



# Panther Prints

Pinewood Elementary School  
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September/October 2020

## UPCOMING EVENTS

*September is Suicide  
Prevention Month*

*September 11, 2020  
Interim Reports Issued*

*September 24, 2020  
School Advisory Council  
Meeting*

*Microsoft Teams at 6:30 pm*

*September 28, 2020  
School Closed*

*October 16, 2020  
Early Release Day*

*October 19, 2020  
Employee Planning*

*(No School for students)*

## REMINDER

Please pick up your children(s) school material in the front office. If your child does not have a Laptop and needs one please call the office so that your child(s) name is put on the list for an appointment.



## A message from Our Principal

Dear Parents and Friends,

We welcome everyone to the 2020-2021 school year. We have had a busy first month of school. Our teachers have set high expectations for all students. Our students are happy and excited about their online learning. We will continue to encourage our students to dream big dreams, give them support as they strive to achieve their dreams, and commend them as those dreams become their successes.

Your partnership with your child's teacher (s) and the staff, is powerful and beneficial to his/her academic and social/emotional growth. Please assist us in fostering open lines of communication between you and child's teacher(s).

I look forward to working with each of you as we continue to make Pinewood a place where dreams really do come true.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Daniel, Principal

## A Message From Our Assistant Principal

Pinewood Families,

The start of the 2020-2021 school year has been unique for our teachers, students, and families. We are here to support you and help you overcome any obstacles you may encounter. Our staff is dedicated to make your child's learning experience, whether virtual or face-to-face, a meaningful one. Wishing you all the best as we embark on a brand-new year, eager to help our students be the best they can be!

Sincerely,

Mrs. Milner, Assistant Principal

## Back to School Form

Back to school forms can be completed on our school's website. Go to [Browardschools.com/pinewood](http://Browardschools.com/pinewood).

Under "additional quick links" on the bottom of the right on the home page, click on the blue link entitled Back to School forms.

## Online Learning Hours

8:00a.m. to 2:00p.m.



Broward County Public Schools is providing Breakfast and lunch at no cost to all children 18 years and younger.

Meals distribution is on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 11:00a.m. to 1:00p.m. and 3:00p.m. to 5:00p.m.



## Reminder

Apply for Free And Reduced Lunch at

[www..myschoolapps.com](http://www..myschoolapps.com)

## Additional Quick Links



[Distance Learning and Wellness Survey](#)

[Safety, Security & Emergency Preparedness](#)

[Back-to-School Forms](#)

## READY TO LEARN

Establishing daily routines helps students to do their best. Routines help children feel more:

- ◆ RELAXED - Avoid the morning rush by planning ahead
- ◆ ENERGIZED - Start with a healthy breakfast
- ◆ PREPARED - Have a set homework time, replenish supplies
- ◆ CONNECTED - Talk about the school day.
- ◆ RESTED - Have a set bedtime, allow time for reading or quiet talking first

Help your child have a successful school year!



## At Pinewood Elementary For Students Grades 3-5

We are excited about our VIRTUAL  
Kindness Matters club!

We will meet once a month. Inspirational speakers will share what they do to contribute to our community or the world. We will educate and inspire our students about the many ways to show kindness to themselves and to others in our school and community. Through educational and hands-on projects, students will experience the joy of giving back and contributing to kindness in the world. Families will receive information to support their children's growth in kindness.

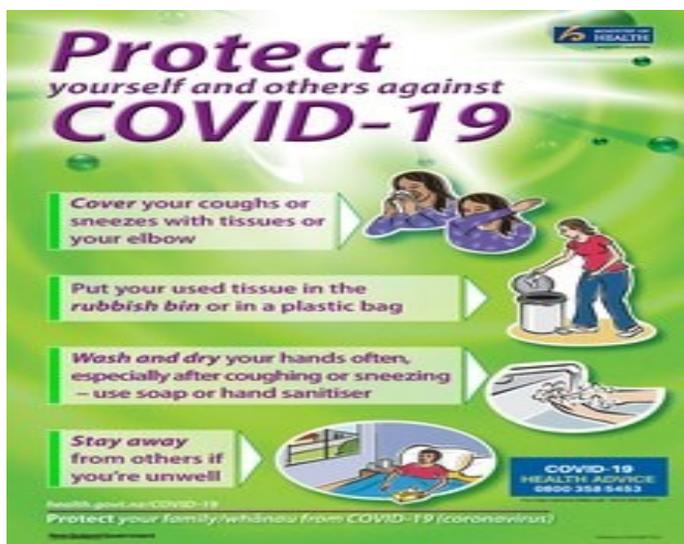
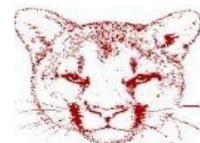
Teachers will send out forms for sign-up on your child's canvas page.

Forms are due Monday, September 21<sup>st</sup>.

