

Student Clubs - Organizations & Societies						
School Year 2017-2018						
Organization	Advisor	Day	Times Per Month	Time	Location	Mission Statement
ACE Club	Kretzmer, L	Mondays	Every Monday of the Month	1. 10th Period	125	Actively Caring at Edison (ACE) embodies a school-wide movement that aims to generate positivity and further promote a more mindful, compassionate, and empathetic school culture. The mission is to maintain a school environment where faculty and students are aware, acknowledge one another for being kind and pay it forward. The ultimate goal is to uphold a world of which we can be proud.
Anime Club	Anderson, E	Wednesdays	Every Wednesday of the Month	1. 02:30 PM - 04:30 PM	116	The goal of Anime Club is to bring together fans of Japanese Anime & Manga to discuss issues in the "Otaku" culture. We watch anime shows and movies, play video and card games, organize tournaments, and attend conventions.
Bhangra Club	Sharma, P	Tuesdays & Thursdays	Every Tuesday & Thursday of the Month	1. 09th Period 2. 10th Period	215	To expose students of various cultures to the punjabi folklore dance, Bhangra.
Chattering Chicks	Jackson, R	Wednesdays	Every 2nd & 4th Wednesday of the Month	1. 03:20 PM - 04:20 PM	138/113	The mission of Chattering Chicks girls mentoring club is to provide young females between the ages of 13-21 with the coping skills to learn more about their inner selves. We focus on topics such as self-esteem, positive reinforcements, body image, self-love, relationships, family matters and surviving high school and beyond. The group provides a snack or meal while in session and discussion takes places during the chat and eat. Trips focusing on self-esteem, health related issues and relaxation and stress are conducted throughout the year.
Cheerleading and Dance Team	Peruffo, K	Tuesdays & Wednesdays	Every Tuesday & Wednesday of the Month	1. 03:20 PM - 05:00 PM	104	To promote school spirit at Edison High School. To cheer and to perform at games and gym shows. The Dance team also performs at various school events.
Chess	Sultana, K	Fridays	Every Friday of the Month	1. 09th Period	303	The Edison Chess Club provides students with an opportunity to meet peers with a similar interest, allow them to broaden their chess playing abilities, coach each other, make new friends and have fun.
Chorus	Bolender, A	Wednesdays	Every Wednesday of the Month	1. 02:30 PM - 04:30 PM	G39	To encourage students to sing and dance. Students learn how to sing with proper vocal technique. Students perform at many school events.
College & Career Readiness Club	Kaur, K	Mondays	Every Monday of the Month (Fall Term)	1. 03:15 PM - 04:15 PM	114B	Students who are looking for an opportunity to get a head start on their career/college application. Career guidance is being offered to students who are interested in learning about the possible requirements for their future choices and answer any question.
Drama Club	Clark B	Wednesdays & Thursdays	Every Wednesday & Thursday of the Month	1. 02:30 PM - 04:30 PM	216B	To dispel the notion that a CTE school can't also have a strong arts program, and to allow to students the opportunity to express themselves creatively and artistically in an inclusive setting.
Glamour Gals + Guys	Kaur, K	Tuesdays & Wednesday	Every Tuesday & Thursday of the Month	1. 03:20 PM - 04:20 PM	122	Our mission is to inspire and organize teen volunteers to provide companionship and Complimentary beauty makeovers to women living in senior homes. We are creating a movement of compassionate teen Leaders.
HOSA	Savitzky, M	Wednesdays	Every 1st Wednesday of the Month	1. 09th Period 2. 10th Period	305	The mission of HOSA is to enhance the delivery of compassionate, quality health care by providing opportunities for knowledge, skill and leadership development of all health science education students, therefore, helping the student meet the needs of the health care community.
KEY Club	Loveras, E	Tuesday	As Needed	9th & 10th Period	115	Key Club members around the world are learning how to lead and stand for what's right through service and volunteerism. In partnership with their local Kiwanis club, high school students are making a positive impact as they serve others in their schools and communities.
Minorities United Club	Ms. Jackson	Mondays	Every Monday of the Month	1. 3:30-4:30	120	Helping to raise awareness, give back to the school community. Learn and grow together as a team.
Muslim Student Organization	Ahmed, K	Tuesdays	Every Tuesday of the Month	1. 10th Period	G26B	Learn about the Five Pillars of Islam. Develop presentation skills; observe culture and moderate interpretation of Islamic rules.
