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Quarterly Newsletter for Palm Beach Prep Charter Academy



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9 CORE VALUES

Every aspect of our work remains rooted in our Nine Core Values, which are integrated into the curriculum, the culture of PBPCA, and within our corporate culture. Most of these principles were integral to the original EdisonLearning School Design to highlight the essential roles of character and ethics in providing an excellent education.

For the new school year we have been strategic to not only display the core values visually around campus, but also intentional in our daily discussions with students and stakeholders. Our students created poems, raps, and posters in an effort to learn all 9 core values as the school year kicked off.

CERTIFIED NURSING ASSISTANT PROGRAM

PBPCA is excited to announce the official start of our 3 semester nursing assistant program which is available to all PBPCA students. 20 students have already enrolled with Nurse Rose for the first semester in which they will begin the program studying Anatomy and Physiology.



BACK 2 SCHOOL BASH

In early August the students at PBPCA enjoyed a Back 2 School Bash with live music by DJ Mate, fresh tacos from Tacos Al Carbon and presentations from the YMCA, Career Source, and Miami Art Institute.

ENROLLMENT



The enrollment process for PBPCA is currently open for all Palm Beach County students ages 15-21 years old. SPACE IS LIMITED as we are currently at a total of 490 students enrolled.

To enroll in our school parents must withdraw their child from their current school, fill out our enrollment packet and provide parent ID, student birth certificate and two proofs of residency. Once students are enrolled they will be called to schedule their first day of school orientation with the enrollment coordinator.

REFER A FRIEND

Palm Beach Prep offers students an incentive for referring their friends to enroll at our school. If students refer a friend there are a set of prizes they can win, but that friend must attend orientation and attend school with no attendance issues.



STUDENTS OF THE MONTH



Our students of the month for August were Leslie Mullins and Britney Robotham for their dedication to helping in any way possible at the start of the school year. September's student of the month was Rebekah Tebbitt for her outstanding demonstration of our core values.

DAILY SCHEDULES



AM Session 7:15am -12:15 pm
 Breakfast 7:15 am- 7:45 am
 PM Session 11:15 am -4:15 pm
 Lunch 12:20pm - 12:50 pm
 *School food is free for all students

SCHOOL VISITS & TOURS

We are available for weekly tours if any families or school would like to see our campus. Call us today to schedule a tour with our Enrollment Coordinator. In addition to in house tours we are available to come speak with your school's counselors, staff, and families. This quarter Mr. Palacios presented at both John I. Leonard and Palm Beach Central.



STUDENT PROGRESSION AND ESOL OOF

The Florida student progression lays out how students go from enrollment to graduation. It describes in detail how to satisfy the performance standards for each course in Grades 9-12 for which credit toward graduation is awarded. To access the entire student progression plan visit palmbeachschools.org/students_parents/student_progression_plan

Our professional teachers are continuously upgrading their teacher skills and developing increased levels of content expertise. While doing this, they are teaching those subjects to students and are School Board approved to teach out-of-field. Additionally, due to high demand in teachers across the state of Florida, PBPCA has employed several permanent substitutes' areas of need. These teachers are:

Name	Out of Field Subject Areas	Position
Pastel Scales	n/a	Substitute
Akeam Porter	n/a	Substitute
Jaqueline Howard	ESOL	
Lisa Dawson	ESOL & English 6-12	
Cheyenne Callwood	n/a	Substitute
Shelly Balleza	n/a	Substitute