The mission of Kindness Matters 365 (KM365) is to create and sustain a global kindness movement by inspiring and educating all to contribute to the world through acts of gratitude, compassion and kindness.

[www.KindnessMatters365.org](http://www.KindnessMatters365.org)

You can follow Pinewood on FACEBOOK/INSTAGRAM and TWITTER. Be sure to like and follow us. Make sure when you search for us that you find the Pinewood in North Lauderdale, FL. There are a few PINWOOD's on facebook. Look for our red Panther Head.



## DON'T FEEL WELL?

### STAY HOME WHEN YOU ARE SICK

- ◆ COUGH
- ◆ SHORTNESS OF BREATH OR PROBLEM BEATHING
- ◆ CHILLS
- ◆ SORE THROAT
- ◆ LOST OF TASTE OR SMELL
- ◆ MUSCLE PAIN

OTHER SYMTOMS INCLUDE:

Fever, runny nose, diarrhea, feeling nauseous or vomiting, feeling tired.

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Individuals with disabilities requesting accommodations under the Americans with Disabilities Act Amendments Act of 2008, (ADAAA) may call Equal Educational Opportunities/ADA Compliance Department at 754-321-2150 or Teletype Machine (TTY) 754-321-2158

# SOCIAL MEDIA USE GUIDELINES



## Do you Think B4U Post?

### What you do online can help or hurt yourself and others.

Did you know students who break the Code of Student Conduct's online behavior requirements can be suspended or even expelled?

While online:

#### **DON'T:**

- Use rude, hurtful, or racially offensive language.
- Post language, materials, or images containing vulgarity, nudity, or drugs.
- Engage in personal attacks, insults, threats, harassment, or bullying.
- Post private information.
- Be academically dishonest or cheat by violating copyright laws or using someone else's material without permission.

#### **DO:**

- Connect in positive ways with others. Reaching out to people you trust is one of the best ways to reduce anxiety, depression, loneliness, and boredom during social distancing. Call, IM, text, or FaceTime to connect with friends and family.
- Protect yourself by protecting your accounts. Don't share your passwords with anyone and password protect your phone so no one can impersonate you. Use privacy settings to control who can view your content and interact with you.
- Ignore online abuse by not reacting, instead block abusers and then report them. Take and save screenshots, print out messages as evidence, and tell a trusted adult immediately to get help.
- Be an activist for respect.
  - Think B4U Post and watch for offensive or hurtful behavior.
  - Share kind words to isolated, mistreated, or cyberbullied classmates.
  - Express disapproval of mean acts and words.
  - Celebrate positive acts.
  - Know your rights and responsibilities and that YOU have the power to change your world, and the

# Board Approved: 2020/21 School Calendar.



## 2020/21 SCHOOL CALENDAR

For an accessible version of this calendar, visit [browardschools.com/accessiblecalendar](http://browardschools.com/accessiblecalendar).

AUGUST					SEPTEMBER					OCTOBER				
M	T	W	T	F	M	T	W	T	F	M	T	W	T	F
3	4	5	6	7		1	2	3	4				1	2
10	11	12	13	14	7	8	9	10	11	5	6	7	8	9
17	18	19	20	21	14	15	16	17	18	12	13	14	15	16
24	25	26	27	28	21	22	23	24	25	19	20	21	22	23
31					28	29	30			26	27	28	29	30

NOVEMBER					DECEMBER					JANUARY				
M	T	W	T	F	M	T	W	T	F	M	T	W	T	F
2	3	4	5	6		1	2	3	4					1
9	10	11	12	13	7	8	9	10	11	4	5	6	7	8
16	17	18	19	20	14	15	16	17	18	11	12	13	14	15
23	24	25	26	27	21	22	23	24	25	18	19	20	21	22
30					28	29	30	31		25	26	27	28	29

FEBRUARY					MARCH					APRIL				
M	T	W	T	F	M	T	W	T	F	M	T	W	T	F
1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5				1	2
8	9	10	11	12	8	9	10	11	12	5	6	7	8	9
15	16	17	18	19	15	16	17	18	19	12	13	14	15	16
22	23	24	25	26	22	23	24	25	26	19	20	21	22	23
					29	30	31			26	27	28	29	30

MAY					JUNE				
M	T	W	T	F	M	T	W	T	F
3	4	5	6	7		1	2	3	4
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17	18	19	20	21	14	15	16	17	18
24	25	26	27	28	21	22	23	24	25
31					28	29	30		

- Employee Planning (no school for students)
- Schools and Administrative Offices Closed
- Schools Closed
- Report Cards Issued
- Interim Reports Issued
- Early Release Day
- First and Last Day of School

Hurricane makeup days in order of preference: 10/16/20, 1/7/21, 2/18/21, 3/18/21, 4/8/21, 6/9/21

\* May 13 may be a no school for students day, depending on the testing schedule calendar.



## REOPENING PLANS FOR 2020-21 SCHOOL YEAR