

# WELCOME TO THE PANTHERS TEAM NIGHT

AUGUST 24, 2022



## PANTHER TEAM TEACHERS

- MRS. TRACI CURRY
- MRS. ALLISON ETHEREDGE
- MRS. CRYSTAL NOLEN
- MRS. CATE SAGASTEGUI
- MRS. JULIE SPEIR



# DAILY SCHEDULE

- Rotating Schedule
- W.I.N Time 11:24 -11:54
- Snack at 10:27
- Lunch 12:58-1:28

## 2022-2023 Master Schedule:

		Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>8:10-8:30</b>	20 min.	Bridge	Bridge	Bridge	Bridge	Bridge
<b>8:33-9:27</b>	54 min.	A <sub>1</sub>	B <sub>2</sub>	C <sub>3</sub>	D <sub>5</sub>	E <sub>6</sub>
<b>9:30-10:24</b>	54 min.	B <sub>2</sub>	C <sub>3</sub>	D <sub>5</sub>	E <sub>6</sub>	A <sub>1</sub>
<b>10:27-11:21</b>	54 min.	C <sub>3</sub>	D <sub>5</sub>	E <sub>6</sub>	A <sub>1</sub>	B <sub>2</sub>
<b>11:24-11:54</b>	30 min.	W.I.N Time	W.I.N Time	Advisory	W.I.N Time	W.I.N Time
<b>11:57-1:30</b>	93 min.	SL <sub>4</sub> / Lunch	SL <sub>4</sub> / Lunch	SL <sub>4</sub> / Lunch	SL <sub>4</sub> / Lunch	SL <sub>4</sub> / Lunch
<b>1:33-2:27</b>	54 min.	D <sub>5</sub>	E <sub>6</sub>	A <sub>1</sub>	B <sub>2</sub>	C <sub>3</sub>
<b>2:30-3:24</b>	54 min.	E <sub>6</sub>	A <sub>1</sub>	B <sub>2</sub>	C <sub>3</sub>	D <sub>5</sub>
<b>3:27-3:30</b>	3 min.	HMRM PM	HMRM PM	HMRM PM	HMRM PM	HMRM PM

# GRADING:

- MAJOR GRADES 60% /MINOR GRADES 40%
- THE "0" AND THE "1" :  
A ZERO "0" IN THE GRADEBOOK MEANS THAT YOUR CHILD EITHER EARNED A ZERO, OR DIDN'T SUBMIT AN ASSIGNMENT BY THE DEADLINE. THESE ASSIGNMENTS CANNOT BE MADE UP.  
A ONE "1" IN THE GRADEBOOK MEANS THAT YOUR CHILD CAN STILL COMPLETE THE ASSIGNMENT OR MAKE UP THAT WORK UNTIL THE DEADLINE ESTABLISHED BY THE TEACHER.

# TEAM EXPECTATIONS

- I WILL **BE PREPARED** FOR CLASS AND **DO MY BEST** AT ALL TIMES.
- I WILL **RESPECT** ALL PEOPLE AND THEIR BELONGINGS.
- I WILL **TELL THE TRUTH** AT ALL TIMES.
- I WILL **ASK PERMISSION** TO SPEAK OR LEAVE MY SEAT.
- I WILL **DO WHAT I AM ASKED**, THE FIRST TIME I AM ASKED, BY ANY ADULT IN THIS SCHOOL.

# SCIENCE – MRS. CURRY

- 1<sup>ST</sup> SEMESTER:  
UNDERSTANDING WEATHER AND CLIMATE  
EXPLORING PLATE TECTONICS
- 2<sup>ND</sup> SEMESTER:  
RESEARCHING THE SUN EARTH MOON  
SYSTEM  
EXPLORING PLANETARY SYSTEMS
- GRADING:  
MAJOR GRADES -  
TESTS/QUIZZES/PROJECTS 60%  
MINOR GRADES -  
CLASSWORK/HOMEWORK 40%
- CLASS EXPECTATIONS:  
DAILY CLASSWORK  
HOMEWORK GIVEN RARELY  
STUDY NIGHTLY  
KEEP A NEAT AND ORGANIZED BINDER  
CHECK SCHOOLLOGY DAILY



