

ESOL Family Outreach Newsletter



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Pinellas County Schools News/ Upcoming Events

Spring Holidays

No school for students:

Mar. 13, 2023 - Mar. 17, 2023



PCS Summer Bridge and Camps 2023
Registration will open right after Spring Break!

Summer Bridge provides engaging learning activities to prepare students for success when the next school year begins. Programs will take place in June.

Summer Camps will be offered mostly in July.

For more information please go to:

<https://www.pcsb.org/summer>



Pinellas County Schools District Applications Programs (DAP)
Late Application Period begins on March 21st.

To apply during the late application period, please go to: <https://reservation.pcsb.org>.

For more information, please go to:

<https://www.pcsb.org/dap>



Prekindergarten and Free VPK Options 2023-2024

The late application to apply for PreK3 or VPK Program for the 2023-2024 school year is open. To register for PreK-VPK go to: <https://reservation.pcsb.org/>

Families who qualify for free or reduced-price meals according to the annual Florida Income Eligibility Guidelines will qualify for free full-day VPK. For more information go to: <https://www.pcsb.org/early>



Kindergarten Program 2023-2024 The enrollment for Kindergarten is open. To register go to: <https://reservation.pcsb.org/>

For more details visit: <https://www.pcsb.org/kg>

Flyers:

- [English](#)
- [Spanish](#)

Get Kindergarten Ready:

- [New Kindergarten Booklet](#)
- [New Kindergarten Booklet - Spanish](#)

Free Events for English Learner and Hispanic Families

In-Person Events:

1. ESOL Parent Leadership Council Meeting

Date: Thursday, March 8
Time: 4:30-5:30 p.m.

2. Financial Aid

Date: Thursday, March 8
Time: 5:00-5:30 p.m.

3. Pinellas County Schools Spring Tests 2023

Date: Wednesday, April 12
Time: 3:45-4:30 p.m.

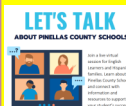
4. Summer Bridge Programs K-12

Date: Wednesday, April 12
Time: 4:45-5:45 p.m.

Events Location: Clearwater East Community Library located at SPC Clearwater Campus: 2465 Drew St, Clearwater, FL

For more ESOL in-person events:

<https://www.pcsb.org/Page/33273>



Live Virtual Events:
Let's Talk About Pinellas County Schools!

Live virtual session for English

Learner and Hispanic families. This new session will help families learn about the school district and connect with information and resources to support their children's success.

Some topics: Financial Aid, Spring Tests, Virtual Tutoring for students, and more

Date: Thursday, March 9 and April 13
Time: 6:00 pm.

To join the session, please click on this link: [Click here to join the meeting](#)

For more information in Spanish/English, about the ESOL events or information on this newsletter, please contact:

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Resources for Families and Students

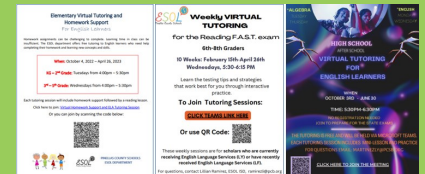
Free Virtual Tutoring for English Learner Students!

No registration is needed.

The tutoring is free and will be held via Microsoft Teams.

Each grade-level tutoring session will include a mini-lesson followed by time for homework help.

To join a session, simply click the appropriate grade level/content area.

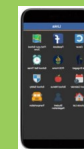


Please follow the link to connect directly to the virtual tutoring page: <https://www.pcsb.org/Page/37313>



Pinellas County Schools en Español Facebook page Help us spread the word! Connect with us on social media through Pinellas County Schools en Español— <https://www.facebook.com/PCSBespanol>

The page connects Hispanic families with news and information about the school district and ESOL events in Spanish! Please follow the link above, like, and share!



Free Pinellas County Schools App helps families access student information on their cellphones and mobile devices. The App provides easy access to: Current Student

Grades, Current Student Attendance, Recent Student Assignments, Upcoming Student Assignments, and more. The app can be downloaded from the Google Play Store or the Apple App store.

<https://www.pcsb.org/app>



Clever @ Home supports learning outside of the classroom anytime, anywhere. Students are encouraged to

continue using the resources found within Clever before or after the school day from home. They can access these resources through <https://clever.com/in/pcsb> by signing in with their PCS account.

<https://www.pcsb.org/Page/28468>