



Peace River High School

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Calendar of Events



February 1- Second Semester Begins

February 15 - No School (Family Day)

February 16 - No School (PD Day)

March 9 - Grad Photo Retakes

IMPORTANT NOTICE

The Release of Marks and Comments from Semester 1 will be slightly delayed as we review to make sure that no students grades were negatively affected by their final exam marks. We expect marks to be finalized and released by mid to late next week.



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Grad 2021 Update

Grad 2021 will be celebrated! We would love to have a formal ceremony on June 26th as scheduled, but if we are unable to do so, as per AHS guidelines, there are some celebrations that we will definitely be having:

- A digital celebration of our Graduates. This includes a slide show presentation of Grad photos, baby photos and the Graduates intentions for the future.
- Banners that will be displayed downtown.
- Printed certificates and Grad class composite picture for students
- Cap and 2021 tassel memento for students
- Grad apparel (purchased through Entripy Shop on our school website). We will be having students sign a "21" when they return to in-person classes after Jan 11th. This 21 is uploaded to the Entripy site and students can purchase clothing items with the signed 21 and/or other Grad 2021 logos.
- Grad photos (Lifetouch) on Dec 17th and 18th.

"Your life journey is about learning to become more of who you are and fulfilling the highest, truest expression of yourself as a human being."

Oprah Winfrey



Lifetouch will be at Peace High on March 9 for Grad Retake Photos. Please sign up for your time online at

<https://prestigeportraits.ca/>

Click on "locate your school", enter your city and province and find your school in the list, select your school and type you first and last name.

Choose the time that suits your schedule and follow the prompts to book it.

There is a \$30 sitting fee to be paid online or at the time of sitting. If you are only getting a photo for our school composite/yearbook, there is no sitting fee required.



Jostens Grad Jewelry

Jostens will not be coming into the school this year with a display. Please click below to order your grad jewelry.

[Jostens Order Online](#)

Ring sizer is available at the office so you can order the perfect fit!

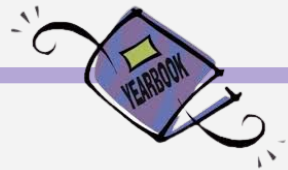
A Great Way to Stay Informed

If you have not already done so, please contact the school to receive your login information for your students Powerschool Account. It is a great way stay up to date with students attendance, assignments, and comments. You can even email the teachers directly.

Pro Tip: If using you are using the Powerschool APP available from the App or Google Play Store and it isn't updating, try uninstalling and reinstalling on your device. Sometimes the App gets stuck. If you are still having issues, contact us at the office and we will do everything we can to help!



**Just a reminder
that masks are still
a mandatory policy.
Don't forget yours
at home!**



2019- 2020 Yearbooks are now in!

If you prepaid for one last year, you can come and pick it up at the office. If you missed out, don't worry! We do have extra copies to purchase. They are \$50 per book, and can be purchased online through SchoolCash using Visa, Mastercard, or E-cheque.

Online available to the public are some back issues that we have dug out of the vault. We have limited copies (of limited years) going back all the way to 1976! These would make a great gift for any Peace High student or staff Alumni!

If you do not have a current School Cash Account, you can still purchase by using the following link:

<https://prsd.schoolcashionline.com/Fee/Index>



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Hot Lunch at Peace High

Monday	Kita North 	Low Mein Noodles (Veggie), Chicken Fried Rice, Chicken balls OR California Rolls
Tuesday	Baptist Church 	Check Announcements or at the office for availability. Not running at this time
Wednesday	Subway 	6 inch sub and a cookie (veggie, ham, turkey or pizza) add your own sauce and veggies
Thursday	Matt's Pizza 	Cheese, Hawaiian and Pepperoni/Bacon
Friday	TBA 	Check Announcements

Hot lunch available for \$5

**Lunch cards can be purchased on SchoolCash online or debit/tap
as payment options**

<https://prsd.schoolcashonline.com/>



Superintendent's Message

Parents: Have a Voice in Education



In January and February many parents will receive a survey in their mailbox from Alberta Education. Please take a few moments to complete this survey - your participation is very important to us.

Your response to the survey provides valuable information regarding what is working in schools and what needs improvement. Your answers to the questions in the survey are confidential and are considered during school and divisional planning. Therefore, this survey provides an opportunity for you to impact decision making regarding your child's education and school.

The survey is mailed to parents in grades 4, 7 and 10 (unless the school has fewer than 120 students in grades 4-12 in which case the survey will be expanded to include all students and parents). To ensure we receive as many responses back from parents as possible, the survey comes with a postage paid return envelope.

Thank you in advance for your time spent in completing the survey. Through working and learning together, your input and involvement makes our schools great places to grow, learn and be.

Paul Bennett

Superintendent of Schools

Peace River School Division No. 10



Spotlight on Health and Safety

Safety message – PRSD safety protocols and communication

Mental Health and Wellness

Wellness can be defined as an optimum state of health - physically, socially, emotionally, and mentally. Our well-being is about making healthy choices in each of these areas.

In order for us to learn and be our best, we must feel and be well. We have a great opportunity to not only academically educate our students, but to support, guide, and teach them to honour their mental health and wellness and we support this in a number of ways.

We recognize that healthy eating and active living are also important components to positive mental health and wellness. We support this through education and expanding physical education activities in our schools. We also encourage and support our students to be leaders, to get involved in the community and work together as a team – these are attributes that instill confidence, a sense of belonging and create a greater sense of purpose and inner joy.

The Alberta Government has a great resource on Working Together to Support Mental Health in Alberta Schools at: https://education.alberta.ca/media/3576206/working_together_to_support_mental_health.pdf

Whether you are a student, parent or staff member, be sure to reach out to family, friends and access professional help if stress is affecting your life. In all our schools we have Youth Education Support Workers/Success Coaches to help students and facilitate extra assistance they may need. While gaining support from others you can encourage them too, everyone has had it tough at some point in their lives. A kind word may go further than you realize.

Offered to our staff members and their families is an Employee and Family Assistance Program, a proactive health program providing confidential wellness and prevention supports, health and life coaching and counseling. <http://www.homewoodhealth.com/corporate/services/overview> For more resources staff can check out “Apple-a-Day” and “The Sandbox” <https://thewellnesssandbox.ca/>

Joint Worksite Health and Safety Committee

