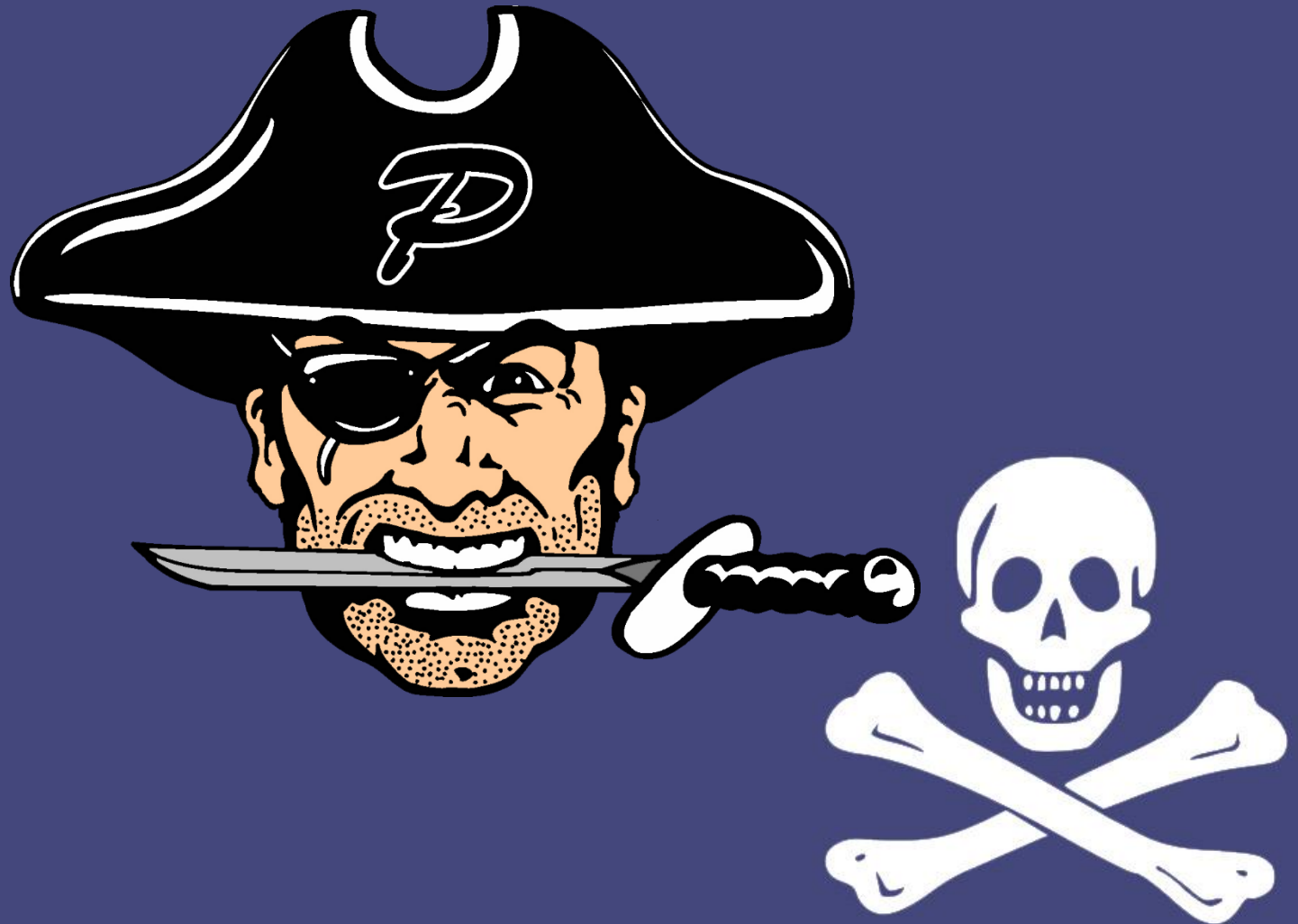


WELCOME TO PEARL UPPER ELEMENTARY



Meet the Teachers



Mrs. Jordan



Ms. Haley



OUR MISSION

The Mission of Pearl Public School District is to prepare each student to become a life-long learner, achieve individual goals, and positively impact a global society.



