



APTOS JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

Home of the Sea Dragons
Elizabeth Toshikian, Principal
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Important Dates: [AJHS SSC/ HSC dates 2025-26](#)
Progress Report Q1 9/11/25 ends

- 9/15 - Access Tutoring room 5 3:05-4:00**
 - ROV- Digital Design after school room 19
- 9/16 - Access Tutoring room 5 3:05-3:45**
 - Yearbook Club starts today after school in Library
 - Lunch time Gaming club Tues/Thur
- 9/17 - Green Team Lunch room 11**
 - Cross Country Meet @ Aptos Junior High 3:45
 - Community Showcase Seascape Golf Club 4-7
- 9/18 - Access Tutoring room 5 3:05-4:00**
 - Gaming club Tues/Thur
 - Home Game 3:30 Basketball and Soccer
- 9/19 - Access Tutoring room 5 1:05-2:00**
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[Home and School Club's Instagram page:](#)

[Aptos Junior High's Instagram page](#)

[AJHS Student Handbook 2025-26](#)

Washington DC/NY meeting mandatory Oct 1st for 8th graders going on the trip Spring Break 2026. 6:00pm in the gym. There is a waitlist.

Washington DC/NY trip Spring Break 2027 current 7th graders information about trip to come in October.

Aptos Surf Team is a competitive team they are looking for support to participate in this year's surf competitions. Paul Davies is the coach and they are looking for more students interested in surf competitions. We are looking for more money in donations. Please consider donating <https://store.5starstudents.com/aptosjr/item/81>

AJHS 8th Grade Promotion Requirements the district has adopted new requirements to participate in end of the year events like promotion ceremony, 8th grade dance, 8th grade trip to Great America. [AJHS 8th Grade Promotion Requirements](#)

Yearbooks: Yearbooks on Sale Now

Hi Sea Dragons! It's never too early to start thinking about the yearbook. There is an early bird discount going on now thru September 30th. Order your yearbook today and save 10%.

Here is the link for [Treering](#). You'll have to create an account and then you can place your order. The discount will automatically be applied at checkout. More detailed information regarding your two free custom pages and baby pictures for 8th graders coming soon.

If you prefer not to order online, send in cash or a check, made payable to AJHS in the amount of \$37.45, and drop it off in the library. A receipt will be sent home.

7th Grade CSUMB campus visit: our 7th grade class is going on a field trip in September and we are looking for chaperones to support our teachers. To be a parent volunteer for the CSUMB field trip, you will not need to drive as we will be riding the school buses. The main responsibilities include: keeping students with their assigned teacher/group.

7th Grade Summit Information

Date: Sept. 22nd

Time: 8:20 am-1:30 pm

Location: CSUMB

Donations for 5 Star store and other projects around the school.

[Donor Choose supplies link](#)

Attendance

Parents and Guardians have 3 days to excuse students from absences. Excused absences must fit within Ed Code 48205 visit [state website](#) for list of excused absences. Vacations are not excused absences. If students are absent for 3 or more days they need a doctor's note justifying absences. Please call Susie Cunha at 831-728-7834 ext 5491 or email her at susie_cunha@pvusd.net. leave a message day or night.

Athletics:  [2025-2026 PVAL Schedule.pdf](#)

Season 1 Sports: Cross Country, Girls' Basketball, Boys' Soccer 9/2/2025 – 10/10/2025

Game Dates: 9/18, 9/23, 9/25, 9/30, 10/2, 10/7, 10/9

Cross Country Meet Dates 09/17/2025 Aptos Jr. Host: CCMS/Charter

09/24/2025 Lakeview/Pajaro

10/01/2025 Pinto Lake Host: Pajaro/Rolling Hills

10/08/2025 Finals @ Pinto Lake County - Aptos

Bus Transportation (Z-Pass)

All bus pass information or needs will only be managed by the main office with Ms. DeAnn Najera.

Food Services

All PVUSD students will be offered one FREE breakfast and lunch at school daily. No meal applications are needed. You can purchase extra food with prepayment options on the [website](#).

Parent/Guardian Participation

We are looking for parents/guardians who are interested in volunteering at the school in multiple ways: [Google form to sign up](#)

1. Supervision (lunch, break, after school)
2. Lunchtime Games: intramural games basketball, soccer etc.
3. Home and School Club: once a month meeting Sept.- May third Thursday
4. Staff appreciation events:
 - a. Staff Welcome Back Breakfast
 - b. Staff Appreciation Luncheon(s)
5. College visit tour volunteers
6. Play Day set up and clean up (last week of school)

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