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# **WELCOME BACK TO SCHOOL**

#### PHYSICAL EXAMS/IMMUNIZATIONS:

- 1. Physical exams are mandated by the Illinois School Code for grades K, 6, 9, and for all students new to the Pikeland School System. Evidence of such physicals for these grades should be presented by the opening day of school. Students will be excluded from school if not in compliance.
- 2. Immunizations and appropriate boosters are required for all students in the district regardless of age or grade.
- 3. <u>Compliance dates are</u>:
- South School (K, 1, & 2) Friday, August 17<sup>th</sup>, 2018
- PCS Thursday, September 6th, 2018
- PHS Friday, August 24th, 2018
- Pre-K. Tuesday, August 28th, 2018

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
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			1	2	3	4
5	6 PHS Marching Band Camp 7:00-12:30 PCS Marching Band Camp 1:30-3:30 South School & PCS Reg. 9:00-1:00	REGISTRATION PCS 9:00-12:00         7           PCS 6th Grade 6:00-7:00         South School 9:00-12:00; 4:00-7:00           PHS 9:00-11:00; 1:00-3:00; 5:00-7:00         PHS Marching Band Camp 7:00-12:30           PCS Marching Band Camp 1:30-3:30         STAMP Day @ PHS for Freshmen	REGISTRATION PHS 9:00-11:00; 1:00-3:00 South School & PCS 9:00-12:00 PHS Marching Band Camp 7:00-12:30 PCS Marching Band Camp 1:30-3:30	REGISTRATION South School 9:00-12:00 PCS 9:00-12:00; 5:00-7:00 PHS Marching Band Camp 7:00-12:30	<b>10</b> Pre-K Screening @ Orr Hall	PCS 7th & 8th Grade Boys Baseball vs. New Berlin @ PCS 10:00
12	13	Meet the Teacher Night South School 5:30-7:00 PCS & PHS 6:00-7:30 Teacher's Institute - NO CLASSES PCS 7th & 8th Grade Baseball vs. Griggsville/Perry @ PCS 4:30	15 Teacher's Institute - NO CLASSES PHS Boys Golf vs. West Central (Co-op) @ Winchester 4:00 PCS 7th & 8th Grade Baseball vs. Unity @ Unity 4:30	1ST FULL DAY OF SCHOOL GRADES 1-12 16	1ST FULL DAY OF SCHOOL KINDERGARTEN <b>17</b> PHS Football Scrimmage 6:00 PCS Baseball @ Quincy Catholic 4:30 South School Compliance Day for Immunization & Physicals Classes Dismissed 45 minutes early	<b>18</b> PHS Boys Golf vs. Macomb Invitational @ Macomb Country Club 8:00
19	1ST FULL DAY OF SCHOOL PRE-K 20 PHS Boys Golf @ Carrollton 4:00 PCS Baseball @ Virginia 4:30 Classes Dismissed 45 minutes early	21 PCS Baseball @ Carthage 4:30 PHS Girls Golf vs. QND @ Quincy 3:00 PHS Volleyball vs. Southeastern @ PHS 6:00 Classes Dismissed 45 minutes early	School Board Meeting 7:30 <b>22</b> Classes Dismissed 45 minutes early	PCS Back to School Pool Party <b>23</b> Grades 3-5 5-7pm Grades 6-8 7-9pm PHS Boys Golf vs. QHS @ Quincy 4:00 MAP Testing 6-8 PCS Baseball vs. Carrollton @ PCS 4:30	PHS Football Parents Cookout 24 @ 5:30 24 PHS Compliance Day for Immunization & Physicals PCS Baseball @ Bluffs 4:30 PHS Varsity Football vs. Riverton @ Pittsfield 7:00	SAT Testing TBA 25 PCS Baseball vs. Quincy JH @ PCS (DH) 10:00 PHS Girls Golf Inv. vs. Alton Marquette @ Alton 1:00 PHS F Football @ New Berlin TBA
26	27 PCS Baseball @ Pleasant Plains 4:30 PHS JV Football @ Riverton 6:00	Pre-K Compliance Day for Immunization & Physicals <b>28</b> PHS Volleyball vs Calhoun @ PHS 6:00 PHS Boys Golf vs. QND @ Quincy 3:30 PCS Baseball @ Camp Point 4:30 PHS Girls Golf @ Auburn 4:00	29 PHS Boys Golf vs. Rushville/Industry @ Rushville 4:00 PCS Baseball vs. Our Saviors @ PCS 4:30	PCS Baseball vs SE @ PCS 4:30 <b>30</b> PHS Volleyball @ Carrollton 6:00 <b>30</b> PHS Boys Golf vs. Routt HS @ Jacksonville 4:00 PHS F Football vs. Auburn @ Pittsfield 6:00 PHS Girls Golf vs. Porta HS @ Petersburg 4:00	PCS Baseball @ Payson 4:30 PHS Football @ Auburn 7:00	

August 2018

Purchasing in Pike County is a profitable practice.

## **PIKELAND PUBLIC SCHOOLS FOUNDATION**

### PURPOSE

The Pikeland Public Schools Foundation, a not-for-profit organization, is a partnership of our public schools with private businesses and individuals to promote and recognize the excellence of education within our community. Through this partnership, select activities and services can be made available to benefit our school children.

### HOW THE FOUNDATION WORKS

The Pikeland Public Schools Foundation works in cooperation with the Pikeland School District #10, but it is a separate and independent entity. The enthusiasm and support demonstrated by area individuals and businesses will be evidenced through this Foundation.

The support of individuals and area businesses is essential for the success of the Foundation. Financial contributions will help ensure excellence and quality in the education of our area youth. Commitment to the Foundation is a great investment in our community's future.

The Pikeland Public Schools Foundation is a not-for-profit organization. All gifts are tax deductible. Those making donations of money or property may elect to direct their gifts for either designated or general purposes.

**DESIGNATED GIFTS:** A gift to the Pikeland Public Schools Foundation may be designated for a specific purpose. This might be a scholarship, special activity, or equipment. In the case of a designated gift, the Foundation will simply receive the gift and assure the disbursement for the designated purpose. **GENERAL GIFTS:** Gifts to the Foundation may be unrestricted. The Foundation will invest these monies to preserve the principal. In most cases, only the interest will be used on key projects which have been identified by the Foundation in cooperation with School District #10.

### ACTIVITIES AND SERVICES TO BE FUNDED

Projects that could be funded by general or designated purpose gifts include, but are not limited to:

- Scholarships, grants, or loans to students.
- Specialized materials and equipment for innovative or traditional educational programs.
- General financial support to extend existing curricular programs.
- Faculty grants for research or instructional programs.
- Grants in recognition of an outstanding teacher or leader.

### ADMINISTRATION OF THE FOUNDATION

The board of directors for the Pikeland Public Schools Foundation is comprised of interested business and educational leaders, and other supportive individuals from within the Pikeland District. The representation permits the necessary balance of expertise in such areas as education, finance, and business.

It is the goal of the Foundation's board to provide the link between the needs of the area youth and those wishing to support those needs in order to build a strong, enthusiastic partnership in education.

The board is responsible for providing overall direction and policy making for the Foundation.



SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
<ul><li>traffic zones.</li><li>Illinois state law</li></ul>	prohibits the use of ce prohibits smoking on r-round. This includes	all school grounds				Pittsfield Fall Festival Parade 11:00 PHS Cross Country Inv. @ Rochester 10:00
2	3 LABOR DAY NO CLASSES PHS JV Football vs. Auburn @ Pittsfield 6:00	4 PHS Boys Golf vs. Brown County @ Mt. Sterling 4:00 PCS Baseball @ Liberty 4:30 PHS Volleyball vs. Griggsville/Perry @ Pittsfield 6:00 MAP Testing 3-5	5 PHS Boys Golf Quad Meet @ Pittsfield 4:00 MAP Testing for Grades 3-5	PCS Compliance Day for Immunization & Physicals 6 PHS F Football vs. Brown County @ Pittsfield 6:00 PHS Volleyball vs. Brussels @ Pittsfield 6:00 PCS Baseball vs. Western @ PCS 4:30 SIP Day 1:30 Dismissal	7 PHS V Football @ Maroa Forsyth 7:00 PHS Girls Golf Open Quad @ Pittsfield 4:00	<b>8</b> ACT Testing Dates TBA Liberty Lions Club Fall Festival Parade 10:00 PHS Boys Golf @ Hamilton 8:00 PHS Cross Country 1st to the Finish Inv. @ Peoria 9:00
9 PHS Homecoming Week Street Painting	PHS Homecoming Week 10 Music Boosters Instrument Display Night @ PCS PCS Scholastic Book Fair Family Night 3:30-7:00 PHS Boys Golf @ Hamilton 4:00 PHS Volleyball vs West Central @ Pittsfield 6:00 PHS Girls Golf @ Macomb 4:00	PHS Homecoming Week 11 PCS 3rd & 6th Lunch w/ Parent/Grandparent PHS Volleyball vs. Mt. Sterling @ PHS 6:00 PHS Boys Golf Triangular @ Pittsfield 4:00 PHS Cross Country QND Inv. @ Quincy South Park 4:30 PCS Baseball Regional - TBA PCS Scholastic Book Fair	PHS Homecoming Week <b>12</b> Powder Puff FB Game <b>12</b> PCS 4th & 7th Lunch w/ Parent/Grandparent PHS Boys Golf Quad Meet @ Pittsfield 4:00 PCS Scholastic Book Fair 7:30-8:15am "Books & Breakfast"	PHS Homecoming Week <b>13</b> Informal Crowning & Bonfire <b>13</b> PCS 5th & 8th Lunch w/ Parent/Grandparent PHS F Football vs. North Mac @ Girard 6:00 PHS Volleyball @ Camp Point 6:00 PCS Scholastic Book Fair	PHS Homecoming Week <b>14</b> NHS Follies HC Parade 2:00 <b>14</b> PHS Football Parents Cookout 5:30 PHS HC V Football vs. North Mac @ Pittsfield 7:00 PHS Boys Golf Quad Meet @ Pittsfield 4:00 PCS Scholastic Book Fair	15 PHS Girls Golf @ Macomb 8:00 PHS Homecoming Dance & Formal Coronation
16	@ Pittsfield 6:00 PHS Boys Golf vs. Brown County @ Mt. Sterling 4:00	18 PCS Girls Basketball @ Our Saviors 6:00 PHS Volleyball @ Western 6:00 PHS Boys Golf vs. Williamsville @ Springfield 5:00 PHS XC Pittsfield Invite 4:30 PHS Girls Golf @ Quincy HS 4:00	19 School Board Meeting @ Board Office 7:30	20 PHS Volleyball @ North Greene 6:00 PCS Girls Basketball vs. Rushville/ Industry @ PCS 6:00 PHS F Football vs. New Berlin @ Pittsfield 6:00	21 PHS Football @ New Berlin 7:00 PHS Girls Golf @ Camp Point 4:00	222 Griggsville Apple Festival Parade 2:00 PHS Boys Golf vs. Rushville/Industry @ Rushville 9:00 PCS 8th Grade Baseball Sectional TBA
23 30	South School Scholastic <b>24</b> Book Fair <b>24</b> PHS JV Football vs. New Berlin @ PHS 6:00 PHS Girls Golf @ Williamsville 4:00 PHS Volleyball vs. Rushville @ Pittsfield 6:00	South School Scholastic <b>25</b> PHS Girls Golf vs. Carrollton @ Pittsfield 4:00 PCS Girls Basketball @ Jacksonville Turner 6:00 PHS XC Inv. @ Macomb 4:30 FAFSA Info Night @ JWCC SEC 6:30	South School Scholastic 26 Book Fair	South School Scholastic <b>27</b> Book Fair - Family Night <b>27</b> PHS F Football vs. Athens @ Pittsfield 6:00 PHS Volleyball @ Meredosia 6:00 PCS Girls Basketball vs. Brown County @ PCS 6:00 PHS Girls Golf vs. Quincy HS @ PHS 4:00 SIP Day 1:30 Dismissal	South School Scholastic 28 Book Fair PHS Picture Day PHS V Football @ Athens 7:00 PCS Boys Baseball State - TBA	Milton Corn Carnival Parade 1:30 29 PCS Girls Basketball vs. Camp Point @ PCS 10:00 PHS Boys Golf Invitational @ Pittsfield 8:00 PHS XC Inv. @ Jacksonville 9:30

