Daily Announcements for 10/21/21

http://pcsb.org/countryside-hs (Dates are subject to change)

Stay alive, don't text and drive

Attend Today. Achieve

Tomorrow

New announcements in maroon

Follow us on FACEBOOK! <u>https://www.facebook.com/mycountrysidehigh/</u>

Senior's, please, checkout the senior class page on our website under "Clubs and Activities" for pertinent information. <u>https://www.pcsb.org/Domain/6081</u>

Anyone interested in joining an esports team to play Valorant or Overwatch. Please see Mr. Mills in room A6 for details. We need 2 players for each game.

We have masks available in the front office if you need them.

Dress Code and Tardy Checks will continue. Please work with us and read page 54 of your code of conduct. We are providing some interventions for students who are out of dress code.

All Military branches will visit our campus every 1st and 3rd Wednesday monthly, during 5th period lunch.

KEY CLUB

MEETING: Every Tuesday at 2:00pm/C-side Concourse
DUES: \$20.00 per year
ADVISORS: Chuck Hawkins, Kiwanis Co-Adviser, Aimee Busquet, Kiwanis Co-Adviser, Patti
Muscaro, Countryside Key Club Advisor
GOALS: Leadership, Character Building, Caring, and Inclusiveness
School Contact: Ms. Muscaro muscaroe@pcsb.org



www.pcsb.org/safetyconcern

Students who earned a D/F in a semester class Monday-Thursday from 2:00 until 3:00 (Report to the Media Center by 2:10)

Please see your <u>school counselor</u> to register for the after-school APEX program.

SUBJECT	<u>COURSES AVAILABLE</u> (YOU CAN RECOVER REG, HON, SOME AP)			
ENGLISH	ENG 1	ENG 2	ENG 3	ENG 4
SOCIAL STUDIES	US GOV	WORLD HISTORY	US HISTORY	ECONOMICS
<u>MATH</u>	GEOMETRY	ALGEBRA 2	LIBERAL ARTS	MCR
SCIENCE	BIOLOGY	CHEMISTRY	EARTH SPACE	ENVIRONMENTAL

ACT/SAT	/Tutoring/Homework Help
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SUBJECT	INSTRUCTOR	
ACT/SAT	Contact MACQUARRIE (macquarriek@pcsb.org)	
ALL SUBJECTS	CONTACT THE STUDENT'S TEACHER (2:00-2:40)	
PEER TUTORING	Contact PRINCE (<u>princeke@pcsb.org</u>) (2:00-2:40)	

District wide tutoring options will be available soon, see the school website for updates.

<u>Friday, Wednesday, October 22</u> - We will have a 3.0 celebration for all Cougars that earn a 3.0 or higher weighted GPA this quarter and the celebration will be a faculty versus student basketball game on October 22 during 7th period.

<u>Thursday, October 28 -</u> Countryside High will be administering the ASVAB, the Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery. Students, if you are unsure of the future career choice that will be right for you, or if you are considering a career with the Armed Services, this assessment is what you need. Students in 10th through 12th grades can sign up for this awesome opportunity by signing the clipboards in Student Services or by emailing your School Counselor.

Sign up as soon as possible to guarantee your opportunity to test at Countryside on the 28th of October.

For more information, please see your School Counselor.

Thursday, October 28 - The Cougar Book Club will be reading <u>If I Stay</u> this month. It's about a 17year-old girl that gets into an accident and has no memories from before it. She only recalls what happened afterwards. Watching her own damaged body being taken from the wreck, she struggles to put together the pieces- to figure out what she has lost, what she has left, and the very difficult choice she must make. If you are interested in reading this book, sign up in the media center as soon as possible. The first 5 people get to keep a free copy of the book. The meeting to discuss the book will be at 7:10am on October 28th in the media center. Contact: Ms. Amiot-Priso <u>amiot-prisoj@pcsb.org</u> Media Center

Thursday, October 28 – Picture makeup day

Contact: Katlyn Stoneburner <u>stoneburnerk@pcsb.org</u> Website to Cady Studios cady.com/welcome

Any students interested in joining **the basketball team** need to reach out to Coach Crawford <u>crawfordst@pcsb.org</u> (girls) and Coach Patterson <u>pattersondi@pcsb.org</u> (boys). Both head coaches played ball for the Countryside Cougars and we are proud to have them home.

Friday, November 19 -Homecoming Dance - 7-10pm - cost of dance (tbd) will pay for DJ, black lights, snacks, a t-shirt, etc. Dance will be held at Countryside High School

<u>Academic TEAM</u> – Coach Schuster schusterd@ocsb.org in room N10. The Academic Team looks amazing on your college or career resume, so see Coach Schuster and prove how intelligent you can be!

Thursday's are Tampa Bay Rays dress up day to support our TB Rays– hats allowed in the Mall if they are Rays hats because that is the theme. Teachers control their classrooms and if they ask you to take your hat off you must comply

Friday's is Cougar dress up day. Wear your CHS pride and support our Cougars

FBLA Meetings for 21-22

Future Business Leaders of America - Countryside High FBLA All following meetings are on Weds.

- Oct. 27
- Nov. 17 * from 2 3:15 pm
- Dec. 15 *from 2 3:15 pm
- > Jan. 26, 2022
- February 23
- March 23
- > April 27
- May 18 * from 2 3:15 pm

All meetings are 2 - 3 pm unless noted otherwise above.

