



Pequea Valley School District

Where Each Learner Counts

Curriculum & Instruction

Dates	PV First Ten Early Literacy
	Highlights from June/July Programs · During PV Lunch and Learns – 118 learners (45 families) attended, 638 lunches were served and 520 new books given out. · As of July 28th, 4373 items have been donated by local churches, community groups and members for our back-to-school supply shop. · Through Factory referrals 2 new families will be starting the home visiting program in August. · A few parent feedback quotes from PV Lunch and Learns and - o "It's low-key, no stress, and a great opportunity to come to the park." - o "We really appreciate the lunch provided for our children." - o "Thank you so much for including us today. The girls loved it and can't stop talking about the activities!" Program Highlight Story from Lunch and Learns Two mothers with newborns connected at one of our first lunch and learns. During their conversations, one mother realized the other was carrying her baby around in the car seat carrier without a stroller. The mother explained that her stroller had been ruined by mold after being stored in her basement that flooded. The other mother had an extra stroller, reached out to our team to help her make the connection and the following week brought it to give to her. Each week after that we were able to see what a difference that stroller made and how valuable relational connections can be. Projects during months June/July Attended and helped support The Factory Ministries Annual Gala fundraising event on June 2nd. • Hosted Kindergarten Ready Camp June 8th-11th, 20 incoming kindergarten learners attended. • Hosted PV Lunch and Learns at Paradise Park Wednesday mornings for 7 weeks. • Planned for Back-to-School Supply Shop by collecting donations and promoting the program to PV families. As of July 28th 45, families (89 learners) registered out of the 60 family slots available.

	- Planned, promoted, and hosted first Storytime Explorers Play and Learn on July 13th with CAP Home Visitor. - Connected with incoming kindergarten families as they registered and completed screening appointments. As of July 28th, 63 out of 66 completely registered kindergarten learners have been screened and received kindergarten readiness kits. - Cherie attended Bridges out of Poverty training. - Meet with both elementary schools to share screening information and help with class list planning. - Meet with Factory staff to set a schedule for the yearly Factory Family Events and began planning for The Factory's Family Bingo event on August 20th. - Set Fall programming schedule and started a plan for Read Under the Lights. Plans for month of August Attend Global Leadership Summit with Factory staff on August 6th and 7th. - Host Storytime Explorers Play and Learn session with CAP home visitor on August 10th - Host Back to School Supply Shop on August 12th - Help with Factory Family BINGO on August 20th - Attend Sneak a Peek at both Elementary buildings on August 20th - Host Drop off and Donuts event for incoming Kindergarten parents on August 26th - Send out Fall newsletter and promote programming. - Continue to work on new ways to promote programs and find new families to attend. - Continue to help support families who need preschool programming. - Begin promoting Read Under the Lights: share invitation and registration information, start collecting donations, and event plan.
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Dates	Elementary Curriculum Topics
	We held UFLI literacy training for our K-2 learning facilitators to continue to strengthen our early grades phonic programming.
	We met as a K-6 collaborative group to review the new science standards in relation to the CKLA curriculum science strands to make sure all learning outcomes were being targeted
	Cursive Writing, per the state requirements, will be implemented starting in 3rd grade.
	Currently working on the 2026-27 Title I School-wide plans that are due to the state on September 1.

Dates	Middle & High School Curriculum Topics
	The Aviation Course curriculum continues to be written to align into the PVS semester long format.
	We are continuing to meet and plan the renewal of a secondary wide literacy across curricular areas initiative.
	The initial requirements for our upcoming Career and Technology programming audit were submitted June 30th.

Dates	School Data & State Assessments & National Tests
	The 2026-27 Title I, II, III and IV grants were submitted by the July 1 due date. We are waiting for notes and approval. However, as always, we are allowed to encumber funds to the grants starting July 1 the submission date.

Dates	General
	Upcoming events have been prepared for: ○ New to PV Induction - August 11, 12, 13 ○ Beginning of Year PV Staff Professional Learning - August 18, 19, 20 ○ First day of school - August 25