



Pequea Valley School District

Where Each Learner Counts

Curriculum & Instruction

Dates	PV First Ten Early Literacy
	<p>Highlight of services: Stats/ Data from February 2025</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">o Kick Off to Kindergarten Event was held on February 3rd, 30 families attended the event along with PVSD Specials Facilitators, staff, and community partners.o Kindergarten Registration opened and currently 32 learners have started/completed registration. As of February 28th 57, have received kindergarten readiness kits. (These are both in line with numbers from the previous 2 years)o There are 17 learners registered to attend Kindergarten STEM Connections starting the first week of March.o Cherie Oswald officially started as the Early Learning Program Family Outreach Coordinator on February 10th.o New Brave Kids Learning room and office spaces were completed and the move has started. The programming will begin in the new room the first week of March. <p>Current Projects:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">o Continuing to promote kindergarten registration and all transition activities planned for Spring (screening, transition nights, camps etc.)o Moving the program and office space to the other side of the building and preparing for programming.o Planning/prepping March programming: STEM Connections, Open Gym, and new program Baby Braves Club.o Meeting with school and early learning/elementary teams to plan Summer 2025 programming.o Working with Factory planning the Spring Paint and Plant Family Event to be held on April 4th.o Finalized Spring program schedule. <p>New Projects/Upcoming Initiatives:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">o Work with Cherie to make lesson plans, supply purchases for the Spring program schedule, Book Club, Adventures in the Park, and Cooking Club.o Plan/prepare for screenings, transition nights and all kindergarten readiness programming.o Review MAP data for mid-year Kindergarten class and update data sheets.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> o Finalize Summer Lunch and Learn dates, Kindergarten Camps and Back to School Events. <p>Future Topics for Consideration:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o Working on new program funding opportunities and promoting programs. o Continue working with Factory to align all youth services programming. o Continued work with TIN in promoting the increase of 3rd grade reading level initiative.
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Dates	Elementary Curriculum Topics
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Conducted post mid-year 6 week burst grade level data reviews of our tier III supported learners to make adjustments leading into the April state assessments.
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Conducted mid-year non-public school consultation meetings to meet the requirements. These include: Linville, Lancaster Christian, Hinkletown, West Fallowfield, Lancaster Mennonite, and Pope John Paul Regional Catholic
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Attended Pre-K hearing where our counselor Kelly Loder presented, representing PV and PA School Counselors. The hearing was hosted by representative Nikki Riveira

Dates	Middle & High School Curriculum Topics
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Dan Holler, Allen Apgar, Tara Reed, and Amy Raugh attended Schoology Connect PA at IU13 on March 4. This state-wide event showcases sessions from educators on how they use Schoology in various ways to expand learning, while leveraging teaching, time, talent, resources, collaboration, and knowledge. They were excited to learn about PowerBuddy, Schoology’s built-in AI. Dan Holler also presented a session titled From Accommodation to Achievement: Customizing Schoology for Learners. In his session he shared how Schoology can support diverse learners through UDL principles and customizable features to meet learners where they are.
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● We held a middle level MTSS meeting to discuss the steps needed to add 7th and 8th grade to our current K-6 MTSS model and the resources and strategies needed. We will be adding a revised Tier III math support and progress monitoring.
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● PVV update - FT enrollment: 35 ● 8th: 1 learner ● 9th: 4 learners

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 10th: 4 learners ● 11th: 12 learners ● 12th: 14 learners ● PT Blended: 25 ● PT CTC: 7
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Dates	School Data & State Assessments & National Tests

Dates	General
	<p>Friday March 14th - Professional Learning Day</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● New Accessibility Guidance ● Clifton Strengths Review ● AI Instructional Strategies ● Title I Family Engagement
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Together Initiative Network Executive Meeting - We were led through a “What is the future structure of the TIN” brainstorming session by Dr. Irvin Scott. Dr. Scott used to be the principal at SDOL, then Superintendent in Boston and is now a professor in Ed. Leadership at Harvard.
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Together Quarterly Meeting - Guest speaker Aaron Spangler, discussing “Growing Support for Local News and Information, to Build Connected and Engaged Communities.”
	<p>February Monthly Assistant Superintendent C and I Session</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 24-25 PVAAS Growth updates - Add local assessments option ○ A review of the PA Future Ready Index State Report Card ○ Transition to On-Line testing for all state tests in 25-26 software/tools awareness updates
	<p>Attended annual legislative breakfast. Key topics surrounded:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Creating more flexibility with teacher certification to attract interested candidates coming from the business world. ○ Cyber funding bill in pending stage ○ Future construction funding struggles ○ Student Teacher stipend funding