JANUARY 2024

## THE PIRATE GRAM

OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER OF PEMBROKE
PINES ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
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## MESSAGE FROM YOUR PRINCIPAL, MS. BELL

Pirate Family,

Welcome back and a Happy New Year. I am sure this year will be a phenomenal at PPE. The start of a new year is always a good time to reset our priorities. As we enter 2024, our entire staff will continue to ensure that our Pirates' education, safety and security and well being are our top priorities.

We have many activities coming up in the second half of the school year. Please continue to check our website frequently, listen to our parent links and stay in communication with your child's teacher so that you are always up to date. Our School Advisory Council and School Advisory Forum Meetings are held on the 4th Monday of each month. I invite you attend these very important meetings. Here you will receive information about issues pertaining to curriculum and instruction, school operations and budget.

We are always looking for volunteers. If you are interested in being a school volunteer, please call the office at (754-323-7000.

Thank you for continuing to work in partnerhsip with us to ensure that each student here at PPE has the very best educational experience.

Educationally Yours,

Ms. Bell

#### **SCHOOL HOURS**

8:00 am - 2:00 pm Student hours 7:30 am - 3:00 pm Front Office hours 7:30 am - 7:50 am Breakfast service

\*Students are considered tardy after 8:01 am

#### Calling in an absences:

If your child is absent from school, please call the office at 754-323-7000.

After hours you also may leave your child's absence by choosing option 1 on the school's message.

If you any questions, please call and ask for Alicia.

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#### 2024-2025 KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION 8:30 AM - 1:00 PM

If your child will be 5 years of age on or before September 1, 2024, it is time to register him/her for Kindergarten.



You need to bring in:

- \*original birth certificate
- \*official medical examination (Physical)
- \*official Florida Immunization (Form HD 680) shot records
- \*Two proofs of residence in the name of the parent/guardian registering the child:
  - \*1 current piece of evidence from the following: electric bill, telephone bill, lease or mortgage statement.
  - \*1 current piece of evidence from the following: Florida driver's license, credit card statement, bank account statement.

# **Media Center**

If your child has an overdue or lost library book, please look for the book otherwise, you need to pay it online at: https://osp.osmsinc.com/browardfl/ Under pay obligation tab.





Good Character starts at home. In order for your child and Broward County Public Schools to be successful, we need to work together as a community.

# Month of January Character Trait: RESPECT

Showing consideration, understanding, and regard for people, places and things.

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### January Calendar

January 8	8 3	School	resumes
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January 12 PTA Yearbook price increase to \$35.00

\$6.00 line gram

January 15 School Closed- Martin Luther King Jr.

Day

January 16 No Name Calling Week

2:05 Kg & 1st grade Talent Show

auditions

January 17 2:05 2nd & 3rd grade Talent Show

auditions

January 18 2:05 4th & 5th grade Talent Show

auditions

January 19 Early Release Day

12:00 pm dismissal

January 22 No School - Employee Planning

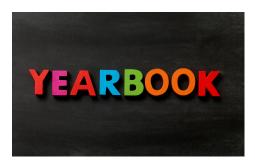
January 22-26

Celebrate Literacy Week, Florida! The Great Kindness Challenge Week

January 24 Spring club registration for grades K -2

in the media center @ 2:45 pm

January 29 SAC Meeting @ 2:20 pm



The Yearbook price will be going up on January 12, 2024

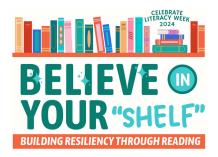
The cost will be \$35.00

Ads need to be in by April 5, 2024

Create an ad and purchase the yearbook.

Don't miss out!

Stop by the office to pick up the flyer with information.



January 22 - January 26, 2024

Celebrate Literacy Week, Florida! is designed to raise awareness about the importance of reading and to inspire Florida's students and families to make reading part of their daily routines.

More information will be forthcoming

Para informacion en espansol, por favor llamara a la officina de la escuela 754-323-7000

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# See Something, Say Something

Be a Broward Buddy, Report a Tip!

In an emergency, call 911 immediately. To submit a safety or security concern that is not an emergency, please use one of the tip reporting methods provided below. Please remember you can choose to remain anonymous.



Submit a tip easily via our Anonymous Tip Submission Box (no download required). Provide as much detail as you can, including names of people involved, physical descriptions, school name, social media handles, etc.



BrowardSchools.com/SecurityTips

#### Call Us Anytime (Even on Holidays)

Call our District Security Operations Center (DSOC) 24 hours a day, 7 days a week (including holidays). One of our friendly DSOC Specialists will take your tip over the phone and submit it immediately to our investigators. Please let the DSOC Specialist know if you wish to remain anonymous.

754-321-3500



#### Send Us an Email

Submit a tip using the email address below. Although your email address is displayed using this tip reporting method, you can choose to remain anonymous by simply requesting it in your message.

SecurityTips@BrowardSchools.com



#### **FortifyFL**

Submit a tip via FortifyFL online (no download required) or download the app for easier use. Visit FortifyFL using the link below. Your tip will immediately reach law enforcement and Broward Schools investigators.



GetFortifyFL.com

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