# SOCIAL STUDIES – MRS. NOLEN

- TEXTBOOK - HOUGHTON MIFFLIN HARCOURT: UNITED STATES HISTORY – CIVIL WAR TO PRESENT
- DIGITAL VERSION OF TEXTBOOK (BY CHAPTER) WILL BE UPLOADED TO SCHOOLGY MATERIALS FOLDERS AS NEEDED.
- COVERING THE LATE 1800S THROUGH PRESENT DAY, BEGINNING WITH THE SECOND INDUSTRIAL REVOLUTION AND ENDING WITH VIETNAM, WITH FOCUS ON BOTH WORLD WARS AND OTHER SIGNIFICANT EVENTS.
- SOCIAL STUDIES BINDERS- KEEP THEM NEAT AND ORGANIZED
- TESTS/PROJECTS : 60%  
CLASSWORK/QUIZZES:40%
- HOMEWORK - UNFINISHED CLASSWORK; STUDY 15 MINUTES EACH NIGHT
- VOCABULARY QUIZZES
- STUDY GUIDES AND REVIEW BEFORE TESTS
- CHECK SCHOOLGY DAILY FOR READING GUIDES, ASSIGNMENTS, QUIZLETS, AND UPDATES.




# MATH – MRS. ETHEREDGE

- ONLINE TEXT: ENVISION - STUDENTS CAN ACCESS THE ONLINE TEXT BY USING THE DMS HOMEPAGE, FOR STUDENTS TAB, CLEVER, SAVVAS APP
- STUDENT LOG INS/PASSWORDS - USERNAME AND PASSWORD IS THE SAME THAT THEY USE TO LOGIN TO THEIR IPAD
- ALL HOMEWORK WILL BE COMPLETED ONLINE
- SUPPLIES – YOUR CHILD SHOULD HAVE A MATH BINDER WITH AT LEAST ONE TAB DIVIDER; COMPOSITION NOTEBOOK
- POSTED IN SCHOOLOGY:  
LESSON PLANS WILL BE POSTED IN SCHOOLOGY FOR STUDENTS AND PARENTS TO KNOW WHAT TO EXPECT FOR THE UPCOMING WEEK.







 **Aug 31**

6:00 PM - 7:00 PM

Curriculum Night: Leopards and Pumas

[View All](#) +



## Announcements

### + **Email from Mrs. Armstrong**

Mrs. Armstrong recently sent an email out to families regarding information. [Click here to read the email!](#)

### + **Camp Drake 2021**

We are excited about this year and all the excitement that it will bring from Camp Drake, presented by Mrs. Armstrong (Principal) and the presentation itself, too!

If you were able to attend in-person, please take a moment to share your experience with us.

If you are planning to drop off or pick up your student by car at the event, please [review this video](#) for a brief tour of the car rider line.

### + **Auburn Youth Lacrosse Club Fall Registration**

**REGISTRATION WILL CLOSE AT 12:01am 9/2/2021.** Please visit [www.auburnyouthlax.com](http://www.auburnyouthlax.com) or contact Meagan

- ACS Parent and Student Handbook
- Clever
- Destiny Library Search
- DMS Student Handbook
- DMS Tech Support
- Envision Math and other important
- Harassment/ Bullying Information
- Library
- Math Placement and other presentation
- Office 365 (and other Principals). [Here](#) is the
- PBIS Rewards
- PowerSchool Student
- Grade Portal
- Schoology
- STAR Testing of the year. Please [review this](#)
- Student iPad HelpDesk
- Ticket

## Tweets by @AuburnCityEdu

 **Auburn City Schools** ✓  
@AuburnCityEdu

During the week of August 23-27, ACS reported 93 confirmed cases of COVID-19 to the ADPH.

