

March 18, 2025



Communications & Community Relations Report

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Monthly Communications Insights

PCSD 25 Social Media At a Glance

As of March 14, 2025



Followers

12,304



Followers

1,398



Subscribers

600



Followers

469

Facebook continues to be the most effective social media tool to reach our audience



204,896

Views



36,202

Reach



1,464

Interactions



44

Follows



24

Unfollows



Livestreams



YouTube

879 total views | 6,015 minutes watched

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Board Work Session

68 views

March 6, 2025

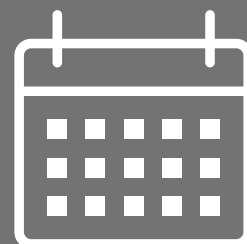
Special Board Meeting

80 views

February 11, 2025

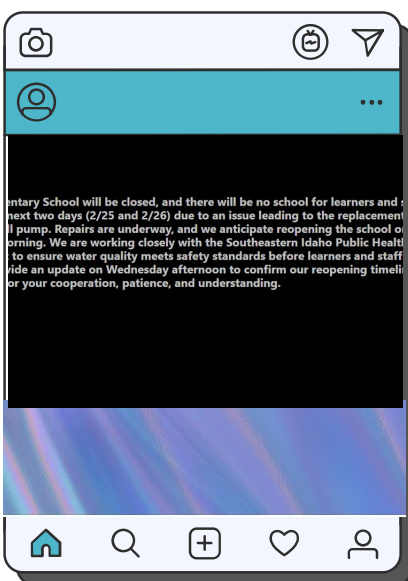
Special Board Meeting

135 views

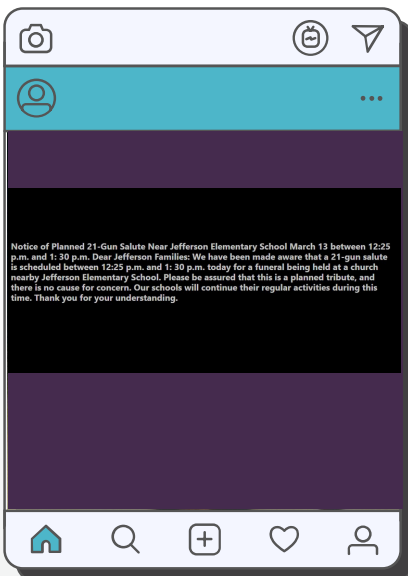


Top Performing Posts

Top Content By Views: Last 28 Days



Views 18,784
 Reach 8,531
 Interactions 161
 Comments 17
 Shares 47



Views 11,183
 Reach 6,302
 Interactions 82
 Shares 29
 Comments 1

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February 24, 2025

Tyhee Elementary School will be closed, and there will be no school for learners and staff, for at least the next two days (2/25 and 2/26) due to an issue leading to the replacement of the facility's well pump. Repairs are underway, and we anticipate reopening the school on Thursday morning. We are working closely with the Southeastern Idaho Public Health Department to ensure water quality meets safety standards before learners and staff return. We will provide an update on Wednesday afternoon to confirm our reopening timeline. Thank you for your cooperation, patience, and understanding.

02

March 13, 2025

Notice of Planned 21-Gun Salute Near Jefferson Elementary School March 13 between 12:25 p.m. and 1:30 p.m.

Dear Jefferson Families: We have been made aware that a 21-gun salute is scheduled between 12:25 p.m. and 1:30 p.m. today for a funeral being held at a church nearby Jefferson Elementary School. Please be assured that this is a planned tribute, and there is no cause for concern. Our schools will continue their regular activities during this time. Thank you for your understanding.

