

PIONEER JR HIGH
STUDENT BULLETIN
Thursday
August 27, 2026

TODAY'S SCHEDULE: Homeroom 4, 5, 6, 1, 2, 3

IREADY DIAGNOSTIC: iReady testing continues TODAY. **BE SURE TO BRING YOUR CHARGED CHROMEBOOK TO SCHOOL!** We will be following a modified schedule to accommodate the testing period. It is important that you get a good night's sleep, have a good breakfast, arrive to school on time, and do your best work. You may bring your own set of wired headphones for the test. NO BLUETOOTH devices are allowed. A silent reading book is also recommended. Make-up iReady testing will be on Friday.

PLANNER HANDBOOK & BULLYING CONTRACT: On Page 3 of the Student Planner, there are two forms. Both forms must be signed by both the parent/guardian and student, removed from the planner, and returned to the homeroom teacher. Please sign and return both forms by this Friday, 8/28/26.

PE CLOTHES: If you ordered PE clothes, they can be picked up this upcoming Friday, 8/28, in the gym after school.

CARDS FOR KINDNESS CLUB: Are you creative? Do you like to make cards, scrapbook, paint or draw? Do you want to learn how to or maybe you are a giving spirit type of person? CHECK OUT THE Cards for Kindness Club. Cards for Kindness is a global initiative that uplifts others by delivering handmade greeting cards to organizations like cancer foundations and retirement homes, spreading joy and comfort through heartfelt messages from volunteers worldwide. Join the club every other Monday starting next week. We meet from 2:30-3:45pm in room 46 with Mrs. Duncan. Our first meeting will be August 31.

THEATRE MEETING: There will be an informational meeting after school on Tuesday September 1st in Room 26 about the after school Theatre class. This meeting is for students who are in 7th grade and for 8th graders who did not take theatre last year. The meeting will be just about 10-15 minutes, so from 2:30-2:45. Thanks!

BACK TO SCHOOL BASH: ASB is hosting a Back to School Bash on FRIDAY, September 4, 2026 right after school in the Quad from 2:25 to 3:00 pm. It's a great way to meet new people and make some new friends while having fun. If you get a ride home, please be sure you are picked up promptly at 3 pm. We can't wait to see you there!

PLANNERS: Students are REQUIRED to bring their planner to school every day and have their planner on their desk and open to the correct day in homeroom each morning. Detentions will be assigned for students that don't have their planner with them. Please do not deface your planner. Pages should never be folded in any way or torn out and there should not be excessive graffiti in your planner. This is both an organizational tool for you and a form of school to home communication. If your planner becomes lost, check all of your classes and the shelves in the office first. Replacement planners are \$5 at the front office.

STUDENT BULLETINS: Student Bulletins are posted on the school website by 5PM the day before. Please get in the habit of checking the Student Bulletin on the Pioneer website <https://pjh.upland.k12.ca.us/resources/student-resources> after 5PM daily. This is where you will find information on clubs, sports, important dates, etc... throughout the school year.

BIKES: If you ride a bike to school you MUST wear a helmet and have a bike lock. You may not ride your bike on the sidewalk in front of the school; you must dismount and push your bike on the sidewalk. All bikes must be locked on the bike rack while they are on campus.

HYDRO FLASKS, WATER BOTTLES & MORNING DRINKS: Sorry, but for sanitary reasons, only water is allowed in classrooms in your hydro flasks & water bottles. If you bring Starbucks or other drinks in the morning, please finish it BEFORE you walk into homeroom.

STAYING AFTER SCHOOL: Reminder - Students need to have permission from their parent/guardian BEFORE they can stay after school for any reason. Be sure to let whoever is picking you up know where you will be and what time you will need to be picked up.

CELL PHONES: Remember all cell phones should be OFF and put away BEFORE you step through the gates in the morning until you LEAVE the gates after school. Do not take them out and turn them on as you are walking across campus to exit, you must be completely outside of the gates before taking your phone out. Please do not put them on "Silent" and do not use them during the school day. If you are sick, get a pass to the Health Office to see the nurse. DO NOT call or text someone to come and get you.

GUM: Gum is NEVER allowed on campus. Please do not bring gum to school for any reason. Detentions may be assigned for gum chewing.

CLUBS:

Cards for Kindness Club meets on selected Mondays from 2:30 to 3:45 p.m. in Room 46.