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2023-2024 SCHOOL YEAR

417-523-2100

First Day of School - - August 22, 2023

9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.

6th Grade Orientation

Thursday, August 17

Beginning at 5:30 p.m.

(Introductions, information stations, schedule distribution and visit classrooms)

Middle School Breakfast Price

\$1.70 – full pay \$0.30 – reduced meals

\$0.30 - reduced meals \$0.65 - milk Middle School Lunch Price

\$3.30 - full pay \$0.40 - reduced meals

\$0.65 - milk

Please go to sps.org and fill out the meal application for free/reduced meal pricing. Applications must be filled out **yearly**.

7th & 8th Grade Schedules

Friday, August 18

Students will be able to view their schedules in the Home Access Center.

If you prefer to pick up a paper copy, you may do so from 7:30 a.m.—1:00 p.m.

In the Home Access Center (HAC):

Update your contact information

**All 8th-grade students must have documentation of having had a current Tdap and meningococcal vaccine before starting school. Students cannot attend school in Missouri without having addressed this legal requirement. If you have not already provided the school nurse with this vaccine information, you may email it to baturner@spsmail.org or fax it to 417-523-2395. If you have any questions, please contact the school nurse at 523-2330.

On the first day of school, your student will receive a health inventory from the school nurse. Please fill it out and send it back to school with your student to give to their first period teacher.

Students are encouraged to bring water bottles to school if they'd like to carry water with them throughout the day. Beverages other than water (except for lunch) will not be allowed in the building.

During the school year, students may not arrive earlier than 8:35 a.m.

Drop off for middle school students is in the back (north) parking lot.

The expectation is that all students not involved in an activity should be gone from school/picked up by 4:15 p.m.

Pick up for middle school students is in the back (north) parking lot.

If you have an elementary and middle school student, pick up is on the east side of the building by door #29.

If you are interested in purchasing a Pleasant View shirt or hoodie, we are offering a Pleasant View online apparel store through Team-Wear Solutions. Please visit the link below.

The online store will open on August 1 and <u>closes at midnight on September 17</u> (no late orders will be accepted).

*Items purchased will be delivered to students around the first part of October.

https://pvsfall23.itemorder.com/



Daily Attendance

We know it is sometimes necessary for a student to be absent from school. Parents are requested, on those occasions, to inform the office by phone prior to 10:00 a.m. of their child's absence. You can call the school at 523-2301, or email amlitchy@spsmail.org. Students should ask teachers for makeup work when they return to school. If the student is absent for three or more days, you may request homework by calling the school office or emailing the teachers. Students who arrive at school after 9:00 a.m. are considered "tardy" and should report to the office. Note: All absences (except those which are school related) do count against the student's attendance.

Bus Transportation

If you have questions concerning buses or bus routes, please call the Transportation Office at 523-0500.

For information on bus delays, click here.

At this time, students will not be allowed to ride the bus home with other students.

Please do not have balloons or glass flower vases delivered to the school. Students may not take these items on the bus.

Cell Phones

At 9:00 a.m. (when school begins), cell phones must be powered off and in the student's backpack until the end of the school day.

Pleasant View Communications

- **Pleasant View Website**: Check out the Pleasant View website at sps.org/pleasantview. This is a great place to get valuable and timely information throughout the school year.
- Connect 5: Connect 5 is our automated phone messaging system we use throughout the year to get important information out to all students and parents/guardians. Please make sure to update this information in the Home Access Center so you can receive timely and important messages from the school.
- Email Blasts: We would like to send you other important information via an email blast. In order for you to
 receive these emails, we need your current email address. Please make sure that information is updated in
 the Home Access Center.
- Twitter: @PViewSPS
- Facebook: Pleasant View
- Instagram: pv_k8school
- To minimize classroom interruptions and to assure that your student gets your message we request that you

do not call the school office to leave a message for your student after 3:00 p.m. After that time we cannot guarantee that the message can be delivered.

Early Check-Out of Students

The following procedure for early check-out/pick-up of students will be <u>strictly enforced</u> to ensure the safety and security of your child:

- The parent/quardian must first enter the school through the front doors into our entryway.
- The parent/guardian will communicate with the office staff via the intercom system (Any other individual representing the parent must be cleared by the parent through the Pleasant View Office in writing).
- The parent/guardian or designee must sign the student out in an early dismissal log.
- Any visitor entering the building must show the office staff a photo I.D.
- The office will notify the teacher and the student will be released to leave the building.
- Early check-outs do count against a student's attendance.