## September 2018

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# PIKELAND UNIT #10 ADMINISTRATORS



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### Parent Teacher Organization (PTO)

PTO facilitates parent-teacher collaboration to enhance and enrich the opportunities and experiences of children at School. The PTO supports educational activities and addresses classroom/building needs to enhance student learning and family involvement.

## **PTO** Activities

In addition to soliciting volunteers for school-sponsored activities, PTO members also coordinate a number of annual events such as those listed to the far right. PTO strives to conduct fundraisers that also serve as family activities or fun projects for children.



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## **PTO Funds**

At monthly meetings, PTO considers teacher-funding requests for needs that directly impact student learning. Funds raised by PTO have supported the purchase of books, PE equipment, recess supplies, white boards, motivational prizes, word builders, pocket charts, large hallway fans, literacy supplies, listening centers, and CD or tape players. PTO has also funded school-wide assemblies and storyteller training for classroom teachers.

### **PTO Membership**

The membership of PTO is comprised of parents and teachers. PTO also benefits from the volunteerism of other family members.

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Jon Frieden Principal, Grades 3-5 **Pikeland Community School** 

Jon Frieden • Principal

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> Angie Ruebush • Principal GRADES EARLY CHILDHOOD. PRE-K, K, 1 & 2

### **PTO Information**

Information on PTO activities and events is communicated via the South and PCS Schools Friday Notes, PTO newsletters, and email. The organization's email is: southpto@hotmail.com

#### South PTO Activities

- Annual Fun Fair
- Teacher wish lists
- Food drive
- · Penny war
- Spirit wear
- Breakfast with Santa
- School-wide assemblies
- Teacher Appreciation week

#### **PCS PTO Activities**

- Donkey Basketball
- Teacher wish lists
- Muffins with Mom
- Donuts with Dad
- Fall Harvest Party
- Movie night
- School-wide assemblies
- Teacher Appreciation week

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	Parent/Teacher Conferences 4:00-7:30 PHS FAFSA Completion Nights @ North Computer Lab 5:30-7:30 PHS JV Football vs. Athens @ Pittsfield 6:00 2:45 Dismissal	Parent/Teacher Conferences 4:00-7:30 2 PHS FAFSA Completion Nights @ North Computer Lab 5:30-7:30 PCS Girls Basketball @ North Green 6:00 PHS Boys Golf Regional - TBA PHS Volleyball @ Payson 6:00 2:45 Dismissal	3 PHS Girls Golf Regional - TBA	TEACHERS INSTITUTE NO CLASSES       4         PHS F Football vs. Porta       @ Petersburg 6:00         PHS Volleyball vs. Liberty @ PHS 6:00       PCS Girls Basketball vs. Macomb         @ PCS 6:00       @ PCS 6:00	NO SCHOOL 5 PHS Football Parent Cookout 5:30 PHS V Football vs. Porta @ Pittsfield 7:00	SAT Testing - TBA 6 PHS F/S Volleyball Rushville/Industry Tourn. @ Rushville - TBA PHS Boys Golf IHSA Sectionals - TBA PHS Cross Country Liberty Invitational @ Liberty 10:00
7	COLUMBUS DAY - NO SCHOOL       8         PHS IMEA District Music Auditions in Quincy       9         PHS JV Football @ Ports 6:00       9         PHS Volleyball @ Triopia 6:00       9         PHS Girls Golf IHSA Sectionals - TBA       1	ALL CLASSES 9 RESUME 9 PHS Volleyball vs. QND @ Pittsfield6:00 PHS Cross Country Invitational @ Carlinville 4:00	<b>10</b> PSAT for Juniors	<b>11</b> PHS F Football vs. Williamsville @ Pittsfield 6:00 PHS Volleyball vs. Unity @ Mendon 6:00 PCS Girls Basketball vs. Quincy JH @ PCS 6:00 South School & PCS Fall Pictures	<b>12</b> PHS V Football @ Williamsville 7:00 PHS Girls Golf IHSA State -TBA PHS Boys Golf Boys IHSA State - TBA	<b>13</b> PHS V Volleyball Waverly Tourn TBA PHS Girls Golf IHSA State - TBA PHS Boys Golf Boys IHSA State - TBA PCS Girls Basketball vs. Pleasant Plains @ PCS 10:00
14	<b>15</b> PHS JV Football vs. Williamsville @ Pittsfield 6:00 PHS Volleyball PCC Tourn TBA	16 PCS D-Pod Family Night @ PCS Gym 6:30 PHS Volleyball PCC Tourn. @ TBA	17 Pike County College & Career Day @ PHS Gym 9:00-11:00 ICE Fair @ Quincy University 6:00-7:30 PHS Volleyball PCC Tourn. @ TBA School Board Meeting @ Board Office 7:30	<b>18</b> PHS F Football @ Pleasant Plains 6:00 PCS Girls Basketball vs. Brussels @ PCS 6:00 PHS Volleyball PCC Tourn TBA	<b>19</b> PHS Football Parents Cookout 5:30 PHS V Football vs. Pleasant Plains @ Pittsfield 7:00 "Senior Night" End of 1st 9 Weeks	20 PCS Girls Basketball @ Carrollton 10:00 PHS Cross Country Regional - TBA
21	22 PHS JV Football @ Pleasant Plains 6:00 PCS Girls Basketball @ Western 6:00 PHS Volleyball Regional Begins - TBA	23 PCS Girls Basketball @ Pleasant Hill 6:00 PCS 3rd Grade Pumpkin Contest Begins	24	25 PCS Girls Basketball vs. Liberty @ Pittsfield 6:00 SIP Day 1:30 Dismissal	26	27 ACT Testing Dates - TBA PHS Cross Country IHSA Sectional - TBA
28	29 PCS Boys BB Rushville/Industry Tourn. @ Rushville - TBA PCS Girls Basketball vs. Mendon Unity @ PCS 6:00	<b>30</b> PCS Boys BB Rushville/Industry Tourn. @ Rushville - TBA PHS Volleyball Sectional - TBA	<b>31</b> PCS Boys BB Rushville/Industry Tourn. @ Rushville - TBA	Each spring School Distric year old non-kindergarten ch The purpose of the screenin	y Childhood Screen t No. 10 conducts Early Childl ildren who reside in Pikeland ng is to identify children who r ation about the screenings, con	hood Screening for all 3 - 5 School District. nay have some special

## October 2018

Pikeland Foundation Contributions are an investment in our future

#### **ADMISSION TO SCHOOL**

Any child whose fifth birthday occurs on or before September 1<sup>st</sup> may enter kindergarten at the opening of school.

Any child whose sixth birthday occurs on or before September 1<sup>st</sup> may enter first grade at the opening of school.

When a child enrolls in Unit 10 schools for the first time, a birth certificate or other document certifying the date of birth must be presented. Illinois law and District Policy require that all children in Pikeland must provide evidence of a physical examination and immunizations as follows:

• Within one year prior to entering kindergarten or the first grade;

• Upon entering the sixth and ninth grades

• Prior to entrance into preschool

• And irrespective of grade, immediately prior to or upon entrance in the public school.