READ MORE: [facebook.com/10792312933293](https://facebook.com/10792312933293)





### A. Etheredge's Page

Shared with all your students

0 Resources



### Just you

Only visible to you

0 Resources



### District Page

Shared by your district

46 Resources



Help a student

## Favorites

SAVVAS

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DISTRICT

Hide ^

## Hour of Code 2018 (District)

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Dance Party



Dance Party - Teacher Notes



Minecraft Voyage Aquatic



Minecraft - Teacher Notes



Animate a Name



Animate a Name - Teacher Notes



Unusual Discovery



Unusual Discovery - Teacher No...



Teacher How-To

+ Add

## New in the Clever Library

Check out the latest additions to the Clever Library.



WordFlight: Where Automaticity Happens



Guided Compass Purpose-driven career development and work-based learning



Kahoot! Make learning awesome!



Khan Academy Kids Free standards-aligned activities for preschool - 2nd grade

Would you like personalized recommendations? [Learn more.](#)

Show them

# LANGUAGE ARTS – MRS. SAGASTEGUI

## GRADING

- MAJOR GRADES 60%
- MINOR GRADES 40%

## CONTENT

- GREEK AND LATIN ROOTS
- FIGURATIVE LANGUAGE
- ELEMENTS OF PLOT
- PRONOUNS
- WRITING
- READING

## SUPPLIES:

- BINDER
- FOLDER
- PENCILS



Students will read if we give them the books, the time, and the enthusiastic encouragement to do so. If we make them wait for the one unit a year in which they are allowed to choose their own books and become readers, they may never read at all. To keep our students reading, we have to let them.

~ Donalyn Miller

STUDENTS MUST ALWAYS HAVE A BOOK TO READ.