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Campaign Wordmark and Branding



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VIDEOS

Kindergarten Enrollment - <https://youtu.be/VOFmINcF4A?si=DMM-WrEYmCS4JCIt>
Website
Digital and Social Media



General Enrollment - <https://youtu.be/1CrXYT5IVlo?si=xSjOVbKr2vo3tugv>
2nd Tier



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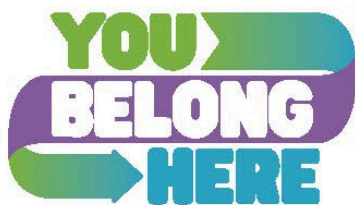
Kindergarten Mailer & Postcard:

3,000 Homes

5,000 Elementary School Folders

Childcare Facilities

Primary Care Providers



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Online Registration Begins March 21
In-Person: April 3
sd25.us/register

Entering Kindergarten is a Milestone Moment for Your Child & Family

At PCSD 25, we believe every child deserves a strong start in a safe, nurturing, and engaging learning environment. For nearly 140 years, we've been the trusted choice for families in our community.

- ✓ Safe & Supportive Schools
- ✓ Experienced & Caring Educators
- ✓ Hands-on, Play-Based Learning
- ✓ Age-Appropriate Technology
- ✓ Strong Academic Foundations



WHY CHOOSE PCSD 25 FOR KINDERGARTEN?

- ♥ **Safe & Supportive Environment**
 - ▶ Your child's well-being is our top priority.
 - ▶ Caring, highly qualified staff ensure a welcoming atmosphere.
- ✚ **Engaging, Play-Based Learning**
 - ▶ Hands-on activities encourage creativity and problem-solving.
 - ▶ Focus on friendships, collaboration, and social growth.
- 👤 **High-Quality Instruction**
 - ▶ Certified teachers & highly qualified paraprofessionals.
 - ▶ Visible Learning strategies that help children understand how to learn.
- 💻 **Technology-Enhanced Classrooms**
 - ▶ Blending traditional learning with age-appropriate technology.
- 👍 **Strong Foundations for Success**
 - ▶ Early literacy & math programs for academic achievement.
 - ▶ Art, music, and physical activity for well-rounded growth.
- 📋 **Value-Added Benefits**
 - ▶ Safe, reliable transportation for easy commutes.
 - ▶ Healthy school meals to fuel learning & development.

Enroll Today!
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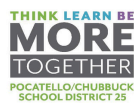
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Kindergarten Registration Poster:

PCSD 25 Elementary Schools

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Kindergarten Enrollment Requirements Poster:

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Enrollment Requirements: What You Need to Register Your Child for School.



Birth Certificate

Provide your child's certified birth certificate to the school.



Proof of Residency

Provide 2 proofs of residency
(Examples: water and power bills)



Immunization Records

The following immunizations should be completed (unless fewer doses are recommended for medical reasons), verified by a doctor and submitted to the school before your child attends:

- 2 – MMR (Measles, Mumps, Rubella)
- 5 – DTP (Diphtheria, Tetanus, Pertussis)
- 4 – Polio (Trivalent Oral Polio Vaccine)
- 3 – Hep B
- 2 – Hep A
- 2 – Varicella (Chicken Pox)

If you need an exemption form, please contact the school.



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Kindergarten Banner
10 Locations



The banner features a light pink background with a white vertical line. On the left, the text "YOU BELONG HERE" is displayed in a stylized font with green and purple arrows. On the right, the "THINK LEARN BE MORE TOGETHER" logo is shown, followed by "POCATELLO/CHUBBUCK SCHOOL DISTRICT 25". Below the line, the text "The Best Choice for Starting Your Child's Educational Journey" is written in blue. A large green banner in the center reads "Online Kindergarten Registration Now Open!". Below this, a blue banner contains the URL "sd25.us/register". The bottom of the banner is decorated with four small photos of children in a classroom setting.