Required immunizations and necessary boosters are for diphtheria, whooping cough, tetanus, polio, measles, mumps, rubella, chicken pox, hepatitis B and meningococal. Failure to provide required physical examinations and immunizations will result in exclusion of the student from school. A student transferring into the District should provide a report card, health records, proof of residency within the Pikeland Unit 10 school district, and other appropriate records from his previous school. The receiving school will initiate necessary action to obtain the student's transcript from the former school.

The requirements for dental examination are as follows:

• All children in kindergarten, second, and sixth grades will be required to have an oral health examination. Each child shall present proof of examination by a dentist prior to May 15th of the school year.

The requirements for a vision examination are as follows:

• All children enrolling in kindergarten or enrolling for the first time will be required to have an eye examination

• Each child shall present proof of examination by a physician who performs eye exams or a licensed optometrist within the previous year by the exclusion date established by the district.

#### **PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES**

To help understand and evaluate each student's progress in school, parents must become familiar with each child's abilities and interests.

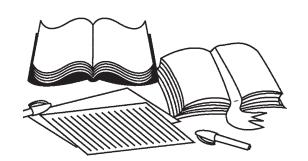
Parent-teacher conferences are scheduled during the school year to provide the parent opportunity to discuss with the teacher the child's progress in school.

District 10 uses a variety of standardized test and evaluation methods. Information gained in this testing and other related information will be reviewed and discussed by parents and teachers together.

In addition to scheduled parent-teacher conferences, conferences may be available at various times during the school day. Arrangements may be made by contacting your school principal. Conferences may also be requested by the teacher.

#### PACE ALTERNATIVE SCHOOL

Pikeland CUSD #10 in conjunction with the Regional Office of Education provides an Alternative Learning environment for students in grades 6-12 who qualify. The school provides a structured environment and low student-to-teacher ratio to help students be successful in the school environment. Information about the PACE Alternative School can be obtained by contacting your building principal.



#### CURRICULUM

The basic curriculum emphasizes reading, spelling, composition, handwriting, mathematics, social studies, and science. In addition, health, art, music, and physical education instruction are provided to all students either by a specialist or by the classroom teacher.

Each building places emphasis on a well equipped library/media center. A variety of instructional materials including textbooks, supplementary books, videos, television, listening stations, and software are utilized by pupils and teachers.

#### INSTRUCTION

The staff is aware of and provides for individual differences. Reading groups, multi-level materials, departmentalization, online learning, and resource centers are but of a few of the options usually available for students.

Student progress is monitored throughout the year. Standardized achievement tests and individual and small-group diagnostic testing are used where appropriate. State testing is administered where required.



SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
VISITORS TO ALL SC	HOOLS ARE TO REPOR	TO THE MAIN OFFICE		1	2	SAT Testing - TBA 3
	N BEFORE GOING TO CL			PCS Boys BB Rushville/Industry Tourn. @ Rushville - TBA	PCS Boys BB Rushville/Industry Tourn. @ Rushville - TBA	PHS IMEA District Music Festival in Macomb @ WIU
VISITORS ARE REC	QUIRED TO WEAR ID BA	DGES WHILE IN THE		PCS Girls BB @ Quincy Catholic	PHS Picture Retake Day	PHS Volleyball IHSA Super Sectional - TBA
	SCHOOL BUILDINGS.					PHS Cross Country IHSA State @ Peoria - TBA
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
		PCS Boys Basketball vs. Turner @ Jacksonville 5:30				PHS Boys BB Sports Drink Scrimmage PCS Boys Basketball vs. Calhoun
		PCS Girls Basketball vs. Beardstown @ PCS 6:00			PHS Volleyball IHSA State @ Bloomington - TBA	@ PCS 10:00 PCS Girls Basketball vs. Griggsville-Perry @ Perry 10:00 PHS Volleyball IHSA State @ Bloomington - TBA
11	VETERAN'S DAY NO CLASSES 12	13	School Board Meeting @ Board Office 6:30	15	16	17
		PHS Girls Basketball vs. Routt HS @ Pittsfield 6:00	Food & Toy Drive Begins	NHS Induction in the PHS Media Center 7:00	NO CLASSES	PHS IMEA Jazz Festival @ Chatham
	PCS Girls Basketball vs. Quincy JH @ Quincy 6:00	PCS Girls Basketball vs. Winchester @ Pittsfield 6:00				PCS Girls 7th BB Regionals - TBA PCS Boys Basketball @ Macomb 10:00 PHS Girls Basketball Brown County Tourn @ Mt. Sterling - TBA
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
	PCS Boys Basketball @ Quincy JH 6:00	PHS Boys V Basketball Thanksgiving Tourn. @ Pittsfield - TBA	THANKSGIVING BREAK NO CLASSES	THANKSGIVING DAY NO CLASSES	THANKSGIVING BREAK NO CLASSES	
	PHS Boys V Basketball Thanksgiving Tourn. @ Pittsfield - TBA	PHS Wrestling Quad Meet @ East Alton Woodriver 6:00	PHS Boys V Basketball Thanksgiving Tourn. @ Pittsfield - TBA		PHS Boys V Basketball Thanksgiving Tourn. @ Pittsfield - TBA	PHS Boys V Basketball Thanksgiving Tourn. @ Pittsfield - TBA
	PHS Girls Basketball Brown County Tourn. @ Mt. Sterling - TBA		PHS Girls Basketball Brown County Tourn. @ Mt. Sterling - TBA		PHS Girls Basketball Brown County Tourn. @ Mt. Sterling - TBA	PHS Girls Basketball Brown County Tourn. @ Mt. Sterling - TBA
25	26	27	28	29	30	
	CLASSES RESUME	PHS Girls Basketball vs. Carrollton @ Pittsfield 6:00	PCS Girls 7th Basketball Sectional - TBA	PCS Boys Basketball @ Hannibal 6:00 PHS Boys F Basketball vs. West	South School Picture Retakes	
	PCS Boys Basketball @ Payson 6:00 PCS Girls 8th Basketball Regional - TBA	PHS Wrestling Triangular Meet @ Jerseyville 6:00	PCS Picture Retakes & Organization Pictures	Central (Co-op) @ Pittsfield 6:00 PHS Girls Basketball vs. West Central (Co-op) @ Winchester 6:00	PHS Boys Basketball vs. Southeastern @ PHS 6:00	
	Regional - I DA			SIP Day 1:30 Dismissal		

## November 2018

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#### PITTSFIELD HIGH SCHOOL

Pittsfield High School has a four year program for grades 9, 10, 11, and 12. The program is designed to equip students not only for higher education and career preparation, but also for a rich, full life. Emphasis is placed on development and strengthening of knowledge and skills, and broadening interests so that students will be better able to make full use of their capabilities.

#### **PROGRAM PLANNING**

The Guidance Counselor at the high school is prepared to assist all students in planning courses of study. Students are encouraged to discuss the many services designed to provide information about career and educational choices.

COURSE	CREDIT	COURSE	CREDIT
English I	1	Physics	1
English II	1	Basic Physics	1
English III	1	Health Occupations	1
English IV	1	CNA	2
College English for S	-	Spanish I, II, III, IV	1
Journalism	1	Basic Art	1
Drama	1/2	Art of Present	1
	1/2		1/2
Speech Croating Whiting	1/2 1/2	Commercial Art	
Creative Writing	1/2 1/2	19th, 20th Century Art Multi-Cultural Art	ι 92 1/2
Novels	1/2 1/2		1/2 1/2
Personal Relations	. –	Modern Art	1/2 1/2
World History	1	Portfolio Design	
World Geography	1	Drawing/Painting	1/2
Illinois History	1/2	Color & Design	. 1/2
American History	1	Two Dimensional Des	
Current Events	1/2	3 Dimensional Art	1/2
American Governme		Intro to Ag Ind	1
20 <sup>th</sup> Century History	1	Ag Science	1
Fundamental Algebra		BSAA	1
Algebra I	1	Ag Business Managen	
Algebra II	1	Industrial Technology	1
Algebra IIA	1	Building Trades	1/2
Addtl. Algebra Topic		CAD Drafting I & II	1
Geometry	1	Archit. Draft.	1/2
Geometry IA	1	Woods II	1/2
College Algebra	1/2	Woods III, IV	1
Statistics/Probability		Metals II	1/2
Trigonometry	1/2	Metals III	1/2
Calculus	1	Small Engines	1/2
Consumer Math	1	Masonry	1/2
Intervention Math	1	Plumbing	1/2
Health	1/2	Auto Mechanics I	$\frac{2}{2}$
Adv. Health Topics	1/2	Auto Mechanics II	
Biology I	1	Advanced Engines	1
Anatomy & Physiolo	ogy I 1	Night Auto	1
Anatomy & Physiolo	ogy II 1	Intro. to FCS	1
Earth Science	1	Clothing & Textiles	1
Environmental Scien	ice 1	Tailoring	1
Basic Chemistry	1	Foods and Nutrition	1
Chemistry	1	Child Care	1/2
Ethnic Cooking	1/2	Child Development	1/2
Parenting	1	Multimedia Design	1/2
Creative Arts	1/2	Video Projects	1/2
		5	

COURSE	CREDIT	COURSE
Adult Living	1/2	Web Master
Living Environment	1/2	Office Technology
Consumer Education	n ½	Accounting I
Keyboarding	1	Driver Education
Info Processing 1A &	& 1B	Physical Education
Desktop Publishing	1/2	Band
Web Design I & II	1/2	Chorus
Digital Photo & Des	ign ½	Music Appreciation
C	e	Yearbook

#### **GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS**

CREDIT

Here are the state requirements for graduation from our high school. All students must take seven subjects and physical education every semester. All students must successfully complete the following:

English	4 years
Mathematics	3 years
	/2 year
American History	1 year
	2 years
Government 1/	/2 year
Consumer Ed 1/	/2 year
Physical Education	4 years
Social Studies Elective	/2 year
Music, Art, Foreign Language	
or Vocational Class	1 year

Twenty-nine credits are required for graduation. Seniors **MUST** have earned the necessary amount of credits before they will be allowed to participate in the graduation ceremony.