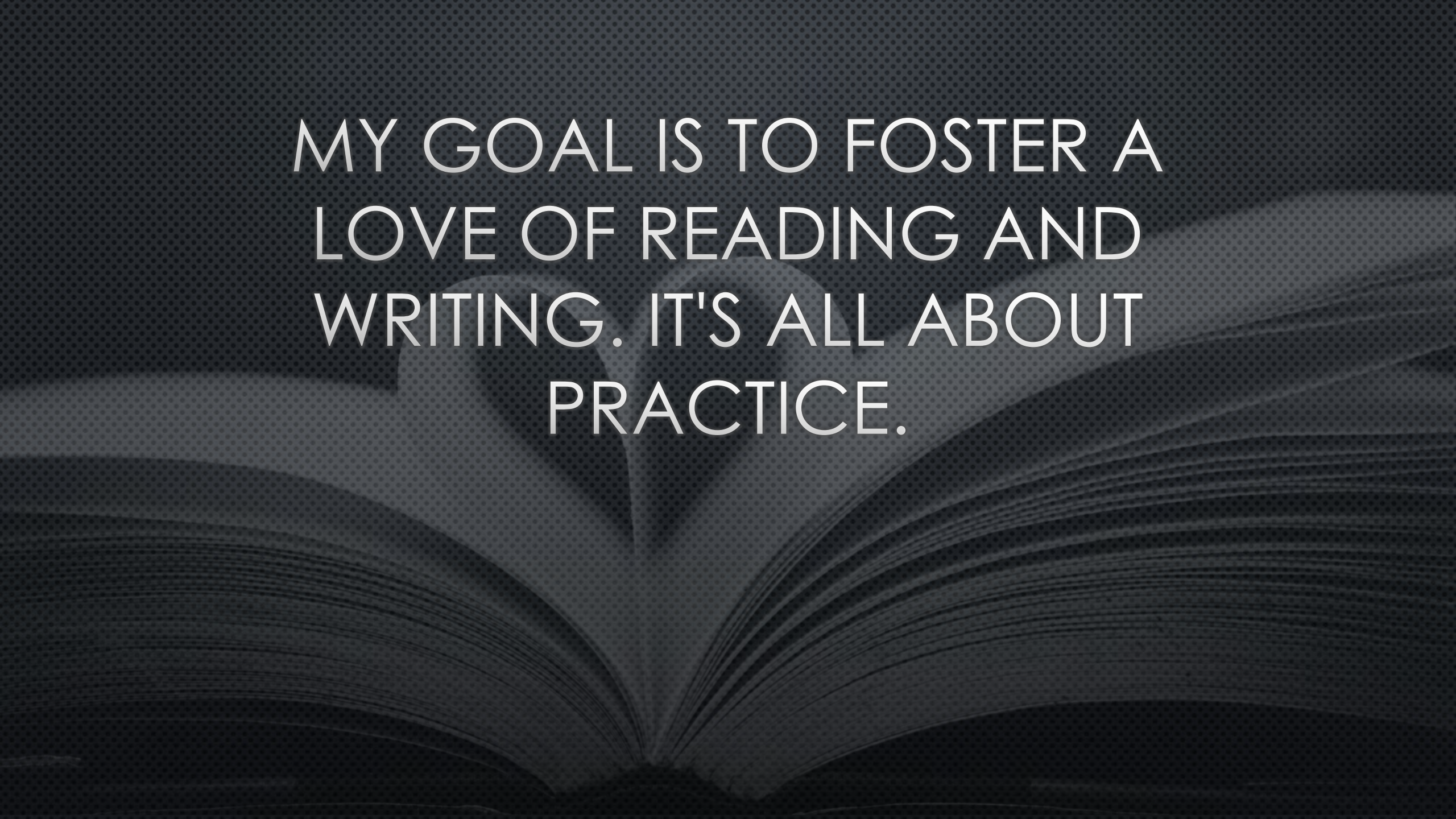
BOOK CLUBS



40 BOOK  
CHALLENGE



MARCH MADNESS  
BOOK TOURNAMENT



MY GOAL IS TO FOSTER A  
LOVE OF READING AND  
WRITING. IT'S ALL ABOUT  
PRACTICE.

WRITING

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Writing of the  
Week  
Essays

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Reflections

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Writing Units

# ART – MRS. SPEIR

In art class, I supply everything your student will need for all the art projects, but if you would prefer for your child not share materials we do use Sharpies and markers on a regular basis. I clean all supplies after each class, but I do want to give you an opportunity to purchase these items if you would prefer for your child not to share these materials.



Art grades include: sketchbook, art projects, daily grades, and vocab quizzes.



## Exploratory Classes

**Each student  
has all  
exploratory  
classes in 6-  
week  
rotations**

# Art



- In art they will do many creative projects using various mediums.
- They will also learn different periods of art, characteristics of those works, and characteristics of art. We strive to bring out the inner artists.

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# STEM

- The focus of STEM class is to introduce students to careers in science, math, and technology.
- There will be a heavy focus on engineering and hands on learning assignments
- Students will work cooperatively in groups to do projects.



# Foreign Language

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- Students will develop basic conversation skills in Spanish
- They will also be introduced to the unique geography, history, and culture of the regions.



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# Music



- In music, students will explore:
  - Rhythm Patterns
  - Note recognition
  - Elements of Music
  - Sight Reading
  - Creating Movement with Music
  - So much more
- The goal is to help students develop a deeper love and appreciation of music.

# Current Events



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- Current Events, now called Elective Survey, will help students understand what is happening in the world while delivering the news in an age-appropriate manner.
- They will be required to read or watch a news story of their choosing for homework and share their findings with the class.
- This is a great class that will help students start to understand the importance of researching, organizing information, and citing sources.

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# Digital Connections



- In digital connections they will gain a deeper understanding of technology.
- They will become better typists, and do projects centered around digital mediums.