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Kindergarten Yard Signs
2-Sided, 150 Yard Signs

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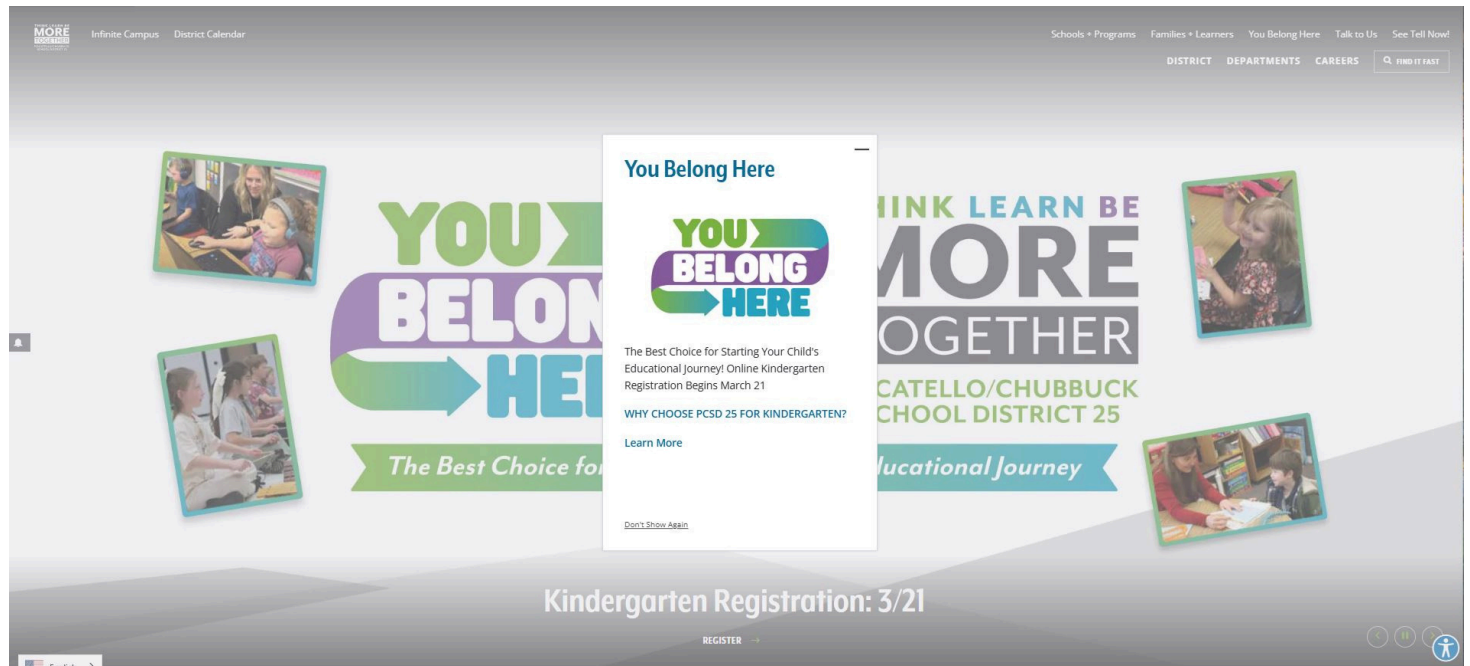
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Website Updates