Contact: Ms. Yaeger <u>vaegerj@pcsb.org</u> Room A-1

SENIOR PICTURES

Class of 2022! Now is the time to book your session with Cady Studios for your senior portraits. Once the school year has begun, many spots will fill up and you do not want to miss out on capturing this moment on your path to graduation. Sessions include your formal yearbook pose, a casual pose, and your graduation cap and gown picture. Visit <u>CADY.COM/BOOK</u> for scheduling. Senior photos MUST be completed by January 15

Contact: Ms. Stoneburner stoneburnerk@pcsb.org Room L-6

YEARBOOK

The 2022 Pride Yearbook will begin sales online at the beginning of August at the lowest pricing of the year. Save money and secure your personalized book order early. Student dedication and business advertisement space in the yearbook will also go on sale in August. Families can bundle a yearbook AND dedication/ad to save money; bundle sales will only be available to purchase on campus. Contact the yearbook staff advisor at <u>stoneburnerk@pcsb.org</u> You can personalize your yearbook until January 15, 2022.

Contact: Ms. Stoneburner stoneburner stoneburnerk@pcsb.org Room L-6

SENIORS

Be in the "know" by visiting the <u>Senior TEAMS page</u>. Here you can get the latest information pertaining to Bright Futures, FAFSA, scholarships, college workshops, & much more!

Attached you will find the QR codes for each alpha & ISTEM. These are the corresponding links:

A-G <u>https://teams.microsoft.com/l/team/19%3a9n70EwIDro_PqxH_5Ovgs4n33InGC-kwS33qP8uoVxE1%40thread.tacv2/conversations?groupId=e7b2185a-3022-4a37-961c-be65853f0099&tenantId=733c9305-39d7-461a-866f-fdf27bf3c7ff</u>

H-O <u>https://teams.microsoft.com/l/team/19%3aQhaedO-</u> x6icDCA8xOC05UJm8fBKcGhV3ttFznSofv0s1%40thread.tacv2/conversations?groupId=42a73f9b-d6f9-4983-8bcc-520e91f1cc31&tenantId=733c9305-39d7-461a-866f-fdf27bf3c7ff

P-Z: <u>https://teams.microsoft.com/l/team/19%3aJC2LiDvktSKmM3sKa3bS6G9GUf9Ncz5am_AUc9j3-</u> <u>fA1%40thread.tacv2/conversations?groupId=dfe05348-b34e-4b7b-b518-3643c572667e&tenantId=733c9305-</u> <u>39d7-461a-866f-fdf27bf3c7ff</u>

ISTEM: <u>https://teams.microsoft.com/l/team/19%3apCioq6BomVWm2K_17Kx2hpjo6uSfyifcf61wRMnyjL81%40t</u> <u>hread.tacv2/conversations?groupId=f43aacca-6e99-4ea2-9947-2c72e084748a&tenantId=733c9305-39d7-461a-866f-fdf27bf3c7ff</u>



Donations to the School

You can now make donations to any classroom, club or sport. General parking and senior parking can also be purchased on <u>www.revtrak.net</u>.

As time goes by there will be other opportunities to pay for additional school activities online.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding revtrak, please, feel free to email Ocy Ertzberger at <u>ertzbergero@pcsb.org</u>.

Please see our CHS Website under Athletics for all the sports scheduleshttps://www.pcsb.org/domain/2594

SPORTS:

- Watch Countryside High School Sports <u>https://www.pcsb.org/watchpcssports</u>
- Countryside High School sports schedules can be found on our website at <u>https://www.pcsb.org/domain/2594</u> Dates are subject to change.

All games in gym or on the football field (Volleyball, Basketball, Soccer, Flag Football, Football, Track, Wrestling) can be watched "LIVE" by subscription at <u>www.nfhsnetwork.com/</u>. In person Tickets for all athletic events will be available for purchase at <u>www.GoFan.co</u> as we release them.

Get emergency text messages

Pinellas County Schools uses text messages to communicate information about severe weather and other emergencies.

To get alerts, text "Yes" to 67587. If you opted in before, you don't need to opt in again.

Verify your personal contact information in Employee Self Service. To update the phone number on file, log in and go to the section called "Personal" and click "Edit/Update."

RESOURCES FOR STUDENTS:

Interested in a scholarship? Check out our website <u>http://pcsb.org/Domain/6368</u> Please see your School Counselor for specific scholarship applications

ECounselor – Is open 4-9pm, Monday through Friday. It is staffed by professional school counselors and is an opportunity for students and parents to ask questions after hours and get assistance. Types of issues that can be addressed are college & career planning, financial aid & scholarships, graduation requirements, advanced academic coursework, etc. The link to this site is <u>https://www.pcsb.org/ecounselor</u>

ACT Information

Visit <u>www.actstudent.org</u> to sign up and get free practice. If you are on free/reduced lunch, please, see your school counselor as you may qualify for a waiver to take it for free!

SAT PRACTICE OPPORTUNITIES

Pinellas County Schools is joining the national effort to expand SAT test practice opportunities to all students. The College Board and Khan Academy developed *free* SAT practice tools to create a world-class, personalized experience to help all students prepare for the SAT and college-level courses. Students can use the Khan Academy site 24/7 to get personalized practice for the SAT. The site provides students with instant feedback on their progress through thousands of SAT practice questions that range in difficulty based on each student's demonstrated skill level. The site also provides predicted score outcomes, full- length practice tests, and interactive questions and videos. Make sure your student is taking advantage of this important resource. Sign up today at <u>satpractice.org</u>.

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Personalized Learning Pathway



The Personalized Learning Pathway is a new online platform that helps students navigate their path to academic and career success.

The PLP helps students:

Build resumes and keep track of achievements, goals, hobbies, and volunteer and work experience.

- See their performance on assessments and access targeted lessons to improve.
- Track progress toward graduation and discover areas they may need to address.
- Keep track of advanced coursework, industry certifications and performance on college entrance exams to determine if they are ready for college and careers.

Students can access the Personalized Learning Pathway through the Clever login on the home page of the PCS website or the Pinellas County Schools <u>Clever</u> page.