#### **CLASS STATUS**

Students must earn a set number of credits to advance to the next grade level. Listed below is the scale:

- Sophomore 6 credits
- Junior 13 credits
- Senior 20 credits

Each report card has each student's status noted. If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Greger at 217-285-6888.

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#### **ACTIVITIES AND ORGANIZATIONS**

The purpose of extracurricular activities and organizations is to provide each student the opportunity to follow individual interests outside of the classroom. In addition to providing recreation and relaxation, activities help to develop the traits of leadership, cooperation, sportsmanship, initiative, and scholarship - all of which help to make each student a well-rounded individual. Each student is encouraged to participate.

- **STUDENT COUNCIL:** Student governing organization composed of twenty-two elected representatives (five freshman, five sophomores, six juniors, six seniors.
- **BAND:** Open to any student who plays a band instrument and who can pass the required auditions.
- **CLASS OFFICERS:** Four class officers are elected for each class: President; Vice President; Secretary; Treasurer. To be elected, a candidate must circulate a petition and must deliver a speech before their class.
- **NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY:** Recognition of scholarship character, leadership, and service.
- ATHLETICS: A full range of athletic activities include the following: Baseball (boys); Softball (girls); Basketball (boys & girls); Football (boys); Track (boys & girls); Golf (boys and girls); Volleyball (girls); Wrestling (boys); and Cross Country (boys & girls).
- **SPANISH CLUB**: Members are active, immediate students of Spanish classes.
- **CHORUS:** People who enjoy singing.
- HALL MONITORS: Organizations composed of students rendering their services to their school.
- **YEARBOOK STAFF:** Sophomores, Juniors, and Seniors may participate in the yearbook production.
- SPEECH CONTEST: Open to all students interested in gaining experience speaking before groups of people.
- **ART CLUB/REMBRANDT SOCIETY:** Active art students working together to promote art. PHS Art Club is affiliated with the state high school art association called the Rembrandt Society. The Art Club hosts the annual PHS Art Exhibit in the spring.
- **DRAMA CLUB:** Open to all students. It is an organization which devotes itself to the advancement of the theatre arts, both at the high school and throughout the Pikeland area.
- **CHEERLEADING:** Team members are selected from tryouts. Members must stay scholastically eligible.
- **SAUKETTES:** Pompon group consisting of freshman, sophomore, junior, and senior girls selected at tryouts.
- **F.F.A.:** A national organization of high school students studying vocational agriculture.
- **INTERACT:** A community service club that is sponsored by Rotary International for high school students.

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
						SAT Testing TBA <b>1</b> South PTO Breakfast w/ Santa @ South School 8-11 PCS Boys 8th BB Pike Co. Conference Tournament - TBA PCS Girls 7th Basketball State - TBA
2	3 PCS Boys Basketball vs. Quincy JH @ PCS 6:00 PHS Girls Basketball @ Rushville 6:00	4 PHS Boys Basketball vs. West Central (Co-op) @ Winchester 6:00	5 PCS Girls 8th Grade Basketball Sectional - TBA	6 PHS Boys F Basketball vs. Jerseyville @ PHS 6:00 PHS Girls Basketball @ Calhoun 6:00 PCS Boys 8th Grade PCC Tourn TBA PCS Girls 7th Grade Basketball State - TBA	7 PHS Boys Basketball vs. Riverton @ Pittsfield 6:00	ACT Testing Dates - TBA <b>8</b> PHS Wrestling Porta Invitational @ Petersburg 9:00 PCS Boys JV Basketball Tour. @ Quincy 10:00 PCS Girls 8th Basketball State - TBA Saukette IDTA Competition in Dunlap - TBA PCS Boys BB @ Carrollton 10:00
9	10 PHS F Basketball @ Rushville 6:00 PHS Girls Basketball vs. Liberty @ Pittsfield 6:00 PHS JV Basketball Tourn. @ Quincy	PHS Boys Basketball vs. Griggsville/Perry @ Griggsville 6:00	12 PCS Boys Basketball vs. Griggsville/ Perry @ PCS 6:00 PHS JV Basketball Tourn. @ Quincy - TBA	13 PHS Wrestling Quad Meet @ Beardstown 6:00 PCS Boys Basketball @ Liberty 6:00 PHS Boys F Basketball @ Triopia 6:00 PHS Girls Basketball vs. Brussels @ PHS 6:00 PCS Girls 8th Basketball State - TBA	<b>14</b> PHS Boys Basketball @ North Greene 6:00	15 PCS Wrestling Duels @ Petersburg 10:00 PHS Wrestling Meet @ Petersburg 10:00 PHS Girls Basketball JWCC Shootout @ Quincy - TBA PCS Boys Basketball vs. Western @ Pittsfield 10:00
16 PHS Christmas Concert in PHS Gym 2:00	17 PCS Boys Basketball @ Camp Point Central 6:00 PHS Girls Basketball vs. Greenfield @ Pittsfield 6:00	18 PCS Christmas Concert in PCS Gym 7:00	19 School Board Meeting @ Board Office 7:30	20 PHS Boys Basketball vs. Pleasant Plains @ Pittsfield 6:00	21 End of 2nd 9 Weeks SCHOOL DISMISSED @ 2:45 CHRISTMAS BREAK BEGINS	22
23	CHRISTMAS EVE 24	CHRISTMAS DAY 25 CHRISTMAS BREAK NO CLASSES	26 CHRISTMAS BREAK NO CLASSES	27 CHRISTMAS BREAK NO CLASSES	28 CHRISTMAS BREAK NO CLASSES	29
30	31 NEW YEAR'S EVE NO CLASSES		PHS Boys Basketball Macomb Tourn TBA PHS Girls Basketball Beardstown Tourn TBA	PHS Boys Basketball Macomb Tourn TBA PHS Girls Basketball Beardstown Tourn TBA	PHS Boys BB Macomb Tourn TBA PHS Girls Basketball Beardstown Tourn TBA PHS Wrestling Porta/Auburn Super Duals - TBA	PHS Wrestling Porta/Auburn Super Duals - TBA

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### SCHOOL MESSENGER NOTIFICATION SYSTEM

Pikeland schools utilizes the School Messenger Notification System to contact families in the event of emergency school closings, early dismissals, or other events that may occur. Please call your school to update your School Messenger contact information.

#### EMERGENCY SCHOOL CLOSINGS

When weather conditions or emergency situations make it necessary to close school in Pikeland, the closings will usually be announced on local radio stations and on the School Reach Notification System not later than 7:00 a.m., unless unusual circumstances exist.

Any announcement that the Pikeland schools are closed means that the closing is district wide and includes all schools operated by the district. An individual building will not be named unless the emergency affects only that particular school.

#### **RADIO STATIONS TO BE CALLED**

WBBA	Pittsfield
WJIL	Jacksonville
WTAD/KHQA/WQCY/KGRC/KZZK	Quincy
WGEM/WGCA	Quincy
KHMO	Hannibal
KJFM	Louisiana

#### All information will be announced as "Pikeland Unit #10".

#### **EARLY DISMISSAL**

Early dismissal during the school day will only be made when emergency conditions are evident. In most cases a decision relative to early dismissal will be made by 11:00 a.m.

#### **DELAYED SCHOOL OPENING**

This procedure may be utilized whenever there are morning weather conditions such as a possibility of freezing rain or extreme fog. In cases such as this, school openings may be delayed two hours. Dismissal times from the schools would be at the regular scheduled times.

If such a decision is made, announcements will be made on the aforementioned radio stations and on the School Messenger Notification System.

#### SCHOOL TRANSPORTATION

All students residing a mile and a half or more from school are transported by the School District. Provisions are made for transporting students if living under a mile and a half from school in areas designated by Illinois Department of Transportation criteria as hazardous.

Due to traffic or conditions, the bus may arrive a little early or a little late. It is recommended that the students arrive early at the bus stops and follow school bus rules and regulations. Below are some rules for parents to review with students.

- Stay off the roadway at all times while waiting for the bus.
- Do not approach the bus until it has reached a complete stop.
- *Remain seated at all times.*
- *Keep hands and head inside the bus at all times.*
- Do not throw anything into, out of, or within the bus.
- Excessive or loud talking, laughter, or unnecessary confusion and scuffling is not permitted since it may divert the driver's attention and possibly result in an accident.
- Books, instruments, coats, etc., should be kept out of the aisles.
- Food is not permitted on the bus.
- Smoking or the use of tobacco products is prohibited at all times, as is the striking of matches, or use of lighters of any kind.

#### **ABUSED CHILD LAW**

Illinois law requires that all cases of physical abuse, malnutrition, neglect, or injury to children be reported to the Illinois Department of Children and Family Services immediately.

The law requires any physician, surgeon, dentist, osteopath, chiropractor, podiatrist, Christian Science practitioner, school teacher, school administrator, truant officer, social worker, nurse, day care center or nursery school staff member, to report every case of real or suspected child abuse. Persons required to make such reports are immune from any liability. Child abuse includes injury or disability from physical abuse, neglect, malnutrition, and deliberate withholding of feeding.

Such reports are required to be made immediately by phone or in person to the Department of Children and Family Services, and must also be made in writing within 24 hours. The Department of Children and Family Services is required to begin an investigation within 24 hours of the receipt of such report. The Department may provide protective social services to prevent further abuses to the child, to safeguard their welfare, and may petition the court to remove the child from the custody of their parents.

