



## Upcoming Events

January 15

Shoe Drive Began

January 22-26

Parent/Teacher Conferences

January 31 - February 1

No School

Teacher In-Service

February 5-9

Student Led Week of Prayer

February 9

SW Music Festival

Dear Parents,

Parent/Teacher Conferences are next week. If you haven't made a time to meet with your child's teacher please do so as soon as possible.

Tardies are on the rise and classes start at 8:00 am sharp. At PCAS we strive to teach each student to take responsibility and ownership for themselves and their own actions. It is important that each student uphold their school contract which states, "I will follow all school policies laid out in the PCAS handbook." The parent portion of the contract states, "I will pick up and drop off my child on time; repeated tardies are not acceptable." Please be aware that not only do the tardies affect each classroom but the student is also affected academically.

## Attention!

### Step Up For Students

Step Up has reopened for re-enrolling families. Go to the website <https://www.stepupforstudents.org> and get your applications in early. Step Up has created a new application process, so we cannot stress enough to get started on this process early. If you need guidance with the new system, please call Miriam in the front office to schedule an appointment. Because this is a new process, appointments need to be made. Thank you for your understanding.

## Important

### January Art Contest:

We have been receiving some incredible art work from the students, and they are being hung up in the main lobby. Feel free to stop by and see some of the great artistic ability that our students possess. This month's art theme is pointillism. We will post examples on the website.

## PCAS School Re-Enrollment Open Soon

We are in the process of preparing the re-enrollment for 2018-2019 school year. Enrollment will again be online for renewing families. If you need help with enrollment, please make sure that you make an appointment with the office to complete all required documents. We will be opening up enrollment for current families for a month and then open for outside families. Many classes are at maximum capacity, so once open to those outside the school, it will be on a first-come, first-served basis. Keep an eye out for dates of parent enrollment nights.

## Mark your Calendar

### Parent/Teacher Conferences, January 22-26

Parent/teacher conferences are quickly approaching. For Grades K-4, schedules have started going home to pick 3 times that you may be available to meet. These meetings are mandatory, so if you cannot make the times given you will need to call the teacher to make arrangements. Grades 5 - 10 teachers will be meeting on Tuesday and Wednesday from 3:30 - 6:00 in the gym. The music teacher will be available Tuesday and after 5pm on Wednesday. The conferences will be done on a walk-in basis like in the past.

### PCAS Collection Shoe Drive, January 16<sup>th</sup>

PCAS students and our church family will be coming together to collect shoes for third world countries. Please make sure that the shoes you send in have matching pairs and are lightly used or new. We are collecting all sizes, children through adults, and they can be any style. The program will run now through the end of March.

### Teacher In-Service, January 31<sup>st</sup>-February 1<sup>st</sup>

There will be **No School** January 31<sup>st</sup>-February 1<sup>st</sup>. Teachers will be heading out to Delray, FL, to be trained on our exciting new Bible curriculum that will be rolling out next year.

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