Good afternoon Painted Rock Academy Families,

Here are some important reminders and upcoming events for January.

Student attendance is important, school starts promptly at 8:00 A.M. **Students can be dropped off as early at 7:30 A.M. FREE OF CHARGE**. Avoid the long drop-off lines and take advantage of this opportunity. Please reference your student handbook to read Reid Traditional Schools' policy on tardies, but note that, "A student who has accumulated four (4) unexcused tardies in a quarter will be assigned a detention. If the student receives a fifth unexcused tardy in a quarter, the student and parent may be required to have a conference with an administrator... continued tardies may result in an in-school suspension, and further tardies will lead to out-of-school suspensions." Painted Rock Academy will continue to enforce this policy.

Attendance is very important, however, if your student is showing symptoms of illness, please keep them home. Students must be fever free for at least 24 hours without medication before they can return to school. We know that there are a lot of illnesses going around, including influenza right now. There are many people getting influenza and other illnesses more than ever. Please keep your student home if they are showing signs of illness to avoid these spreading.

Students at Painted Rock Academy should be well groomed and neat in appearance. All clothing is to be well fitted and in good repair. Upon walking the campus, several things have been noticed that need to be brought to the forefront.

- Earrings must be simple and not hang below the earlobe.
- No faddish hairstyles (Example: spiking, shaved designs, mohawks, etc.).
- No unnatural coloring, highlights, streaking, or hair extensions.
- Shorts/skirts must be no shorter than the middle of the thigh and no longer than the middle of the knee. Capris are not allowed.
- Pants should NOT be above the ankle, and should not be tight.
- Belts must be worn for 3<sup>rd</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grades. Younger students must wear a belt if they have belt loops. Belt loops may be removed for preschool-2<sup>nd</sup> grade students.
- No leggings or footless tights may be worn.
- Only clear, pale pink, pale beige or French-style plain nail polish is permitted, no false nails.
- Jackets may not be worn tied around the waist and <u>must be hoodless and uniform color in order to be</u> worn inside the school.
- Solid, uniform color socks must be worn. Boots may <u>NOT</u> be worn.

Non-compliance of the dress standard will result in disciplinary action. Please help enforce the dress code by checking your child's attire before they leave the house. Thank you for your help adhering to the policies of Painted Rock Academy.

Also, a quick note, there are 16 pairs of student glasses in the nurse's office. If your student is missing a pair, please check with the nurse ASAP.

Upcoming events for Painted Rock Academy

- Friday, January 12th Early Release/Staff Development
- Monday, January 15<sup>th</sup> No School Martin Luther King Jr. Day
- Friday, January 19th Spirit Day/Morning Assembly
- Friday, January 19<sup>th</sup> Family Fun Night at Great Skate 5:00-7:30 P.M.
- Tuesday, January 23<sup>rd</sup> 100<sup>th</sup> Day of School
- Thursday, January 25<sup>th</sup> Reid Traditional Schools' Board Meetings 6:00 P.M.

For more information and events, please open the attached calendar or look on our website at http://paintedrockacademy.com/





## January 2018

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2 No Sch	3	4 Rreak	5	6
	No School Winter Break					
7	8	9	10 Report Cards Sent Home Student Council Meeting	PROP Meeting 8:15 A.M.  4 <sup>th</sup> grade field trip  NJHS Meeting	12 Early Release Staff Development	13
14	No School  Martin Luther King, Jr. Day	16	17	18	Spirit Day & Morning Assembly 8:15 A.M. Caught Bee-ing Good Boys' Basketball Home Game vs. Brighton 4:30 P.M. Family Fun Night at Great Skate 5:00-7:30 P.M.	20
21	Girls' Basketball Home Game vs. Westland 4:00 P.M.  Boys' Basketball Home Game vs. Westland 5:00 P.M.	23	24 Girls' Basketball Home Game vs. Brighton 4:30 P.M.	25  Board Meeting 6:00 P.M.	26  2nd Quarter Honor Roll Ice Cream  Boys' Basketball Home Game vs. ESC 4:30 P.M.	27
	SchoolChoice WEEK					
28	29	30	31	Feb. 1	Boys' Basketball Home Game vs. Pensar 4:30 P.M.	3