

PGA Friday Update

January 14, 2022

Upcoming Dates - Mark your calendar			
January 14		Deadline to complete the Intent to Return Form once for each child.	
January 17		No School	
January 18		PTO Meeting, 3:45	
January 18		PGA PTO Chipotle Meal Night Fundraiser (See details below.)	
January 19 and 20		Crazy Hair Day	
January 21		Asynchronous Learning Day	
February 21		No School	

Important Links

Regular Weekly Schedule Chart 21-22

PSD 2021-22 Calendar

PGA Attendance Policy

PGA School Calendar

Traffic Flow and Parking at PGA

PTO Meeting Dates

PGA Club Information Page

How to order a yearbook

JANUARY Lunch Menu

Click here to view the lunch menu



PGA Tech Support

Click here to make an appointment



Notes for all PGA Families

No School on Monday, January 17.

In order to do critical work on our Mission and Vision and planning for the 2022-23 school year, Friday, January 21, will be a completely asynchronous school day. This means that there will be NO Synchronous Middle Schools Advisory or Lab time on January 21.

Crazy Hair Day is right around the corner. Show off your creativity on January 19th and 20th and wear your crazy hair to synchronous or on-campus classes.

Chipotle Fundraiser

Have dinner out at Chipotle on Tuesday, January 18 (between 4 and 8 p.m.) and bring one of the attached flyers (English | Spanish) to have a portion of your proceeds go to our PTO.

Flyers will be sent home on January 18 with all K-8 students who are on-campus that day. You can also order online and use the code KDRPZNN to participate.

All PTO fundraising money goes right back into supporting teachers and students at PGA. PTO graciously added to every teacher's classroom budget as a wonderful holiday gift, so have dinner and give to PGA and our students!

REMINDER: Student Drop Off

All families dropping students off should follow <u>PGA traffic flow and parking document</u>. For student safety, we ask that you please do not pull into the parking lot on the east side of the building for student drop off/pick up.

REMINDER: Intent to Return for the 2022-23 School Year

In order to know how many seats we will have available to offer to new students during the school choice window, we need to know how many of our current students are planning to return. Let us know your plans for next year by visiting this link. Please complete this by January 14, 2022. It will close at 4:00pm.

Notes from Elementary



Spelling Bee Champs

Thanks to all who participated in the PGA Spelling Bee and Mrs. Martine for coordinating it.

And Congrats to our PGA Spelling Bee Champs!

Aspen Ligon -Elementary

Hunter Mast - Middle School

Circle Stories Club Resuming!

We will resume the after school club, Circle Stories, on Thursday, January 20th, from 3:30 - 4:00.

If you have not made arrangements with your teacher to pick up 3rd quarter supplies, please do so as soon as possible.

Notes from Middle School



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Notes from High School

Course Registration

More information about course registration for the 2022-2023 school year will be coming over the next 2-3 weeks.

PSAT & SAT Testing

Students in grades 9 & 10 will take the PSAT this spring and students in grade 11 will take the SAT. These assessments are part of the Colorado Measures of Academic Success (CMAS) assessments this spring. The primary test date for the PSAT/SAT is Wednesday April 13, 2022. Please look for an email early next week with some important details that include:

- Information about the optional essay for 11th grade students completing the SAT, and how you can opt-in to taking the essay on test day.
- Information about the Student Data Questionnaire (SDQ) that is an optional component of the
 assessment process for students in grades 10 and 11. Completion of this optional survey requires
 parental consent, so information about the SDQ and how to consent to or decline the SDQ will be
 included.
- Information about testing with accommodations. These accommodations are typically included in a 504, IEP, or ELD plan, and parental consent is required to be able to disclose information to the CollegeBoard to request appropriate accommodations.

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See this week's Counseling Connection below...



Upcoming Events:

Event Title & Location	Date	Description
PSD Senior Scholarship Application	Due 1/22/22	Apply for 0ver 20 scholarships in 1 application! See your email and counselor for details. Application here
FAFSA (Free application for federal student aid) workshop - room 109	1/28, 10:00 - 12:00	Seniors - attend this workshop for a quick process overview and Q&A regarding the FAFSA application (grants/loans for college)

Mental Health Tools & Community Resources:



Fort Collins Museum of Discovery will open this special exhibit about mental health opening on 9/25. More info: https://fcmod.org/mindmatters/

Grade Level or School-wide Updates:

9th grade Advisory Quarter 3 all Freshman will participate in an Advisory Extended Learning Opportunity (ELO)

Hybrid students - Monday Advisory will stay the same Mondays from 2:03-2:33, Wednesdays will be from 12:30-1:45.

Virtual students -Tuesday Advisory stay the same from 2:03-2:33. Wednesdays will be extended 45 minutes and run from 2:03 - 3:17.

The primary purpose for this extension is to give "rising Sophomores" (current 9th graders) time to learn about the expanding class selection and work based learning opportunities in Poudre School District!



Click on the graphic to get more info.



Children & Teens Clothing Closet &

Food Pantry - reach out to your child's counselor for access.

Counselor Caseloads:

All Elementary Students & High School Students with last names starting with Ge-Mi = Chris Hagge

All Middle School Students & High School Students with last names starting with A-Ga = $\frac{Rachel\ Eaton}{}$

High School Students with last names starting with Mo-Z + Teen
Parents= <u>Anne Eakins</u>

Next Steps & Options: <u>Stacy Sevelin</u>