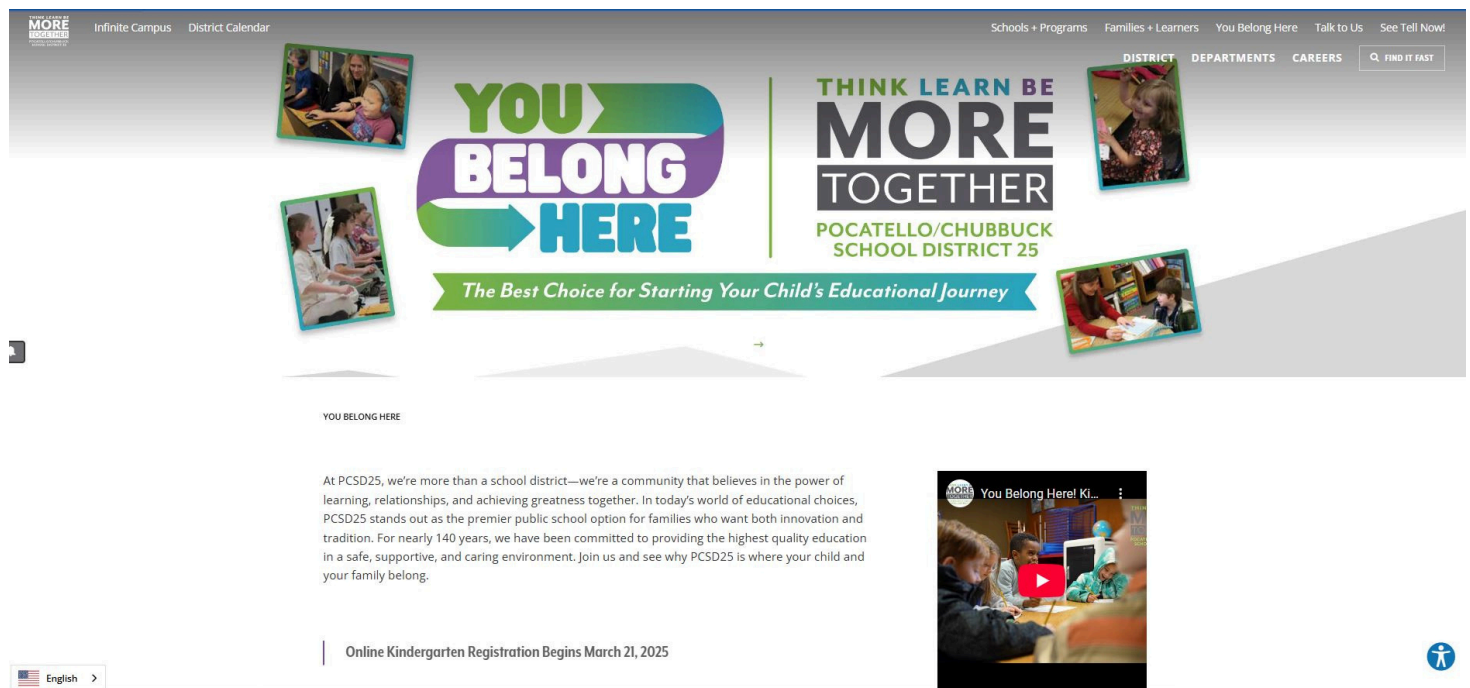
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Rebuilding Highland - Highland High School

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Every Day Matters - Pocatello-Chubbuck School District
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Every Day Matters!

MARCH FORWARD

WITH GREAT ATTENDANCE!

Let's keep up the great habits—because Every Day Matters!

As we march into spring, it's important to maintain strong attendance by being "On Time, In School, Every Day." With Spring Break coming up, use this time to rest and rejuvenate, but remember to keep the routine consistent when school resumes. A well-rested student returns ready to engage and learn.

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On Time, In School, Every Day!

