



THE HAWKEYE

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Daily Schedule

School Hours

- M, T, TH, F: 9:00a - 3:20p
- Wednesday: 9:40a - 3:20p



Save the Dates

- 1/2: Back to School
- 1/8: School Board meeting
- 1/9: Pattison's Skate Night* 6-8p
- 1/15: MLK day (NO school)
- 1/16-1/19: MLK Peace Week
- 1/22: PTO meeting* 6pm
- 1/23: Chipotle Restaurant Night* 5-9p
- 1/24: NO Late Start**
- 2/1: PV Drama Presents: "Beauty & the Beast"
- 2/2: Early release
- 2/14 - 2/16: Family Conferences

*PTO Events support our PTO and community
 **Secondary Finals Week

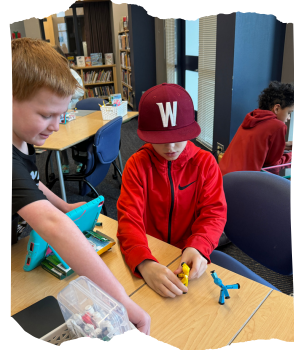
Click [HERE](#) for the 2023-24 District Calendar

School Flyers

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2024: Vision, Voices, & Votes!

We talk about it a lot at Prairie View but our vision is that ALL students and staff to feel seen by being known, loved, and developed. That means we ultimately expect ALL kids to develop and learn at high levels. We are constantly looking for ways to see our Hawks, inside the classroom and out.



One of our unique opportunities for Hawks to find their voice and be themselves is by pretending to be someone else. Ha. Really. Our Prairie View Drama club provides a canvas for students to be themselves while walking in someone else's shoes. This year's production, "Beauty and the Beast" is sure to entertain and stretch our Hawks to new challenges. YOU are invited to attend the show on February 1!

In the classroom our teachers work hard to see our students through strong instructional strategies. Dr. John Hattie synthesized various influences in different meta-analyses according to their effect size. He ranked influences that are related to learning outcomes from very positive effects to very negative effects. Hattie found that the average effect size of all the interventions he studied was 0.40. Therefore he decided to judge the success of influences relative to this 'hinge point'.

Our teachers hone in on high leverage strategies such as providing clear learning goals (i.e. teacher clarity = .75), anticipatory set (i.e. activate prior knowledge = .93), teach & model (i.e. scaffolding = .53), guided practice (i.e. worked examples = .57), check for understanding (i.e. classroom discussion = .82), adjust / reteach (i.e. feedback = .70; reciprocal teaching = .74), and independent learning (i.e. self-assessment / goal-setting = 1.33; spaced practice = .74). Teaching is an art and a science; we believe Prairie View deserves to be a beautiful symphony! Our Hawks are each sweet notes, each part vital to the final piece.


Thank you for partnering with us to see our vision and helping our Hawks find their voices! We can hear it! And see YOU, Hawks!

Principal Naslund

MEAD SCHOOL DISTRICT 2024 REPLACEMENT LEVY


FEBRUARY 13, 2024

PS. Mead School District voters will be asked to vote on a three-year replacement levy for educational programs and operations on the Special Election ballot on February 13, 2024. Click [HERE](#) for more information.



Let's fly Together!

Dr. Jeff Naslund
 Proud Principal
 Prairie View Elementary
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"Courage starts with showing up and letting ourselves be seen." [Brené Brown]



PTO Updates

Our **next PTO meeting** of the 2023-24 school Year starts at 6pm on January 22, 2024 (in Portable 1). All PV parents and guardians are invited to attend. Oh, treats will be served! YOU have a vote on how fundraising dollars are spent which is why it's important to attend if you can. Childcare IS provided!

Our next PTO event is PV Skate Night on January 9 from 6p - 8p at Pattison's North. Check out the flyer [HERE](#).

Our PTO is always looking for more volunteers. ALL District volunteers are screened centrally through the District Office starting with the simple 2-step process: start [HERE](#) then let PTO know you are interested, too.

Keep up with all the happenings on our PV PTO on Facebook [HERE](#)!

Prefer Instagram? We got you! We often post similar things, but many people may only use one form of social media. Here is a link to the PV PTO IG page: https://www.instagram.com/pv_pto/

Specialist Rotations

Our specialists continue their A, B, C rotation this year to ensure all Hawks get great access to PE, Music, and Library.

Check out January's at-a-glance [\[HERE\]](#) or check in with each:

- [PE](#) (follow Mr. Wiser's PE on Instagram @pvhawkspe)
- [Music](#) (Ms. Martin will share throughout the year)
- [Library](#) (follow Mrs. Chaffins on Instagram @pvhawkslibrary)



Hints from the Health Room

It's officially winter (hasn't it been for months now?), and we have seen more illness at school and in the hospital systems. It also means we are seeing more kids arrive without their cold weather gear. Thanks for keeping an eye on the forecast and on symptoms.

Please remember that hand washing, staying home when you're sick (tips [here](#)), and avoiding close contact with symptomatic people are all steps we can take towards illness prevention. Check out the fact sheets on RSV and Influenza below. Thank you all for your partnership in keeping school a healthy learning environment.



RSV: Spokane Regional Health District Fact Sheet ([HERE](#))

Influenza: Spokane Regional Health District Fact Sheet ([HERE](#))

Counselor's Corner

I am amazed by the generosity of our school community! THANK YOU from the bottom of my heart for participating in this year's Tree of Sharing & the Vanessa Behan Donation Drive! You were able to bless families in our own community and model kindness for our kids.

Speaking of generosity and kindness, being kind is part of PV's Hawkeye Pledge that our students and staff recite and practice daily! Here are some simple ways we can encourage our kiddos to show kindness to one another!

As always, please reach out @ lindsey.toth@mead354.org or (509) 465-7849 at any time if you would like to connect! I appreciate each of you! ~Mrs. Toth





Bridge Builders

The STEM Forward Series continues with the annual Bridge Building Competition! Mead School District students in Grades 5-12 are welcome to participate on Feb. 10 (check-in between 9-9:30 am). Competition begins at 10 a.m. @ the Mead High School Field House.

Using only popsicle sticks and white Elmer's school glue, each team of one or two students will build a bridge according to the competition's rules and requirements. On competition day, each bridge will be loaded with weight until it breaks and then judged and scored on its efficiency, which is defined as the ratio of its ultimate load capacity to its own weight. Students will need to use creativity, ingenuity, and resourcefulness in order to maximize the strengths and minimize the inherent shortcomings of each material. Plaques and prizes will be awarded to the teams with the top efficiency scores!

Check out [this video from a past MSD Bridge Building Competition](#) to get a flavor of competition day!

Registration Information

- Up to Two (2) students per team - Students may compete individually
- Two-part Registration Process - Deadline January 12, 2024
 1. Register Participant Names and Shirt Sizes [HERE](#)
 2. Join through Google Classroom for Rules and Requirements
 - a. Sign-in to student's Google Classroom
 - b. Click + in top right corner, click "Join Class"
 - c. Enter class code: finrxou



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Prairie View



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“ PV Hawks are known, loved, and developed. PV Hawks are future ready! ”

We SEE you, HAWKSI!
Let's fly! Together.



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Family Skate Night At Pattison's North



Tuesday January 9th

6:00pm-8:00pm

\$8.00 admission w/ roller skate rental included

Upgraded skate rental \$2.50 extra

Get ready to roll into an evening of excitement with your family! Pattison's North would like to welcome Prairie View families to a night full of fun, entertainment, and exercise!

PATTISON'S NORTH
ROLLER SKATING CENTER
Spokane, WA

