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## **MEDIA ADVISORY**

### **Pittsburgh Public Schools Hosts 3rd Annual Take A Child to School Day** *Celebrating Fatherhood Engagement and Positive Male Role Models Across the District*

**WHAT:** After two successful years, Pittsburgh Public Schools (PPS), in partnership with the Take A Father to School Day Committee, will host its 3rd Annual Take A Child to School Day. Fathers, grandfathers, uncles, brothers, community leaders, and positive male role models are invited to participate Districtwide to welcome students during morning arrival.

On this special day, men are encouraged to drop students off, walk or ride with them to school, or volunteer to greet children as they arrive.

Media is invited to cover Superintendent Dr. Wayne N. Walters' scheduled appearances at Pittsburgh Faison and Pittsburgh Phillips.

**WHEN/** Thursday, September 18, 2025

**WHERE:** **Pittsburgh Faison K-5 – 8:10 AM**

7430 Tioga Street, Pittsburgh PA 15208

**Pittsburgh Phillips K-5 – 9:00 AM**

1901 Sarah Street, Pittsburgh PA 15203

**WHY:** Take A Child to School Day celebrates the powerful role fathers and positive male role models play in the lives of children. Their presence strengthens school communities and contributes to student success, growth, and well-being. This annual event highlights PPS's ongoing commitment to fostering inclusive, supportive environments where every child feels welcomed and encouraged.