School Newsletter Content

School Reader Boards

School Digital Screens

District Digital Entry Screen

Website

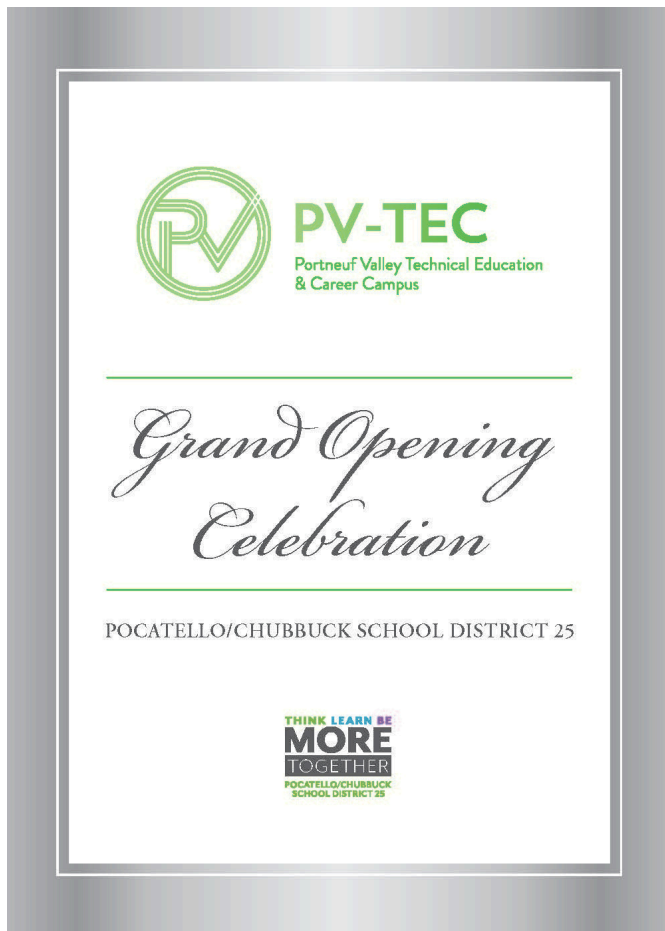
Social Media

MoatIT Digital Screens



SAVE-THE-DATE

Invitations have been delivered and are being processed to mail.



ON BEHALF OF THE POCATELLO/CHUBBUCK
SCHOOL DISTRICT 25 BOARD OF TRUSTEES



DISTRICT ADMINISTRATION,
WE INVITE YOU
TO JOIN US AS A SPECIAL GUEST
TO CELEBRATE THE GRAND OPENING OF
PORTNEUF VALLEY TECHNICAL EDUCATION
AND CAREER CAMPUS

RIBBON CUTTING CEREMONY

Thursday, May 1
Ceremony takes place promptly at 11:15 a.m.

4200 Hawthorne Road
Chubbuck, Idaho 83202

COMMUNITY OPEN HOUSE

Thursday, May 1
4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Enjoy light refreshments and tours of the
newly remodeled and expanded facility.

RSVP to Courtney Fisher: fisherco@sd25.us
LEARN MORE: pvtec.sd25.us



MEDIA LINKS

Appendix

Links to articles from February 6, 2025 to March 12, 2025

February 6, 2025

Petition certified to recall school board trustee. Here's what happens next

https://www.eastidahonews.com/2025/02/petition-certified-to-recall-school-board-trustee-heres-what-happens-next/?fbclid=IwY2xjawlQOL9leHRuA2FlbQlXMQABHfOtgOmiNX7BgcJ55MMcy3Q9hOhJkaYnuXEyQ-QKR4zdUW-oDOPSOV_AOA_aem_gHkTYYnpuC8Y6v1mXAz93Q

A cellphone ban in Utah schools is closer to reality with overwhelming support in Legislature

http://idahostatejournal.com/news/local/a-cellphone-ban-in-utah-schools-is-closer-to-reality-with-overwhelming-support-in-legislature/article_bc3fa192-e3f5-11ef-9350-476160953650.html

How Idaho libraries are responding to law on 'materials harmful to minors'

https://www.idahostatejournal.com/news/local/can-i-see-your-id-how-idaho-libraries-are-responding-to-law-on-materials-harmful/article_4386c060-e3f4-11ef-b93a-cb05c1dadb1b.html

Private school choice tax credit heads to Idaho House

<https://www.idahoednews.org/top-news/private-school-choice-tax-credit-heads-to-idaho-house/>

Petition process started to recall District 25 school board member

<https://localnews8.com/news/2025/02/05/petition-process-started-to-recall-district-25-school-board-member/>

JFAC agrees on raises for teachers, state employees

<https://www.idahoednews.org/top-news/jfac-agrees-on-raises-for-teachers-state-employees/>

Trump signs executive order banning transgender athletes from women's school sports

https://www.idahostatejournal.com/news/local/trump-signs-executive-order-banning-transgender-athletes-from-women-s-school-sports/article_da3c2c14-e4be-11ef-9c11-dfac486d3b39.html?utm_source=idahostatejournal.com&utm_campaign=morning-headlines&utm_medium=email&utm_content=headline