National Honor Society	Petroutsos, M	Wednesdays	Every 2nd Wednesday of the Month (for Members). One Wednesday a Month (for Board Members).	1. 09th Period 2. 10th Period	G39/ 120	Giving back to the community through service and participation, while training the leaders of tomorrow for a bright future. We promote members to exemplify the highest standards of scholarship, leadership, service and character. We offer peer tutoring to help struggling students achieve success in content areas and assessments.
Poetry Club	Lagmay, P	Fridays	Every Friday of the month	1. 03:30 PM - 04:30 PM	227	Our mission is to foster the development of Thomas Edison's poets and writers. We promote communication through the written and spoken word and help create an environment in which diverse experiences and ideas can be appreciated by the widest possible audience.

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Science Club	Ferreira, A Lee, S	Tuesdays	Every Tuesday of the Month	1. 03:30 PM - 04:15 PM	303	Our mission is to bring together students who are interested in science to perform different activities and experiments to demonstrate various science principles.
New York State Science Honor Society	Marsh, N	Thursdays	Every 1st & 3rd Thursday of the Month	1. 03:30 PM - 04:15 PM	303	Its purpose is to encourage an interest and understanding of science and science-related careers, as well as to recognize the academic achievement in science of high school students.
Senior Council	Baker, S	Meetings as Needed	As Needed	9th Period	G33	The Senior Council assists the Senior Class Advisor in the decision-making, planning and implementation of various senior events and activities.
Skills USA	Kaloo, J	Wednesdays	Every 2nd Wednesday of the Month	1. 09th Period 2. 10th Period	114A	SkillsUSA improves the quality of America's skilled workforce through a structured program of citizenship, leadership, employability, technical and professional skills training. SkillsUSA enhances the lives and careers of students, instructors and industry representatives as they strive to be champions at work. SkillsUSA serves more than 300,000 students and instructors annually. The organization has 13,000 school chapters in 54 state and territorial associations. More than 14,500 instructors and administrators are professional members of SkillsUSA.
Student Council	Collado, E	Tuesdays	Every 1st & 3rd Monday of the Month	1. 09th Period	121	The Student Council is in charge of overseeing all the extracurricular activities within the Edison School Community. The executive officers, and members at-large act as liaisons between the student body and the administration of the school. The Student Council helps plan trips, clubs, and other schoolwide activities.
Tech / Sound Crew	Haripersaud, N	Thursdays	Every 4th Thursday of the Month	1. 09th Period	G7A	Sound / Tech Crew is for motivated students with interest in audio and lighting equipment. The purpose of this club is to introduce students to the world of audio and teach them the various types of equipment that is used in the professional audio environment. Students will learn how to properly setup our new audio equipment, configure the equipment for the appropriate environment. Students will also learn to troubleshoot audio technical difficulties, learn to operate the state equipment and utilize the lighting equipment for events.
National Technical Honor Society	Bell, A	Twice Monthly	Meeting as Needed	1. 03:30 PM - 04:30 PM	111 / Auditorium	To honor student achievement and leadership in career and technical education, promote educational excellence, award scholarships, and enhance career opportunities for the NTHS membership. To be the international leader in providing recognition for excellence in career and technical education.
Photography Club	Perez, E	Thursdays	Every Thursday of the Month	1. 09th Period 2. 10th Period	G25	The mission of the Photography Club is to provide a supportive environment for interested photography students to share their creativity, knowledge and passion for photography while attending Thomas A. Edison Career and Technical High School. We will explore the connection between the eye, the camera and the surrounding by fostering the growth of artistic vision and technical knowledge. The club will provide an informal, friendly, and supportive environment for photographers at all levels of experience and with any photography equipment. The club will hold regular workshops and discussions and organize events such as; photo-walks, field trips (ICP.ORG), museum (MOMA) and gallery visits. Members will also explore the possible opportunities for photography projects in collaboration with other departments (Yearbook), organizations (SkillsUSA, GlamourGals, NTHS). Members will organize peer to peer portfolio reviews and explore the possibilities of entering in competitions (SkillsUSA) and exhibitions on and off the high school with rewards for selected pieces. Members that are selected to be part of this club will have to be passing all classes and come with positive recommendations from their instructors. A maximum of 20 active students can participate in this club.
Teens @ Service	Baker, S	TBD	Meeting as Needed	1. 9th Period	120	Teens at Service is a club whose sole purpose is to help. The members find worthy causes within the school and community and perform acts of service, such as park clean-ups, charity walks, Toys for Tots and volunteering at the TCS New York City Marathon.
Web Club	Ms. Kuntz	Thursdays	Every Thursday of the Month	1. 10th Period	213	The goal of the web club is to develop coding, communication, collaboration, writing and presentation skills working with external clients on the development of content management system sites using Wordpress, Dreamweaver and file management systems.