Home Access Center

Through this portal, you can check your student's grades, discipline, attendance and demographic information. Please update your student's demographic information prior to August 17. Please keep in mind if you are changing an address, you will need to provide the school with proof of residency. If any of this information should change throughout the year, please make all updates using the Home Access Center (HAC) and notify the school office.

The username and password assigned to you will carry over from year to year until your student graduates from high school.

Quarterly progress reports and grade cards will not be printed and sent home with students. Instead, parents/guardians can access those reports in the Home Access Center.

To access the Home Access Center web page, go to the district's website: sps.org and click on "Home Access Center" in the list of Quick Links.

*If you have forgotten your user name and/or password, on the login screen, you can select the "Forgot My User Name or Password." An email will then be sent to you (the parent/guardian), from an account named "DoNotReply." That email will contain a link which will allow you to assign/reset your password. You will then enter either a User Name or Email Address. NOTE: If email address is selected, you will need to match the email address currently on file with the school.

**If you need to create a new Home Access Center account, on the login screen you can select the "Click Here to Register for HAC." Enter your name, city, zip and click the "Register" button. The system updates hourly. You will receive an email at the email address the school has on file for you with the instructions to complete your HAC account registration.

Medication

Prescription and non-prescription medication to be taken at school shall be **delivered and picked up by a parent/guardian**. Medication must be in the current prescription bottle or original container. A medication permit and administration form must be completed and signed by a parent/guardian. The first dose of any medicine <u>will not</u> be given at school. Over-the-counter medications may be given at school for a period of (3) three days with a permission form signed by a parent/guardian and must be in the original container. Administration for more than (3) three days requires a written standing order from a doctor or authorized prescriber for the individual student, which can be faxed to the school. Over the counter medication such as Tylenol cannot be carried by students and should follow the same policy as stated above. Any remaining medication must be picked up by a parent or designated adult within one week after the final date on the medication form or by the end of the last day of school. Medication will not be sent home with students. Please call the week before school starts to set up an appointment to drop off medication for the school year. The first day of school is not the best time to do this and would be more beneficial for the nurse and student to have this done the week prior.

MvSchoolBucks

Create your free MySchoolBucks account to conveniently and securely pay for your student's school fees online or with the mobile app. With MySchoolBucks you will be able to quickly browse school items in our School Store, be notified when fees are due, and make payments from anywhere.

Get Started Today:

1. Go to myschoolbucks.com or download the mobile app.

Create your free account and add your student(s) using their school name and their student ID.
 Add school items or invoices to your cart.

4. Check out using your credit / debit card or electronic check (a program fee may apply).

Nutrition Services Information

This year, lunches will be \$3,30 for middle school students. Students who bring their lunch may purchase milk in the cafeteria for .65 cents. Breakfast will be \$1,70 this year and is served from 8:35-9:00 a.m.

The Free and Reduced Meal Application will be mailed to your home before the start of school. All family members may be listed on one application. Please fill out the form and mail it back in the envelope provided or you may fill out the application online at sps.org. Meal applications must be filled out yearly.

Picking Up Students After School

- Parents are asked to wait outside in their car, in the car line, for students to be dismissed. The middle school car line is located in the back (north) parking lot.
- Students are not allowed to cross the road to be picked up.
- Middle school students with elementary siblings should be picked up on the east side of the building by door

Shine

Parents may now register their students for SHINE, the before-and after-school program. To provide this service, SPS is partnering with SPARC. Any SPS student can attend SHINE and those who qualify for free or reduced price meals may be eligible for scholarships. For more information or to register, visit sps.org/SHINE.

Sports Passes

Athletic Fee: Participation fee is \$25.00-\$50.00 (free if the student qualifies for free or reduced price meals). This year, there is a reduced fee for multiple children participating from the same household. \$50 first child, \$35 for second child, and \$25 for three or more children participating during the school year.

This pass is for students who are participating in athletics and entitles the owner admission to all R12 sponsored athletic events during the year held at SPS buildings. (This excludes events sponsored by MSHSSA.) Activity Passes: Activity passes permit students and patrons into sporting events.

- For students (grades K-8) wishing to purchase an activity pass as a spectator, the cost is \$5.00 (this pass is only good at events that Pleasant View is participating in that are held at SPS buildings and also at Hillcrest home sporting events).
- Patrons wishing to purchase an activity pass to watch Pleasant View events, the cost is \$15.00 (this pass is only good at events that Pleasant View is participating in that are held at SPS buildings). Anyone 65 or over will be admitted free of charge with proof of birth date and will not need an actual pass.

Passes may be purchased in the Pleasant View office or online at MySchoolBucks.com.

