

Pinellas County Schools News/ Upcoming Events

Acceptance Period underway for prekindergarten programs

The Acceptance Period for PreK and VPK programs is March 1 through March 12. Please log in to <https://reservation.pcsb.org> during the Acceptance Period to review the status of your application, and decide if you want to accept an invitation or remain on a waitlist. **For questions about PreK3** please call: 727-588-6000 x2184. **For questions about VPK**, call: 727-588-6513

District Application Programs - Magnet and Fundamental Programs 2021-2022 Late Application Period, it will open on March 23

You still have options to make a choice with Pinellas County Schools! For more information about the programs go to: <https://www.pcsb.org/dap> **For any questions or assistance**, call the Student Assignment Office at: (727) 588-6210.

Up-to-date contact information

The school district needs accurate contact information to send parents phone calls and emails about: Emergencies or severe weather, School or district events, and Special application opportunities. For details on how to update your phone and email address please go to: <https://www.pcsb.org/Page/28949>

¡Hablemos de Educación!

A virtual Q&A session to support Spanish-speaking families with questions or concerns about their child's school and connect with available resources for student success. Come and ask your questions!
Thursdays from 12:30-1:30 p.m. To join the session, click on this link: [Click here to join the meeting](#)

For more information in Spanish/English, contact: Ericka Reckenwald
ESOL Family Outreach: 727-588-6415
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Free Virtual Events for ESOL Families – in Spanish

1. ESOL Community Advisory Meeting, Friday, March 05, at 10:30

a.m. Want to be involved in activities and support for ESOL families? You will have the opportunity to learn about Pinellas County School ESOL services, community resources and events as well as an opportunity to provide input into services, processes and procedures related to these services. Please join our meeting, so that together we can create a better academic environment for our ESOL students. [Click here to join this virtual meeting](#)

2. High School Graduation Requirements

- Tuesday, March 9 and March 30, at 12:30 p.m. (Presented in Spanish).

3. Ya llené mi FAFSA ¿Qué debo hacer ahora?

Online event, Tuesday, March 9 at 7:00 p.m. **To join this event, go to:** <https://www.facebook.com/PCSBe spanol>, click on the event then, click on [LIVE Video](#).

4. Clever and Personalized Learning Pathway

- Wednesday, March 10, at 12:30 p.m.

5. Focus- Student Info Systems

- Tuesday, March 23, at 12:30 p.m.

6. Meeting School Academic Expectations in Middle School

- Wednesday, March 24, at 12:30 p.m.

7. Meeting School Academic Expectations in Elementary School

- Wednesday, March 31, at 12:30 p.m.

To join any of the virtual workshops listed above click on this link: [Join ESOL Families Virtual Workshop](#)

Resources for Families and Students



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/PCSBe spanol>

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.



Clever @ Home

supports learning outside of 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.



The Personalized Learning Pathway (PLP)

helps students keep track of achievements, goals, see their performance on assessments, access targeted lessons to improve, **track progress toward graduation** and discover areas they may need to address, and more. Students can access the PLP through <https://clever.com/in/pcsb> by signing in with their PCS email account.

Pinellas County Schools Parent Helpline in Spanish

Spanish-speaking parents can call the helpline to obtain information related to the school district.

Helpline phone number: 727-588-6415.