### ABUSE AND NEGLECT HOTLINE 800-252-2873

### QUINCY AREA NETWORK AGAINST DOMESTIC ABUSE QUANADA 800-369-2287

### 941 W. WASHINGTON, PITTSFIELD 217-285-6119

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		CHRISTMAS BREAK NO SCHOOL NEW YEAR'S DAY	CHRISTMAS BREAK NO SCHOOL 2	CHRISTMAS BREAK NO SCHOOL 3	CHRISTMAS BREAK NO SCHOOL	PCS Wrestling Turner Inv. @ Jacksonville 9:00
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				PHS Boys Basketball vs. Unity @ PHS 6:00		PCC Tourn TBA
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	PCS Volleyball @ Liberty 6:00	PCS Volleyball @ Brown County 6:00		PHS Boys Basketball @ Rushville 6:00	PHS Wrestling Triangular Meet @ Carlinville 6:00	PHS Boys Basketball vs. Jersey Winter Classic - TBA
	PHS F Boys Basketball vs. QHS @ Quincy 6:00	PCS Boys Basketball vs. Beardstown @ Pittsfield 6:00		PCS Boys Basketball vs. Quincy Catholic @ PCS 6:00	PCS Boys 7A Basketball PCC Tourn TBA	Saukette IDTA Competition @ Clinton - TBA
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	PHS Girls Basketball vs. Beardstown @ Pittsfield 6:00	Perry @ PCS 6:00	School Board Meeting @ Board Office 7:30	PCS Boys Basketball @ Winchester 6:00		PHS Girls Basketball vs. Unity @ Pittsfield 6:00
	PCS Volleyball vs. Rusville/Industry @ PCS 6:00			PHS Boys F Basketball @ Camp Point 6:00	SIP Day 1:30 Dismissal	PCS 7th Volleyball Pleasant Hill Tourn TBA
20	Martin Luther King's <b>21</b> Birthday - No Classes	22	23	24	25	26
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## PHILOSOPHY OF DISCIPLINE PIKELAND UNIT #10 SCHOOLS

The board of education believes that the maintenance of good discipline is essential to the proper achievement of educational goals. In a general sense, discipline is here defined as the degree of order maintained, the strategies employed to maintain that order, and the manner in which offenders are to be punished. Since training for effective citizenship is one of the important tasks of education, self-discipline should be the goal of every student in the district.



## **VOLUNTEER PROGRAMS**

There are a number of areas in which parents and community members may contribute to the school program through volunteer work. Those who are interested in participating as a volunteer in any program should contact the school principal.

## HOME AND SCHOOL WORKING TOGETHER

The best education for a student is accomplished when the parent and school work together. Parents who show an interest in their children's school work and express approval for constructive effort and accomplishments will reinforce the day-to-day experiences the child has in school.

Every District 10 parent is welcome to visit school, and is urged to do so. It is important that parents visit their children's classes and get to know their children's teachers and the principal. Visitors are required to check in at the school office before going to a classroom.

## **PRE-K AT RISK PROGRAM**

The Pikeland Unit #10 School District sponsors a Pre-K at risk program for 80 three and four year old students. The program is funded through a grant from the State Board of Education. Children are selected for the program based on risk factors and scores obtained in the Fall and Spring screenings.

For more information on this program, please call the parent coordinator at South School, 217-285-2431. There is no cost for the program.

				PHS Boys Basketball vs. Brown County @ Pittsfield 6:00	PHS Wrestling Regional - TBA
					PCS 8th VB Tourn. @ Pleasant Hill - TB/ PCS Boys 7th Basketball State - TBA PHS Boys BB KHQA Shootout @ Quincy 2 PHS F Boys BB vs. Western @ PHS 10:0 PCS Wrestling Tourn. @ Jacksonville 9:0 PHS Cheerleading IHSA State Saukette IDTA Comp. @ Highland - TBA
4 PCS Volleyball vs. Quincy JH @ PCS 6:00 PHS F Boys Basketball vs. Unity @ Mendon 6:00 HS Girls Basketball Regional - TBA	5 PCS Volleyball @ Our Saviors 6:00 PHS Boys Basketball @ Beardstown 6:00	6 PCS 8th Boys Basketball Sectional - TBA	7 PCS Wrestling @ Camp Point 6:00 PCS 7th Boys Basketball State-TBA PCS Volleyball @ Unity 6:00 PHS F Boys Basketball @ North Greene 6:00 SIP Day 1:30 Dismissal	8 PHS Wrestling IHSA Sectional - TBA PHS Boys Basketball @ Western 6:00	9 PCS Wrestling Glenwood Inv. @ Chatham 9:00 PHS Wrestling IHSA Sectional - TB/ PCS 8th Boys Basketball State - TB ACT Testing Dates - TBA Saukettes IHSA State Springfield - TB
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25 PCS Scholastic Book Fair Family Night 3:30-7:00	26 PCS Scholastic Book Fair PHS Boys Basketball Sectionals - TBA	27 PCS Scholastic Book Fair "Books & Breakfast" 7:30 - 8:15AM PCC Band Rehearsal @ PHS 6:30	28 PCS Scholastic Book Fair		
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## **HEALTH SERVICES**

The primary purpose of the health services is the maintenance and improvement of the health of the students. The School Nurse supervises the health services of the Pikeland schools.

The nurse is in each school for one-half day or longer each week, but is available by phone at all times. Other designated personnel may administer first aid when the nurse is out of the building.

## DISTRICT MEDICATION POLICY

Only medication prescribed by a licensed health care provider will be administered at school. This includes over-the-counter medications such as pain relievers and cough syrups. For the school office to administer a prescribed medication, a "medical authorization form" needs to be filled out by the doctor and given to your child's school on each occasion a medication needs to be administered by the school. Forms may be picked up in the office of each school building. The schools will not administer any over-the-counter medications without a "medical authorization form" signed by a licensed health care provider. Forms must be renewed yearly.

## NURSES HAVE RESPONSIBILITIES FOR:

- Vision and hearing screening and notifying parents if necessary.
- Maintenance of a cumulative health record on each child.
- Conferring with parents regarding special health problems.
- Conferring with teachers concerning health problems which might affect a child's progress.
- Serving as a consultant in health instructions.
- Assisting in control of communicable diseases.

#### Parents are asked to cooperate with the total program by:

- Providing the nurse with information regarding additional immunizations and boosters, so that health records can be updated.
- Notifying the school in the morning when a child is ill or will be absent from school for any reason.
- Providing a physician's written release for the returning to school, when requested.
- Providing a physician's certificate if a child is unable to participate in physical activity for more than one week. (Physical Education is required by state law.)
- Notifying the school nurse if your child has allergies or health concerns
- Provide a copy of your child's AAP if your child has a diagnosis of asthma.

## **PIKELAND FEE SCHEDULE**

Each pupil is required to pay an Instructional Material Fee at the time of registration. The Instructional Material Fee is used to purchase basic and supplemental texts: Hard cover and paperback; periodicals and workbooks. Students must pay additional replacement costs for books lost or damaged beyond normal wear. The following fee schedules are in effect for this school year:

K-8: \$60.00 9-12: \$75.00

### Vehicle Registration Fee for Parking at PHS: \$20.00

All students who drive to school are required to pay the parking fee

### LAB FEES 2018-19\*\*

Driver Education Behind the Wheel Department	In District - \$75.00
	Out of District - \$125.00
Industrial Arts (including Auto Mech.)	\$10.00 per year - \$5.00 per semester
Agriculture Department	\$10.00 per year - \$5.00 per semester
Science Department	\$10.00 per year - \$5.00 per semester
Art Department	\$10.00 per year - \$5.00 per semester
Home Economics Department	\$10.00 per year - \$5.00 per semester
Accounting	\$10.00 per year - \$5.00 per semester
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#### SCHOOL BREAKFAST AND LUNCH FEES\*

BREAKE	<u>AST</u>	LUNC	H
Reduced	\$.30	Reduced	\$.40
South School	\$1.00	South School	\$2.40
PCS and PHS	\$1.25	PCS and PHS	\$2.45
Adult	\$1.25	Adult	\$2.60
		Extra Milk	\$.30

\*Free and Reduced Meal Applications will be sent home the first day of school or can be picked up in the school office.

#### SCHOOL FOOD SERVICES

The school lunch is the foundation of the food service program and provides at least one third of the child's daily nutritional requirements for good health, established by the U.S. Department of Agriculture. Pikeland Unit #10 maintains 3 kitchens in order to provide a lunch in every school to each student.

Pikeland Unit #10 participates in the National School Lunch and School Breakfast Programs. Parents of students who cannot afford to purchase breakfast or lunch may be eligible to eat free or at a reduced rate. Please request an application from your student's building office.

Student meals are to be paid in advance or on the day of purchase. Advance payments may be sent in an envelope to your child's school with your child's name on the envelope. Payments will also be accepted daily at the cashier at each school. If you have children in two or more buildings and want to make one payment each month, please specify how much money goes to each child's account when you send the payment. Regular charging of student meals is not allowed. Ala carte services are available in our Junior High for grades 5th-8th and in our High School on a cash basis only. **Students cannot charge ala carte items.** 

In the event your child acquires a lunch bill with the district, you will be sent a bill at the end of the month. Payments are due the 10th of the following month. If payment is not received by the 10th of the following month, your child will be served an alternative meal until the bill is paid. Free and reduced price meal forms are always available in each school office if you feel your child may qualify. Free and reduced price meal forms can be filled out anytime during the year if your financial status changes. Students may bring lunch from home and purchase milk for \$.30.

If you have questions about school food services, please call Susan Collins at 217-285-9462.