# PE

- Coach Agee
- Coach Kitchens
- Coach G

- **GOAL: TO DEVELOP PHYSICALLY EDUCATED INDIVIDUALS**
- TEAM SPORTS
- INDIVIDUAL/DUAL SPORTS
- FITNESS GAMES
- ADVENTURES LEARNING
- HEALTH LESSONS
- FITNESS TRAINING

# DISCIPLINE – DISCIPLINE POINTS

- OUR GOAL IS FAIR, CONSISTENT, AND APPROPRIATE DISCIPLINE
- DISCIPLINE OPPORTUNITIES ARE TEACHING OPPORTUNITIES – WE MAY NOT CALL HOME EVERY SINGLE TIME!
- DISCIPLINE POINTS ARE REFLECTED AS A STUDENTS HOMEROOM GRADE (NOT AN ACADEMIC GRADE).
  - ALL STUDENTS BEGIN WITH 100 POINTS AT THE BEGINNING OF EACH SEMESTER.
- YOU MUST HAVE DISCIPLINE POINTS TO PARTICIPATE IN POSITIVE BEHAVIOR EVENTS.



# PBS – POSITIVE BEHAVIOR SUPPORT

- PBS IS HOW WE TRY TO RECOGNIZE STUDENTS WHO ARE DISPLAYING GOOD BEHAVIOR.
- STUDENTS HAVE THE ABILITY TO EARN PBIS POINTS
  - 10 POINTS FOR TEAM T-SHIRT ON CORRECT DAY.
  - 15 POINTS FOR NO DISCIPLINARY ISSUES.
- THEY MAY PURCHASE REWARDS WITH THEIR PBIS POINTS
- EXAMPLES: LUNCH OUTSIDE, GREAT BREAK TICKETS, CANDY, ETC.

# CELL PHONES

- PHONES ARE TO BE TURNED OFF AND KEPT OUT OF SIGHT AT ALL TIMES BETWEEN 7:50-3:30.
- IF A PHONE IS "SEEN" OR "HEARD", STUDENT WILL BE WARNED AND PARENT CONTACTED. REPEATED OFFENSES WILL WARRANT
- IF A STUDENT IS USING A PHONE – INCLUDING TEXTING, CALLING, USING VIDEO, USING SOCIAL MEDIA APPS, ETC. THE PHONE WILL BE CONFISCATED ACCORDING TO DISTRICT PROTOCOL IN THE ACS ELECTRONIC DEVICE POLICY:
  - 1<sup>ST</sup> OFFENSE – KEPT 1 DAY PARENT PICKS UP
  - 2<sup>ND</sup> OFFENSE – KEPT 10 DAYS PARENT PICKS UP
  - 3<sup>RD</sup> OFFENSE – KEPT UNTIL END OF SEMESTER, PARENT PICKS UP

# SCHOOLGY ACCESS FOR ALL CLASSES

- ❖ Schoology can be accessed from the Auburn City Schools website ([www.auburnschools.org](http://www.auburnschools.org))
- ❖ Find "For Students" and scroll down to Schoology
- ❖ Students will login with normal username and password (which is their lunch number)
- ❖ Once you are in Schoology, choose the course you want to find work for...it's all there!

**MAKE SURE YOU KNOW YOUR CHILD'S LOGIN  
INFORMATION!!!**

# COMMUNICATION

- **DMS WEBSITE** – GENERAL INFORMATION

- [HTTP://WWW.AUBURNSCHOOLS.ORG/DMS](http://www.auburnschools.org/dms)

- **PANTHER TEAM WEEKLY EMAIL**

- IF YOU DO NOT RECEIVE AN EMAIL THIS WEEK, PLEASE LET US KNOW AND WE WILL ADD YOU TO THE LIST.

**POWERSCHOOL** – YOU SHOULD HAVE RECEIVED A LETTER WITH LOG IN INFORMATION SPECIFIC TO YOUR CHILD, LETTERS WERE SENT HOME ON AUGUST 18TH.

# PARENT PORTAL

- THE PARENT PORTAL (POWER SCHOOL) IS OPEN FOR STUDENTS AND PARENTS TO ACCESS
- PARENTS SHOULD HAVE RECEIVED A LETTER LAST WEEK CONTAINING THE INFORMATION NEEDED TO SETUP PARENT ACCOUNTS THAT LINK TO THEIR STUDENT.