<https://www.idahoednews.org/news/trump-signs-executive-order-banning-transgender-athletes-from-womens-school-sports/>

New private school choice bill emerges

<https://www.idahoednews.org/state-policy/statehouse-roundup-2-6-25-new-private-school-choice-bill-emerges/>

The Trump effect makes its mark in Idaho's education debates

<https://www.idahoednews.org/top-news/analysis-the-trump-effect-makes-its-mark-in-idahos-education-debates/>

'Medical freedom' bill, with extensive school language, heads to Senate floor

<https://www.idahoednews.org/top-news/statehouse-roundup-2-5-25-medical-freedom-bill-with-extensive-school-language-heads-to-senate-floor/>

Idaho lawmaker wants to 'cultivate' morality through mandated public school Bible reading

<https://www.eastidahonews.com/2025/02/idaho-lawmaker-wants-to-cultivate-morality-through-mandated-public-school-bible-reading/>

Pocatello trustees consider online high school, advertising campaign to attract students

<https://www.eastidahonews.com/2025/02/pocatello-trustees-consider-online-high-school-advertising-campaign-to-attract-students/>

State revokes six teaching certificates for sexual assault, drug abuse and porn

<https://www.idahoednews.org/top-news/state-revokes-six-teaching-certificates-for-sexual-assault-drug-abuse-and-porn/>

January 7, 2025

Two school board recall efforts start collecting signatures in first week of February

<https://news.ballotpedia.org/2025/02/07/two-school-board-recall-efforts-start-collecting-signatures-in-first-week-of-february/>

House approves private school tax credit after contentious debate

<https://www.idahoednews.org/top-news/house-approves-private-school-tax-credit-after-contentious-debate/>

Private school choice bill tracker

<https://www.idahoednews.org/news/private-school-choice-bill-tracker/>

Nampa trustees and teachers at impasse in contract negotiations

<https://www.idahoednews.org/news/nampa-trustees-and-teachers-at-impasse-in-contract-negotiations/>

Four local teams compete at cheerleading national championships; three bring home banners

<https://www.eastidahonews.com/2025/02/four-local-teams-compete-at-cheerleading-national-championships-three-bring-home-banners/>

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Bill introduced to require Bible reading in all Idaho public schools, sparking constitutional questions

https://www.idahopress.com/news/local/bill-introduced-to-require-bible-reading-in-all-public-schools-sparking-constitutional-questions/article_179b3844-e4dc-11ef-8dbb-a726475a45a0.html

DEI takes a beating

https://www.idahostatejournal.com/opinion/columns/opinion-dei-takes-a-beating/article_6dea0888-e509-11ef-919d-030e4714e8a4.html

Division, exclusion and inequality

https://www.idahostatejournal.com/opinion/columns/opinion-division-exclusion-and-inequality/article_859f141a-e57b-11ef-839f-ab1da5a3a688.html

Handling growth in Idaho takes listening, hard work

https://www.postregister.com/opinion/guest_column/opinion-handling-growth-in-idaho-takes-listening-hard-work/article_e27248e0-df38-11ef-8ba2-d36e85eb9191.html

IACI: Idaho moving in the right direction

https://www.idahostatejournal.com/opinion/columns/opinion-iaci-idaho-moving-in-the-right-direction/article_57692ed0-e50a-11ef-8f5d-87c5e378c231.html

Bannock County breaks ground on new building to help at-risk youth and fairgrounds officials

<https://www.eastidahonews.com/2025/02/bannock-county-breaks-ground-on-new-building-to-help-at-risk-youth-and-fairgrounds-officials/>

Bannock County breaks ground on new Youth Development Center and event center office

https://www.kpvi.com/news/local_news/bannock-county-breaks-ground-on-new-youth-development-center-and-event-center-office/article_daec04c6-e5aa-11ef-aa94-ef6f50d354c2.html

<https://localnews8.com/news/pocatello/2025/02/07/bannock-county-breaks-ground-on-new-youth-development-center/>