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					PCS Scholastic Book Fair	2 PCS Wrestling Sectional - TBA PHS IHSA Solo & Ensemble Music Contest - TBA PHS Varsity Track @ I.C TBA
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10	<b>11</b> NHS Induction @ PHS Media Center 7:00 PCS 8th Volleyball Sectional - TBA	Parent/Teacher Conferences <b>12</b> 4:00-7:30 PCC Band Festival @ TBA 7:00	Parent/Teacher Conferences <b>13</b> 4:00-7:30	<b>14</b> South School & PCS Spring Pictrures End of 3rd 9 Weeks	NO SCHOOL PCS 8th Volleyball State - TBA	PCS Wrestling State - TBA <b>16</b> PCS 8th Volleyball State - TBA PHS B&G Track @ Champaign Invite - TBA
17	<b>18</b> PHS JV Baseball vs. Bown County @ PCS 4:30	2:45 Dismissal <b>19</b> PHS V Baseball vs. Southeastern @ PHS 4:30 PHS V Softball vs. Southeastern @ PHS 4:30	2:45 Dismissal 20 School Board Meeting @ Board Office 7:30	SIP Day 1:30 Dismissal 21 PHS V Baseball vs. Payson @ Pittsfield 4:30	222 PHS Softball vs. Camp Point @ Pittsfield V @ 4:30 JV @ 6:00 PHS B&G Track IL Top Times @ Bloomington - TBA Music Boosters Spaghetti Supper @ PCS	PHS Girls Softball vs. Unity @ PCS 11:00 (DH) PHS V Baseball vs. Unity @ Pittsfield 11:00 (DH)
24 31	25 PHS V Softball @ North Greene 4:30 PHS JV Baseball vs. Calhoun @ PCS 4:30	26 PHS B&G Track Pittsfield Practice Meet @ Pittsfield 4:00 PHS Softball vs. West Central (Co-Op) @ Winchester V @ 4:30 PHS V Baseball @ Rushville/Industry 4:30	27 PHS Softball vs. Brown County V @ 4:30 PHS V Baseball @ Brown County 4:30	28 PHS V Softball vs. QHS @ Quincy 4:30	29 PHS V Baseball vs. West Central (Co-Op) @ Winchester 4:30	<b>30</b> PHS Baseball vs. Calhoun @ Calhoun 11:00 (DH)

## **March 2019**

## TITLE I

Title I is a federally funded program which provides remedial assistance to children. Pikeland Unit #10 has participated in the program since the program began as Title I under the Elementary and Secondary Intervention Act in 1965. The Title I program consists of Intervention programs for grades K-8 in supplemental reading and mathematics instruction. Title I teachers also provide help in regular classrooms. The program provides services to over 300 students a year.

Mathematics and reading remediation programs consist of individualized and small group instruction for students with identified needs. Title I teachers work closely with regular classroom teachers to develop educational plans based on individual student needs. Material and approaches are usually different from those which are used in the regular classroom. Teachers, counselors, principals, and parents may refer students for screening.

Additional program information may be obtained by contacting the Pikeland CUSD #10 Board Office: 217-285-2147.

## **SPECIAL EDUCATION**

The Pikeland School district offers comprehensive special education services for handicapped students between the ages of three to twenty-one. The goal of these services is to provide a free and appropriate education for handicapped students, enabling each child to achieve maximum potential.

Pikeland Unit #10 is part of a cooperative district - Four Rivers Special Education District - based in Jacksonville, Illinois. There are nineteen participating school districts in the co-op. In this way, Pikeland schools can offer programs, related services, and special services to children with special needs.

Under federal and state guidelines, the following handicapping conditions are eligible to receive special education services:

- Hearing Impairment
- Vision Impairment
- Speech and Language Impairment
- Emotional Disorder
- Other Health Impairment
- Intellectual Disability
- Orthopedic Impairment
- Autism
- Specific Learning Disability

Additional information may be obtained by contacting Becky Pepper, Special Education Coordinator, at Pikeland Community School, 217-285-9462.

## **REFERRAL FOR SECTION 504 ASSISTANCE**

Students eligible for assistance under Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 are those who:

- 1. Have a physical or mental impairment which substantially limits one or more major life activities (such as caring for one's self, performing manual tasks, walking, seeing, hearing, speaking, breathing, learning, and working.)
- 2. Have a record of such impairment.
- 3. Are regarded as having such impairment.
- 4. Currently not determined eligible for special education services under the individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA).

If you feel the student identified may quality for assistance under Section 504, please contact the school.

## WHAT IS A CASE STUDY EVALUATION?

Eligibility for special education services begins with a case evaluation, which is conducted only with the cooperation and written permission of the parents or legal guardian. The case study is a thorough evaluation of all areas which contribute to a student's intellectual, social, and emotional functioning.

Requirements for what must be included in the case study are mandated by federal and state law. Therefore, the evaluation process must include information about the student's response to interventions put in place by the school district over time. The evaluation process begins with a domain meeting with parents to ascertain what areas are to be evaluated. The other components to a case study evaluation may include:

- an interview with the student
- a social developmental study
- an assessment of adaptive behavior and cultural background
- a review of medical history
- a vision and hearing screening
- a review of educational history, current academic functioning, and achievement
- specialized evaluation(s) such as a psychological evaluation, a psychiatric evaluation, a speech/language evaluation, a physical therapy evaluation, etc.

The parent is an extremely important member of the evaluation team whose participation is necessary as we work together in helping the student have a successful school experience.



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	PHS V Softball @ Carrollton 4:30 PHS V Baseball @ Carrollton 4:30	PHS Softball vs. Brussels @ Pittsfield 4:30	PHS B&G Track Tom Johnson Inv. @ Pittsfield 4:00	PHS JV Softball vs. QND @ Quincy 4:30 (DH)	PHS V Baseball @ Louisiana 4:30	PHS V Baseball @ Camp Point 10:00 (DH)
		PHS V Baseball vs. Brussels @ Pittsfield 4:30	PHS V/JV Baseball @ Beardstown 4:30	PHS V Softball vs Payson @ Pittsfield 4:30	PHS JV Baseball @ Liberty 4:30	PCS B&G Track Inv. @ Rushville 10:00 PHS B&G Track Lee Calhoun Ir
		PCS B&G Track Pittsfield Inv. 4:00		PCS B&G Track Inv. @ Liberty 4:00		@ Macomb 10:00
WEEK OF THE YOUNG CHILD	South School Scholastic Book Fair	South School Scholastic Book Fair	South School Scholastic Book Fair	South School Scholastic Book Fair "Family Night" 6:00-8:00 & Truck Night	South School Scholastic Book Fair	ACT Testing Dates - TBA
	PHS Softball vs. QND @ PCS V @ 4:30 JV @ 6:00	PHS V Baseball @ Southeastern 4:30 PCS B&G Track Meet @ Pittsfield 4:00	PHS Softball vs. Western @ PCS 4:30	PHS JV Softball @ QHS 4:30 (DH) PHS JV Baseball vs. Rushville/Industry @ PCS 4:30	PHS IHSA Org. Music Contest - TBA	PCS Student Council State Convention
	PHS V Baseball vs. QHS @ Quincy 4:30	PHS JV Softball @ Jerseyville 4:30 (DH)	PHS Boys JV/V Baseball vs. QND @ Pittsfield 4:30	PHS V Baseball vs. Jerseyville @ PHS 4:30 PCS B&G Track Inv. @ Carrollton 4:00	PCS Student Council State Convention	PHS JV Baseball Pittsfield In @ Pittsfield 10:00
				PHS B&G Track Saukee Inv. 4:00 SIP Day 1:30 Dismissal		PHS IHSA Org. Music Contest - PHS Softball Triopia Jamboree -
14	15	16	17	18	SPRING BREAK - GOOD FRIDAY - NO SCHOOL	2
	PHS Softball vs. Griggsville/Perry @ Griggsvilee 4:30 (DH)	PHS V Baseball @ Pleasant Hill 4:30	PHS Baseball vs. Griggsville/Perry @ Perry 4:30	PHS JV Baseball @ Camp Point 4:30	PHS B&G Track Inv. @ Louisiana 4:00	
	PHS V Baseball vs. Griggsville/Perry @ Pittsfield 4:30	PCS B&G Track Meet @ Pittsfield 4:00 PHS V Softball @ Pleasant Hill 4:30	PHS Softball vs. Beardstown @ Pittsfield V @ 4:30 JV @ 6:00	PCS B&G Track Inv. @ Mendon 3:30		
	PHS B&G Track vs. Illini West @ Carthage 4:00		School Board Meeting @ Board Office 7:30			
21	SPRING BREAK NO SCHOOL 22	ALL CLASSES RESUME 23	24	25	26	2
	PHS JV Softball @ Macomb 4:30 (DH) PHS JV Baseball vs. Hannibal @ PCS 4:30	MAP Testing for 6-8 Begins	PHS V Baseball vs. New Berlin @ Pittsfield 4:30	PHS Softball vs. Jerseyville @ Pittsfield 4:30 (DH)	PHS B&G Track Becky Thatcher Inv. @ Hannibal 3:30	PHS V Baseball vs. West Cent (Co-op) @ Pittsfield 10:00
EASTER SUNDAY	PHS V Baseball vs. Routt @ Pittsfield 4:30	PHS V Baseball vs. Liberty @ Pittsfield 4:30	PHS JV Baseball @ QND 4:30	PHS V Baseball @ Western 4:30	PHS JV Baseball @ Jerseyville 4:30 PHS Softball @ Jacksonville HS 4:30	PHS Jr. / Sr. Prom
	PCS B&G Track Inv. @ Jacksonville 4:15	PHS V Softball vs. Liberty @ Pittsfield 4:30 "Senior Night"		PCS B&G Track PCC Conf. Meet @ Pittsfield 4:00		
28	29	30				
	PHS B&G Track Tiger Relays @ Beardstown 4:00	PHS V Softball @ New Berlin 4:30				
	@ Beardstown 4:00 PHS V/JV Baseball vs. Beardstown @ Pittsfield 4:30	PHS JV Baseball @ Triopia 4:30				

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## FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS\*

### WHERE SCHOOL MONIES CAME FROM (Fiscal Year 2017)

Pikeland Community Unit District #10 derived its operating funds in Fiscal Year 2017 from 3 sources:

2) STATE SOURCES:	43.03%
(General State Aid and Various Categorical Aids)	

3) FEDERAL SOURCES: .	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	7.65%
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Total Revenue from all sources for Fiscal Year 2017 ..... \$12,243,099. Total budgeted revenues from all sources for Fiscal Year 2017 .... \$12,545,300.