Tardy Policy

1st -5th Tardy - Warning

6th Tardy - Parent Notified

7th Tardy - Parent Notified/Lunch Detention

8th Tardy - Parent Notified/Lunch Detention

9th Tardy - Parent Notified/After School Detention or ISS

10th Tardy - Parent Notified/After School Detention or ISS

11th Tardy - Progressive Discipline

Tardy accrual starts over at the beginning of each new quarter.

Volunteers

Any parent/guardian wishing to volunteer or attend a field trip must fill out a volunteer application yearly, register with the Family Care Safety Registry and have had a Springfield Public Schools background check within the last six years. The application process can be found on the Pleasant View website (http://www.sps.org/pleasantview).

Instructions on accessing the student's schedule:

- Home Access Center (HAC) website: <u>sps.org</u> and click on "Home Access Center" under the Quick Links.
- 2. Login: Enter your User Name and Password



3. Click on the Classes Icon



PLEASANT VIEW MIDDLE SCHOOL

SIXTH GRADE SUPPLY LIST 2023-2024

General Supplies:

#2 Pencils

4 three-prong 2-pocket folders

2 Spiral notebooks (English, science)

½ inch 3-ring binder with pockets, with 5 dividers (science)

Art:

4 #2 pencils

Pink pearl eraser Plastic bag "like Walmart" General Music:

Folder with pockets

#2 pencils

Choir:

½ inch black 3-ring binder

#2 pencils Highlighters Kleenex

Orchestra:

Black 3-ring binder

1.5 or 2 inch black or white binder with clear view cover

1 pkg 5 tab dividers

Package of 12 or more pencils

1 box of kleenex

SEVENTH GRADE SUPPLY LIST 2023-2024

General Supplies:

#2 Pencils

5 dividers

4 two-pocket, 3-prong folders

Composition notebook

Art:

4 #2 pencils

Pink pearl eraser

Plastic bag "like Walmart"

General Music:

Folder with pockets

#2 pencils

Choir:

½ inch black 3-ring binder

#2 pencils Highlighters

Kleenex

Orchestra:

Black 3-ring binder

Band:

1.5 or 2 inch black or white binder with clear view cover

1 pkg 5 tab dividers

Package of 12 or more pencils

1 box of kleenex

EIGHTH GRADE SUPPLY LIST 2023-2024

General Supplies:

#2 Pencils

4 #2 pencils

Pink pearl eraser

1 two-inch 3-ring binder

1 one-inch binder (science)

Plastic bag "like Walmart"

General Music: Folder with pockets

#2 pencils

2 Spiral notebooks (math, English)

4 two-pocket folders (different colors)

Choir: ½ inch black 3-ring binder

#2 pencils Highlighters Kleenex

Orchestra:

Black 3-ring binder

Band:

Art:

1.5 or 2 inch black or white binder with clear view cover

1 pkg 5 tab dividers

Package of 12 or more pencils

1 box of kleenex



Cell Phone Violation Policy

Cell phones are **NOT** to be in use or cause a disruption during the school day. A school day is considered from 9:00 am until 4:00 pm. **All cell** phones should be powered off and put away in a student's bag or backpack (not on person).

1st Violation: Student can pick up device at the end of the hour from the teacher.

2nd Violation: Student can pick up device at the end of day from the office.

3rd Violation: Student picks up device at the end of the day from the office & parent/guardian contacted. Will also serve lunch detention.

4th Violation: Parent/guardian will have to pick up device from the office. Will serve 2 days of lunch detention.

5th Violations: Student will be required to check in the device in the office every morning before 8:55 a.m. (after a conference with the parent). Will serve 3 days of lunch detention.

PLEASE RETURN THE ATTACHED HEALTH INVENTORY TO THE SCHOOL NURSE



Welcome Bluejay Family!



My name is Brooke Turner and I am the School Nurse here at Pleasant View. If your child needs to take medication at school or has any special health concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me or stop by the Health Office. My goal is to keep students at school, as safe as possible, so they can be healthy and effective learners, while promoting independence with self-care and healthy habits.

If you are unsure if you should send your child to school or not, call me and I can help you decide.

Health Care Policy Reminders:

Fever:

100.4 degrees and greater. The student may return to school when they have had

NO FEVER FOR 24 HOURS without using Tylenol or Motrin to lower their

temperature.

Vomiting/Diarrhea: Students may return to school when they have not vomited or had loose

stools for 24 hours.

Strep throat: Students may return to school after 24 hours from the first antibiotic dose; and

when they have been fever free for 24 hours.