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Wagner praises direction of ISU in first State of the University address

<https://www.eastidahonews.com/2025/02/wagner-praises-direction-of-isu-in-first-state-of-the-university-address/>

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Highland High School math teacher to receive presidential award

https://www.idahostatejournal.com/townnews/hydrography/highland-high-school-math-teacher-honored-with-presidential-award/article_609b2bb6-e33e-11ef-87ad-b321a87c1b8c.html?fbclid=IwY2xjawlYRiNleHRuA2FlbQlXMQABHbBuY2JMH9SRvOkDzWFv9tCPm23H8uE58FdI2kGZuRuU6qTtG1qJgbAKw_aem_2guuAXSAeoxXIHpnHpuKpw

School choice tax credit bill goes to Idaho Senate

https://www.idahostatejournal.com/townnews/politics/school-choice-tax-credit-bill-goes-to-idaho-senate/article_c332c971-0e5e-59b8-bd7d-fe61e5025d6d.html

Utah Legislature bans collective bargaining for teachers unions and other public sector jobs

https://www.idahostatejournal.com/news/national/utah-legislature-bans-collective-bargaining-for-teachers-unions-and-other-public-sector-jobs/article_6de018bd-de45-59be-b936-792cc379a594.html

Idaho Legislature's budget committee Oks raises for state employees

https://www.idahostatejournal.com/townnews/work/idaho-legislature-s-budget-committee-oks-raises-for-state-employees/article_fa9c21ff-9fa1-5761-bafd-ab5bc6ba3c56.html

Bill stripping union leaders of paid time off heads to House

<https://www.idahoednews.org/top-news/statehouse-roundup-2-10-25-bill-stripping-union-leaders-of-paid-time-off-heads-to-house/>

Coeur d'Alene to address childcare shortage with preschool program

<https://www.idahoednews.org/news/coeur-dalene-to-address-childcare-shortage-with-preschool-program/>

Poky Thunder cheer coach hanging up her pom poms

<https://localnews8.com/life/community-all-stars/2025/02/10/community-all-stars-poky-thunder-cheer-coach-hanging-up-her-pom-poms/>

Idaho reading scores at low point

<https://localnews8.com/news/local-news/2025/02/10/idaho-reading-scores-at-low-point-how-parents-can-help/>

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Idaho passed \$2 billion in funding for school facilities. It's not nearly enough to fix them

<https://www.eastidahonews.com/2025/02/idaho-passed-2-billion-in-funding-for-school-facilities-its-not-nearly-enough-to-fix-them/>

Pay raise approved for State employees

https://www.kpvi.com/news/pay-raised-approved-for-state-employees/video_6781c1e2-7db9-59d3-9cfb-1b98347f2dd4.html

D.A.R.E. Fundraiser

https://www.kpvi.com/news/d-a-r-e-fundraiser/video_df10d9df-f560-52f8-96c2-77b28bb352ef.html

Post Falls trustees vote to put \$11.92 million levy on May ballot

<https://www.idahoednews.org/north-idaho/post-falls-trustees-vote-to-put-11-92-million-levy-on-may-ballot/>

CDA trustees keep all-day cell phone ban despite student, community protest

<https://www.idahoednews.org/news/cda-trustees-keep-all-day-cell-phone-ban-despite-student-community-protest/>

Crucial research halted as DOGE abruptly terminates Education Department contracts

<https://www.idahoednews.org/news/crucial-research-halted-as-doge-abruptly-terminates-education-department-contracts/>

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Washington Elementary Advocates issue open letter stating they are 'not going away'

https://www.idahostatejournal.com/news/local/washington-elementary-advocates-issue-open-letter-stating-they-are-not-going-away/article_c97696bc-e33d-11ef-a70e-6319e8cc96c3.html

Publishers, a library and others sue over Idaho's law restricting youth access to 'harmful' books

https://www.idahostatejournal.com/news/national/publishers-a-library-and-others-sue-over-idahos-law-restricting-youth-access-to-harmful-books/article_105db0f5-6c1c-573c-830a-5c617c5c7600.html

