columns on the right of the chart.



Time

ELOS is held weekly, during period 1, from 8:00 am – 8:50 am on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, & Thursdays. Students can only enter the building through E Circle during ELOS.

Questions

Questions about specific ELOS activities can be directed to department chairs or teachers hosting the activity or support sessions. General questions about ELOS can be directed to Dionne Jefferson (djefferson@pths209.org) or Dr. Jeremiah (mjeremiah@pths209.org).