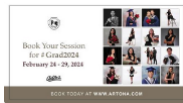




| November 25 th to November 29 th 2024 | | | | |
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| Monday Nov 25 th | Tuesday Nov 26 th | Wednesday Nov 27 th | Thursday Nov 28 th | Friday Nov 29 th |
| ABCD | ABCD | <u>PLT</u> ABCD | <u>PLT</u> ABCD | ABCD |
| <i>PRO-D Day</i> <i>SCHOOL CLOSED</i> | Winter Athletics Begins | | Safe, Caring, & Respectful Digital Communities 6:30pm-7:30pm Link | |

Never too early to sign up!! Grad Photos - February 14th to 20th

Attention Graduating Griffins! The time has come to sign up for Graduation photos with Artona. Please visit Artona at [this link](#) and book your time slot. Graduation photos will take place from February 14th to 20th 2024.



Safety of Our Students During Pick Up and Drop Off - Important Reminders

As the days grow darker, ensuring the safety of our students during pick-up times becomes even more crucial. By collectively prioritizing road safety, we can create a safe environment for everyone. We thank you in advance for your cooperation and commitment to the well-being of our students and our school community. Please see our school [website](#) for more information.



Personal Learning Time – Wednesday and Thursday

During PLT time, the school is open to all students, and teachers are onsite. Students will have access to teachers and departments, and a place/space to engage in their learning individually or collaboratively. Please visit our [website](#) for further details and information regarding signing up!



Student Arrival Times

One trend that staff have observed that impacts learning is students' arriving late. Students arriving late interrupts the learning in first period for all students. Please have a conversation with your child and make a plan to ensure they are on time even when the weather is inclement. Our front door is unlocked at 7:15am, the building is warm, and the cafeteria has breakfast snacks by 8am. Every high school has lots of traffic at the beginning of the day and at the end of the day. Avoid the congestion of cars from 8:15-8:30am and arrive early. Thanks for your cooperation to help our students arrive on time.



PLT / Collaboration Bell Schedule

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| 8:30-9:25 | PLT |
| 9:30-10:35 | Block A |
| 10:40-11:45 | Block B |
| 11:45-12:00 | Nutrition Break |
| 12:00-1:05 | Block C |
| 1:05-1:50 | Lunch |
| 1:55-3:00 | Block D |

DATES TO REMEMBER:

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| Nov 25 | PRO-D Day - School not in session! |
| Nov 26 | Winter Athletics Begins |
| Dec 3 | Collaboration Day – PLT Bell Schedule |
| Dec 20 | Last Day Before Winter Break |
| Dec 23 to Jan 3 | Winter Break (School Closed) |
| Jan 6 | School Re-Opens After Winter Break |
| Jan 7 | Collaboration Day – PLT Bell Schedule |
| Jan 14-16 | Grade 10 Graduation Literacy Assessment |
| Jan 14 | Career Programs Presentation |
| | Grade 10 – Block A |
| | Grade 11 Block B |
| Jan 15 | PAC Meeting – 7pm |

Establishing Safe, Caring, & Respectful Digital Communities – Thursday Nov. 28, 6:30pm-7:30pm

Recommended for Palmer Parents/Caregivers/Grandparents and Palmer students aged 10 and up as a way to facilitate the conversation of safe and caring use of technology at home and in the community. (60 minute session)



Palmer Students and Palmer Families will learn:

- Digital media habits, oversharing, and digital addiction
- The permanence of online posts/activity
- The significance of your digital tattoo in how others perceive you (e.g., sports teams, college admissions, and potential employers)
- The importance of caring for peers both online and offline
- Geo-locational settings and the dangers of social media and cell phone misuse
- The social and legal consequences of cyberbullying behaviour as well as possession and distribution of intimate images (sexting and sextortion)
- An anonymous student reporting tool that can help you and your friends stay safe both online and offline

For more information and registration, please visit: <https://pages.saferschoolstogether.com/erase-family-session>

*We acknowledge and thank the First Peoples of the **haid̓amínan̓** (hun-ki-meen-um) language group on whose traditional and unceded territories we teach, learn and live*

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