# COMMUNICATION

- **EMAIL IS THE BEST WAY TO GET IN TOUCH WITH TEACHERS**

- [ANETHEREDGE@AUBURNSCHOOLS.ORG](mailto:ANETHEREDGE@AUBURNSCHOOLS.ORG)
- [TCURRY@AUBURNSCHOOLS.ORG](mailto:TCURRY@AUBURNSCHOOLS.ORG)
- [CCNOLEN@AUBURNSCHOOLS.ORG](mailto:CCNOLEN@AUBURNSCHOOLS.ORG)
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- [CWSAGASTEGUI@AUBURNSCHOOLS.ORG](mailto:CWSAGASTEGUI@AUBURNSCHOOLS.ORG)

# INSTAGRAM ACCOUNTS

- DRAKE - @JFDRAKEMIDDLESCHOOL
- MRS. SAGASTEGUI @MRS.SAGASTEGUI
  - PANTHERS - @DRAKEPANTHERS

# DISMISSAL

- CAR RIDERS DISMISS TO CAFÉ AT 3:30
- BUS RIDERS DISMISS USUALLY BY 3:36 (DISMISSED BY TEAMS)
- WALKERS LEAVE WITH CAR RIDERS AT 3:30
  - WALKERS WHO LIVE ACROSS DONAHUE NEAR CARY WOODS EXIT THE FRONT WALKWAY
  - WALKERS WHO LIVE NORTH OF DMS WILL WALK DOWN SPENCER AVE
  - WALKERS WHO LIVE SOUTH OF DMS WILL WALK OUT BACK TO THE STOP SIGN



# DRESS CODE

## Pants, Skirts, Dresses, and Shorts

1. Pants must be worn at the waist level.
2. Pants that are too tight or allow for exposure of undergarments are not permitted.
3. Baggy, overly loose fitting pants must be worn with a belt. No sagging pants.
4. Pants or Jeans may only have holes at the knee or below. Pants or Jeans that have holes above the knee are not allowed, unless there is material beneath the holes.
5. Students may not wear pajamas or loungewear.
6. The length of skirts, dresses, and shorts (front and back) must be deemed appropriate and must conform to the "4-inch rule". No slits or leg openings can be higher than four (4) inches above the top of the kneecap.
7. Skirts, dresses, and shorts must conform to the "4-inch rule" regardless of whether they are worn with tights, panty hose, or bare legs.
8. Skirts, dresses, and shorts must be appropriate whether the student is standing or sitting.
9. Leggings, yoga pants, and other tight fitting, spandex or lycra based pants must be worn with an acceptable top that covers the private areas of the body.
10. Shorts must conform to the "4-inch rule". Nylon type spandex shorts (ex: bike shorts) are not permitted.

# DRESS CODE

When a student is standing up straight with arms and hands straight down, the hem of the garment should be no higher than four (4) inches from the top of the kneecap and around the perimeter of the legs when measured by a ruler.

## Tops

1. Tops must have shoulder sleeves that have a minimum two (2") width shoulder strap. This includes T-shirts.
2. Tops that reveal the body in an inappropriate manner are not permitted. This includes but is not limited to mid-driffs, bare at the sides, sundresses, "spaghetti strap" type tops, Racer backs, off-the-shoulder tops, low-cut front or low-cut tops, tops that show cleavage, sheer or see-through clothing, etc.
3. T-shirts that extend below four (4) inches from the top of the kneecap must be tucked in.
4. Men's style undershirts are not permitted to be worn unless concealed under an acceptable shirt/top garment.

## Head Gear

1. Students may not wear hats or head coverings in school buildings or on school premises. This includes but is not limited to bandanas, athletic headbands, headscarves/hair wraps, and other forms of headgear or hair covering.
  - a. Exceptions include:
    - i. Head gear used as part of a uniform such as the JROTC cap, band uniform hats, and athletic headgear worn with a uniform on the playing and practice fields are allowed.
    - ii. Religious purposes, which have been approved prior to wearing.
    - iii. During extreme cold weather, students will be allowed to wear toboggans outdoors on campus.