Scope of student, school staff data breach under investigation. Some Idaho schools compromised

<https://www.idahoednews.org/news/scope-of-student-school-staff-data-breach-under-investigation-some-idaho-schools-compromised/>

Charter commission director resigns, Joshua Whitworth to fill in as interim

<https://www.idahoednews.org/news/charter-commission-director-resigns-joshua-whitworth-to-fill-in-as-interim/>

Private school tax credit heads to full senate

<https://www.idahoednews.org/top-news/statehouse-roundup-2-12-25-bill-targeting-public-benefits-for-teachers-unions-clears-house/>

Bill prohibiting government and school mask mandates advances to Idaho Senate

<https://www.eastidahonews.com/2025/02/bill-prohibiting-government-and-school-mask-mandates-advances-to-idaho-senate/>

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Public school perks gutted from Empowering Parents expansion bill

<https://www.idahoednews.org/state-policy/statehouse-roundup-2-13-25-public-school-perks-gutted-from-empowering-parents-expansion-bill/>

School closures for February 14

https://www.kpvi.com/news/local_news/school-closures-and-delays-for-february-14/article_67b4e866-ea8b-11ef-a55e-6b95e7e0ca69.html

PCSD 25 executive assistant named as District 25's Employee-of-the-Month

https://www.idahostatejournal.com/community/pcsd-25-executive-assistant-named-as-district-25s-employee-of-the-month/article_7697b148-ea3a-11ef-bff4-8b0ca68b8bd1.html

February C.A.K.E. Award recipients announced

https://www.idahostatejournal.com/community/february-c-a-k-e-award-recipients-announced/article_20f812ca-ea3d-11ef-aeeb-3fe4deb9b34.html

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Senate rejects bill adding tuition to Empowering Parents

<https://www.idahoednews.org/state-policy/statehouse-roundup-2-14-25-senate-rejects-bill-adding-tuition-to-empowering-parents/>

Expressing opposition to any legislation which commits public financial support to private education

https://www.idahostatejournal.com/opinion/columns/opinion-expressing-opposition-to-any-legislation-which-commits-public-financial-support-to-private-education/article_2441a556-ea4f-11ef-a18d-63972d1a1615.html

Idaho Senate committee approves bill banning mask mandates

<http://idahocapitalsun.com/2025/02/12/bill-prohibiting-government-and-school-mask-mandates-advances-to-idaho-senate/#:~:text=During%20a%20hearing%20Wednesday%20at,29.>

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The Horns of Brad Little's dilemma

https://www.idahostatejournal.com/freeaccess/opinion-the-horns-of-brad-little-s-dilemma/article_eb2c35d4-ea48-11ef-b6a8-6fc86363286c.html

HB 93 isn't a school choice bill

https://www.idahostatejournal.com/townnews/school/opinion-hb-93-isnt-a-school-choice-bill/article_d66d7eec-1357-5abc-8159-bf22aad228e7.html

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Many Idaho Students never caught up after the pandemic. That's not the case in these districts

<https://www.idahoednews.org/top-news/many-idaho-students-never-caught-up-after-the-pandemic-thats-not-the-case-in-these-districts/>

Idaho students are behind in math and reading – but state and local leaders can change that

<https://www.idahoednews.org/top-news/report-idaho-students-are-behind-in-math-and-reading-but-state-and-local-leaders-can-change-that/>

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Private school choice bill tracker

<https://www.idahoednews.org/news/private-school-choice-bill-tracker/>

Trump endorses Idaho private school tax credit proposal

<https://www.idahoednews.org/state-policy/statehouse-roundup-2-17-25-trump-endorses-idaho-private-school-tax-credit-proposal/>

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Boundary County expands online school waitlist

<https://www.idahoednews.org/news/boundary-county-expands-online-school-waitlist/>

Launch phaseout bill introduced

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Constituents' emails opposed private school tax credit by 10-to-1 ratio

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