Reminders

- Pirate Pride T-shirts - \$12.00
- Please send a water bottle labeled with your child's name for your child to use at school. We will not use the water fountains this year. We have bottle fillers on each hallway.
- Unfortunately, we will not be allowed to have lunch guests or birthday celebrations at school to reduce the number of people in our building.



Transportation

- Car riders must be dropped off and picked up at the back of the building. Please stay in line and do not go around cars that are parked waiting to drop off or pick up students. Students must sit on the passenger side of the car.
- Car riders must arrive before 7:20 a.m. to eat breakfast at school.
- Bus riders should ride only one bus to and from school. (District Policy)
- Please send a signed note if students will change their transportation home.
We do not allow students to ride the bus home with friends.
- Please check book bags for items that do not need to come to school.



Transportation Text Alerts

To receive text alerts related to Pearl Upper bus routes: Text @busupele to 81010

These alerts will let you know about substitute buses and late buses.



Arrivals/Dismissals

- Arrival –
 - Students may arrive at school between 6:55-7:30 am.
 - Students arriving after 7:30 am are considered tardy.
 - We begin classwork as soon as students enter the classroom; therefore, it is very important for students to be at school on time.
- Early Dismissal/Checkout–
 - If you need to check your child out early, please arrive before 1:00.
 - A valid photo ID is required for dismissals. Only people listed as emergency contacts in Active Parent will be allowed to check out a student.
 - Students must be at school 63% of the day to be counted present
- Be sure to send an excuse with your child after every absence.



*** Please read pages 6-8 of the student handbook for the district attendance policy.

Lunch Reminders

- Student lunch price is \$3.00.
- To allow for social distancing, we will rotate eating in the cafeteria by grade level. During the week that students eat in the classroom, they may have a picnic outside with their class.
- Please send a labeled large towel or a small blanket to leave at school for your child to use for outside lunch days.



School Nurse Reminders

- Students **SHOULD NOT** attend school if they have any of the following:
 - Fever of 100° or greater; chills; nausea/vomiting; diarrhea; severe sore throat/earache/headache; persistent cough; contagious rash; pink eye.
 - Your child's temperature will be checked upon entering the classroom each morning. If your child has a temperature of more than 100°, your child will be admitted to our isolation room. We will contact you to come to check your child out of school within thirty minutes.



Discipline Policy

- Green = good behavior
 - Yellow = no talking lunch
 - Orange = no talking lunch, miss half of recess
 - Red = no talking lunch, miss all of recess
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- Serious issues go straight to office
 - Planners will be marked by teacher each day to note behavior



Signed Papers



- Sent home every Monday
- Must be signed and returned on Tuesday
- Check folder and remove any notes and newsletter

Homework

Check newsletters and planners daily for homework assignments.



School and Teacher Websites

Please visit our district, school, and teacher websites often. On these websites, you will find important updates, a school calendar, Principal Minutes, newsletters, and a variety of valuable information and resources.

- www.pearlk12.com



Google Classroom

Students will be learning how to use Google Classroom while at school. In case we have to use the virtual model at any point during the school year, students will already be familiar with using this learning management system.



Our Classroom Schedule

- 7:00-7:45 - Breakfast and Morning Work
- 7:45-8:05 - Morning Meeting
- 8:05-9:05 - Language Arts Centers
- 9:05-10:05 - Math Centers
- 10:05-10:35 & 11:45 – 12:10 – IEP Goals
- 10:35-11:05 - Restroom/ Lunch Break
- 11:10-11:25 - Science and Read Aloud
- 11:25- 11:45 - Recess
- 12:20- 1:00 - Restroom / Specials



Special Classes...

- Art: Use the Box Top app to scan in grocery receipts. Proceeds will be used to supplement our art program.
- Library: Please help students care for (and keep up with) library books!
- Music: Students will be learning about musical notation, famous composers, and instrument families this year.
- P.E.: Please wear tennis shoes on P.E. days. Students will need to bring a water bottle.
- Computer: Encourage your child to practice typing at home (www.typing.com) Sign up for a free account.



Field Trips

All school field trips are cancelled this year.



REPORT CARD CONFERENCES

We will see you on
October 12, 2020!



WE LOOK FORWARD
TO WORKING WITH
YOU AND YOUR
CHILD THIS YEAR.
THANK YOU FOR
YOUR TIME.