### WHERE SCHOOL MONIES WENT (Fiscal Year 2017)

Total expenditures for Fiscal Year 2017 amounted to	. \$12,826,218.
Total amount budgeted for direct expenditures was	.\$13,014,615.

- Expenditures amounted to 98.5% of the amount budgeted.
- Cost attributable to the Education Fund (salaries, supplies and materials, repairs to instructional equipment, etc.) account for 70% of total expenditures.
- Operations and Maintenance (utility costs, supplies and materials, etc.) accounted for 5% of total expenditures.
- All of the other expenditures (transportation, bonds and interest, retirement funds, and health/life safety costs, etc.) accounted for 25%.

#### \*From June 30, 2017 District Audit.

### FACILITY IMPROVEMENTS

In March of 2014, the voters of Pike County approved a county-wide one percent sales tax to be used for school facilities purposes in all of the Pike County Schools. The tax went into effect on July 1, 2014 and last year generated \$467,008 in income for the Pikeland School District. The funds can only be used for improvement of facilities and all the schools in the county benefit from this based on the number of students enrolled in each school district. In the summer of 2015, air-conditioning was installed at South Elementary School and Pittsfield High School along with updated lighting using the funds. During the 2016-2017 school year, funds were used to install new sound systems in the PHS gym and auditorium and new seats were installed in part of the PHS auditorium. The main controller for the PCS HVAC system was also replaced. In 2017-2018 funds were used to replace the concrete entrance and sidewalks at South School. Over the past 5 years, the 1% sales tax has allowed us to reduce our property tax rate from \$4.45 per \$100 of assessed value to \$3.88 per \$100 of assessed value on taxes due in 2018. In addition, \$420,000 of 1% sales tax revenue is used each year to make bond payments on facility improvements.

A big THANK YOU to all of the citizens of Pike County for helping our area schools with this initiative! When you shop locally, a part of what you spend stays in the county and goes to improve our school facilities.



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			MAP Testing Grades 3-5 PHS B&G Track Saukee Olympics @ Pittsfield 4:00 PHS V Baseball vs. Western @ Pittsfield 4:30 PHS Softball vs. Routt @ Jacksonville 4:30 PHS JV Baseball vs. Liberty @ PCS 4:30	2 PHS V Softball @ Payson 4:30 PHS JV Baseball vs. QHS @ PCS 4:30 PHS V Baseball @ Payson 4:30 PCS B&G Track Beardstown Relays @ Beardstown 4:00	3 PHS V Baseball VS. Porta @ Pittsfield 4:30 PHS Art Show 3:30-5:00	4 PHS Math IHSA State - TBA PHS Softball QND Cluster - TBA SAT Testing - TBA
5 PHS Art Show 12:00-2:00	6 PHS V/JV Baseball vs. Jacksonville HS @ Pittsfield 4:30 "Senior Night" PHS Softball @ Triopia 4:30 PHS Chorus Concert @ PHS Gym 8:00	PHS B&G V Track @ Camp Point 4:00	<b>B</b> PHS Swing Choir Tour PHS Honors Banquet	9 PHS V Softball @ Liberty 4:30 PHS V Baseball @ Triopia 4:30 PHS Swing Choir Concert @ PHS Gym 8:00	<b>10</b> PHS Girls Track IHSA Sectionals - TBA PHS V Softball @ Western 4:30 PHS Jazz Band Tour	<b>11</b> PHS JV Baseball Jerseyville Cluster - TBA PCS B&G Track Sectionals - TBA
12	13 PHS B&G Track Capital Area Classic @ Chatham 5:30 PHS Softball Regional - TBA PHS Baseball IHSA Regional - TBA	PCS Band Concert @ PCS Gym 7:30	15 School Board Meeting @ Board Office 7:30	<b>16</b> PCS Chorus Concert @ PCS Gym 7:30 PHS Girls Track IHSA State @ Charleston - TBA	<b>17</b> PCS B&G Track State @ East Peoria - TBA PHS Boys Track IHSA Sectional - TBA	<b>18</b> PCS B&G Track State @ East Peoria - TBA PHS Girls Track IHSA State @ Charleston - TBA
19	20	21 PHS Softball IHSA Sectional - TBA	22 PHS Baseball IHSA Sectional - TBA	23 PHS Boys Track IHSA State @ Charleston	24	25 PHS Boys Track IHSA State @ Charleston
26	MEMORIAL DAY NO SCHOOL 27 PHS Softball IHSA Supersectional - TBA PHS Baseball IHSA Supersectional - TBA PHS Band Memorial Day Service @ West Cemetery 10:00	<b>28</b> LAST DAY OF SCHOOL (if all 5 emergency days are used)	29	30	<b>31</b> PHS IHSA Softball State - TBA PHS IHSA Baseball State - TBA	

May 2019

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## **PIKELAND UNIT #10 BUILDING STRONG READERS FOR LIFE!**

All parents want to know about the Common Core State Standards (CCSS). Illinois has adopted the CCSS in English, Language Arts, and Math. The Common Core Standards clearly define what students need to learn and teachers need to teach students in kindergarten through twelfth grade. They have been aligned to international standards from the highest achieving countries and adopted by 45 states and the District of Columbia. These standards will help our students become more competitive nationally and internationally. This adoption will provide more consistency for students who have to move to a new attendance center within the state of Illinois or out of state. These standards will help prepare our students for the ever-changing world of the 21<sup>st</sup> Century. The goal for these standards is to provide students with the skills and knowledge to be college and career ready so they can become successful in whatever career path they choose. The Common Core Standards emphasize student engagement and active learning in the classroom. Students may be required to demonstrate and apply their knowledge instead of just answering questions correctly on a pencil-paper test.

### SUGGESTIONS FOR PARENTS ON HOW TO HELP CHILDREN ACHIEVE THE GOALS OF THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS COMMON CORE STATE STANDARDS IN READING: PRESCHOOL THROUGH FIFTH GRADE

Parents are their child's first teachers. Many parents feel the "real" learning for their child occurs when they enter school for the first time. It is true that much of the basic knowledge a child must absorb does occur in the formal school setting; however, teachers and parents can work together to build a partnership to ensure that a strong foundation of reading skills are built for their child. Children are naturally curious and enthusiastic about learning new things. Parents have many wonderful opportunities at home to encourage a love of reading.

Studies show that the more children read, the better readers and writers they will become. You can make reading an everyday part of your child's life. Below are several suggestions to encourage your child to read at home. Your teacher may suggest other things that are specific to your child's needs. All of these suggestions come from research on the way children learn to read. Participating in these on an ongoing basis could help your child make faster progress in learning how to read. These activities can build understanding of the meaning of stories, vocabulary, and teach your child to think about what they are reading. The goal is to help your child become a confident reader for life. Children need to practice reading to improve their skills, just like they would practice soccer to become a better player. It is our goal at Pikeland Unit #10 to work with you to foster a love of reading in your child.

- Begin talking to your child from infancy. Make sounds, call attention to sounds and connect them with real objects and events. Talk to your child and explain activities as you perform them. Listen and encourage conversation with you. Answer questions patiently and promptly as possible.
- Read to your child often and have your child read to you.
- Read all type of materials: Magazines, recipes, shopping lists, fact books (non-fiction) and fiction (pretend). Make sure you offer fiction and non-fiction to your child. Question your child about what happened in the story. Encourage your child to research items read about by digging deeper into non-fiction resources.
- Create a cozy area in your home for you to read to your child or for independent reading.
- Schedule 20 minutes of special time everyday to read to your child or have them read to you. Have your child predict what they think the story will be about. After reading, talk about what happened in the book to check to see if your child's predictions were correct.

- Ask your child to retell the story/chapter by explaining to you what happened in the beginning, middle, and end of the story. This practice improves your child's understanding/ comprehension of the story.
- Ask your child to draw pictures or write a short report about the story and explain to you what happened in the book.
- Visit the public library once a week and read a new book together.
- Play rhyming games. Say words that rhyme (e.g. hat, mat) and ask your child to say a word that rhymes with those words. Take turns and make it fun. You could even make-up nonsense words (e.g. veg, teg).
- Playing with sounds helps your child improve their ability to manipulate letter sounds when reading.
- Take every opportunity to expand your child's language and vocabulary. Use the time traveling in the car to point out signs and print in the environment. Teaching your child about his community through conversations in the car is an excellent way to expand vocabulary.
- Play *Fact or Opinion Game* with your child. The parent says a sentence to the child, and then asks whether it is a fact or opinion. Examples: The clouds are pretty (opinion); a cow can moo (fact).
- Encourage fluency, the ability for your child to read without hesitation, by having your child read and reread familiar books. Children love rereading familiar books.
- Pick out a new or unfamiliar word in a story and discuss the meaning with your child. Have your child try to use the word in a new sentence.
- Have your child read to a younger sibling, or even a pet.
- Network with your child's teacher to find out what your child enjoys reading about in the classroom and for ways you could support their reading at home.
- When your child is writing a school report, show that information from several sources is better then relying on just one book. This way the child will get acquainted with the wide array of resources to gain information.
- Give your child books for special occasions.
- Check out the Illinois State Board of Education Website at www.isbe.net/common\_core for more information.

Some of the information on this page was used from the Oregon Department of Education, Illinois State Board of Education, and the Florida Center for Reading.

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16	17	18	19 School Board Meeting @ Board Office 7:30	20	21	22
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## June 2019

Purchasing in Pike County is a profitable practice.

## **Q:** How do you spell trouble?

Parents, educators, and professionals in the health care field are concerned about the use of drugs - especially alcohol and marijuana by our youth and social acceptability of this use.