Pinkeye:

Students may return when there is no longer crusting or drainage from the eye when they wake up, AND it has been 24 hours after the first dose of antibiotic OR

if they have a note from a doctor.

Head Lice: Students must be free of head lice and nits.

Medication: If possible, medications should be given at home. If medicine (prescription or over the counter) is needed to be given during the school day, an *adult* is required to bring the medicine to the health room, complete the form(s), and visit with the nurse. *Over the Counter Medication* (Tylenol/Ibuprofen/ etc.) a physician's note is REQUIRED after the 3rd dose. Please contact your doctor and have the orders ready.

Brooke Turner, BSN, RN, NCSN

baturner@spsmail.org

Phone: 417-523-2330

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2210 E. States Hwy AA

Springfield, Mo 65803

I look forward to being a part of your child's education and health needs. If there is ever anything you may need please reach out and I will attempt to help you and your child as much as I can.

Thank you, Nurse Brooke



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Revised 3/13/17

2023 - 2024 SPS Student Nutrition Information Sheet

Meal Prices for Elementary Students Reduced Price Breakfast .30¢

Reduced Price Breakfast .30¢
Reduced Price Lunch .40¢
Full Price Breakfast \$1.70
Full Price Lunch \$3.05



Adult Meals

Breakfast \$2.50 Lunch \$4.50

Ala Carte 8 oz. milk carton .65c



What is a Meal?

←The 5 Components for school meals

For Offer vs. Serve Breakfast-OVS (non-BIC) – We must offer 4 food items from above, student must take at least 3 items: one item must be a fruit or vegetable plus 2 other items to make it a meal.

Breakfast in the Classroom-OVS (BIC) – We must offer 4 items and student must take 3 of the items, one must be a fruit or vegetable plus 2 other items to make it a meal.

Lunch- Student must choose at least 3 components; one MUST be a fruit and/or a vegetable and 2 other components at a minimum. Student can choose up to 5 components for best nutrition. Meal can be as minimal as a chicken sandwich and an apple (meat/meat alternative, grain & fruit - 3 components), or as much as a deli sub, an apple, a portion of green beans, a portion of salad and milk. (1-Meat/meat alternative, 1-grain, 1 fruit, 2 vegetable and 1-milk =5 components/6 items max).

Ala Carte Items – In addition to our meal options above we do offer our students ala carte items, prices for all items are posted. All ala carte choices meet the Smart Snack Nutritional Guidelines. If you do not wish for your child to have the option to purchase ala carte items you must call the Nutrition Services office to have your child's account placed on a "Meals Only "option. They will not be able to purchase ala carte or extra items including single milk. Any student with a negative meal account will not be able to purchase ala carte snacks until the balance is paid off.

Monthly Menus and nutritional information for breakfast and lunch are located at www.sps.org/food or at https://sps.nutrislice.com ALL students eligible for free or reduced lunch are also eligible for free or reduced breakfast. Ensure your child starts their day off right with a healthy breakfast!

Payment Options

<u>Cash or Check</u> – If paying by check please ensure the check has <u>your phone number along with your students name and ID number in the memo section.</u>

Meal Pay Plus – An on-line pre-payment option that accepts MasterCard and VISA credit/debit cards; or you may pay by electronic debit from your Checking or Savings account. Please follow the step by step instructions at this link https://www.mypaymentsplus.com to set up an account. You must have your student's ID number to complete account setup.

You can check your students balance by setting up an account with Meal Pay Plus. This is a free service to view your student's account or place low balance alerts on your account to notify you when your balance is low. To place money on your students account there is a 3.99 % program fee per on-line payment transaction. Money applied to a student's account is usually available within 24 hours, please plan accordingly. If you need further assistance please contact Joyce Lancaster at ilancaster@spsmail.org or 523-1101.

Free & Reduced Meal Information — Direct Certification Notification letters AND/OR Free/Reduced meal applications will be mailed to every household at the beginning of the school year. Notification letters will be mailed to all households that apply for the free/reduced program. You may also fill out an application on line at https://horizon.sps.k12.mo.us available approximately two weeks prior to the start of school. This is a much faster option for enrolled students. A new application must be filled out EVERY school year if you have not received a direct certification letter. Students will be considered full price until meal benefit applications have been processed and approved for benefits. If you need further assistance with the application process please contact our Free and Reduced Clerk, Diane Chambers at 417-523-1130.

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SPRINGFIELD PUBLIC SCHOOLS 2023-2024

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End Second Quarter: Dec. 22

District Closed

Winter Break (Students Out)

PROFESSIONAL DAY - STUDENTS OUT

DISTRICT CLOSED

BREAK - STUDENTS OUT

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