- Drug use affects everyone.
- The average age of a child's first involvement with drugs is 11.5 years old
- 1 in 10 teens is an alcoholic.
- Alcohol related traffic accidents are the #1 cause of death among teens.
- Alcohol is implicated in thousands of adolescent drownings, suicides, violent injuries, and deaths and injuries from fire.
- At least 15% of the 10-12<sup>th</sup> graders (1.6 million) drink heavily (5 or more drinks) at least once a week.
- About 75% of senior high school students use alcohol and 44% use other psychoactive drugs.
- Teenagers routinely drink alcohol while using other drugs.
- 1 in 16 young people smoke pot daily.
- 5 joints are equal to 112 cigarettes. Smoking marijuana does cause cancer.
- Many times family homes are a source of, and location for, drinking alcohol.

Your children are not too young to be exposed to drug and alcohol abuse. Protect them by learning about drugs and alcohol. Education is the key to prevention.

## HOW CAN I TELL IF MY CHILD IS USING DRUGS?

It is difficult to separate typical adolescent behavior from drug-induced behavior, but the following can be considered suspect:

- Changes in appearance, appetite, sleeping habits, activities, and/or friends.
- Loss of coordination, slurring speech.
- Unusual irritability.
- Unexplained spending of money.
- Isolation from family.
- Poor performance at school or work.
- Lack of motivation.
- Aggressive behavior.
- Decreased positive social activities.
- Odor on clothes or breath.

JUST

SAY

NO!

## Q: How do you spell help?

Educate yourself about the effects of drugs, the availability of drugs, and the local drug scene. At home, talk with your child about what you are learning, and commit yourselves to a mutual drug and alcohol education program. Take advantage of community programs about drug use.

Make a clear and firm stand against ANY drug usage by your child. Make rules clear and consistent. Be willing to enforce those rules. Develop a parent communication network. Work hard at developing fun, meaningful, and constructive alternatives to drug and alcohol use.

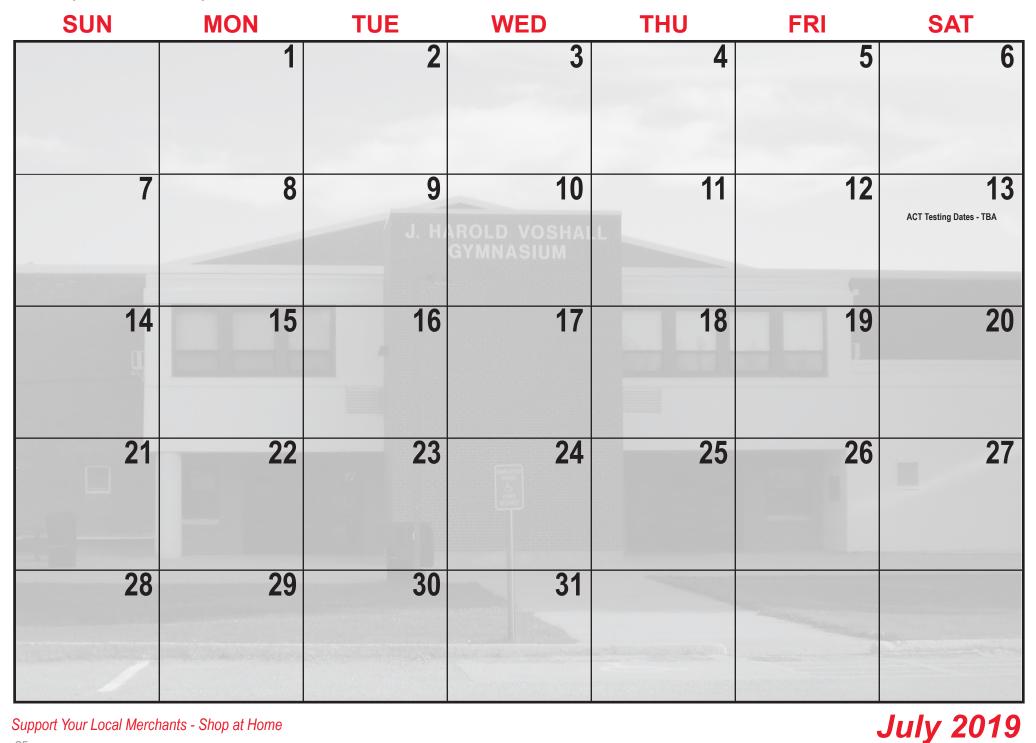
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# MENTAL HEALTH CENTERS OF ILLINOIS 217-285-4436

# RUNAWAY NATIONAL HOTLINE 800-786-2929

## SUICIDE PREVENTION & CRISIS SERVICE 217-285-6111

POISON CONTROL HOTLINE 800-222-1222



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### COMMUNICABLE DISEASE INFORMATION

### BASED ON RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE ILLINOIS DEPT. OF PUBLIC HEALTH

Disease	Symptoms	Incubation	Special Features	Exclusion From School		
Chickenpox	Fever and skin eruption. Red raised dots which turn to blisters then dry to scabs.	10-21 Days	Spread by direct contact. With the rash or breathing in respiratory droplets.	Not less than 5 days after the eruption of the last vesicle or until the vesicles become dry/scabbed.		
Common Cold	Watery discharge from eyes and nose. Generalized tired feeling.	1-3 Days	Spread by discharges from nose and throat. Instruct child to cover coughs and sneezes. Frequent hand washing.	Fever 100° or greater.		
Influenza	Sudden onset of fever, chills, headache, muscle aches, dry cough.	1-5 Days	Spread by direct contact with respiratory droplets.	Until fever free for 24 hours.		
Fever	100° or greater	Variable	Determined by causative agent.	Until no fever for 24 hours or greater.		
Impetigo	Blister like eruptions that open and a yellow crust develops.	4-10 Days	Prompt treatment advised. Spread by lesion discharge. Avoid common use of toilet articles. Frequent hand washing.	Need physicians release, indicating treatment. Lesions must be covered in school. Must have started treatment >24 hours prior to return.		
Infectious Conjunctivitis (Pink Eye)	Reddening of lids and eye, accompanied by discharge. Eye pain.	1-3 Days	Spread through discharge from eyes. Instruct child not to rub eyes. Avoid common use of toilet articles. Frequent hand washing.	Until under treatment by a physician. Must provide evidence of treatment. Must have started treatment >24 hours prior to return.		
Lice (Pediculosis Capitis)	Itching of scalp, presence of nits (eggs) on hair shaft; presence of live lice.	Eggs Hatch 7-10 Days	Spread by direct, close contact within family and/ or community.	Until treated; school must be provided with proof of treatment.		
Measles	2-4 days high fever, cough, watery eyes & nose, red blotchy rash that lasts 4-7 days.	7-18 Days	Spread by direct contact with respiratory droplets. *	Excluded until 4 days after the appearance of rash.		
Mumps	Fever, pain & swelling of one or more salivary gland causing jaw tightness.	12-26 Days	Spread by discharges of nose and throat.	9 days after the onset of swelling.		
Gastroenteritis, Viral	Stomach ache, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, fever, abdominal cramps.	12-48 Hours	Can be spread from person to person via the fecal-oral route.	Until absence of fever, diarrhea, vomiting for 24 hours.		
Hand, Foot & Mouth Disease	Rash/blisters in/on mouth, hands & feet. Fever, loss of appetite. Sore throat.	3-7 Days	Breathing in respiratory droplets, contact fluid from rash/blisters.	Exclude if febrile. If student is unable to maintain hygiene or avoid contact with others.		
Ringworm of Scalp or Body	Reddish ring like rash, often itchy or flaky. Short broken off hair on the scalp.	4-14 Days	Spread by contact with infected persons or animals. Prompt and persistent treatment. Cover lesion if possible.	Until under treatment by physician. Must provide evidence of treatment. Must have started treatment >24 hours prior to return		
Scarlatina, Scarlet Fever "Strep" Throat	Sudden onset with fever, tender lymph nodes, sore throat, fine red rash 1-3 days after onset of sore throat.	1-3 Days	Spread by discharges from nose and throat. Consult physician immediately as to treatment to prevent after effects.	Exclude from school until has started treatment >24 hours prior to return.		
Pertussis, Whooping Cough	Upper respiratory symptoms. Characteristic "Whoop" develops in cough.	7-21 Days	Spread by discharge of nose and throat.	Until at least 5 days after the start of antibiotic therapy.		
Fifth Disease (Erythema Infectiosum)	A facial rash ("slapped cheek" appearance) and a lace-like rash on trunk and extremities. Low grade or no fever.	4-21 Days	Rash may come and go for several weeks. Greatest risk of transmission occurs before rash appears.	If fever is present or if not feeling well enough to participate in usual activities.		

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## August 2019

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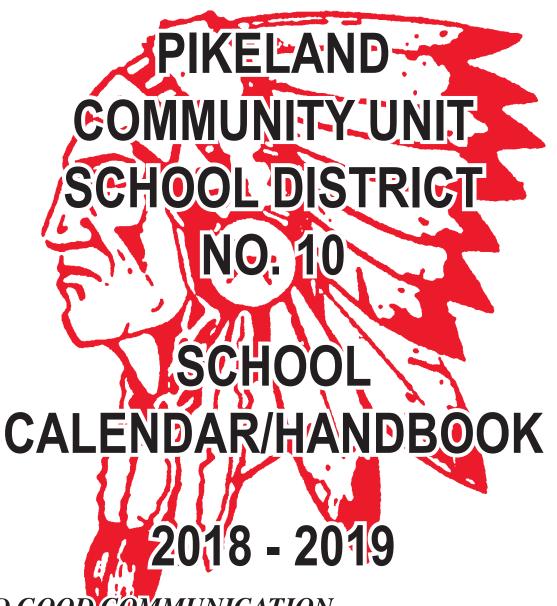
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