

Things to Know for High School

Absences, Tardy, Appointments or Early pick-ups. Absent or tardy, notify the high school office by 8:30 am. Appointments or early pick-up, let us know what time you will be picking up. Students need to sign out and back in if they are returning to school and meet you at the back high school doors.

- Text: text 309-286-4750 include students first and last name
- Call: 309-286-4752 and leave a message
- Email: hsattendance@peoriachristian.org

HS Email Blasts: Weekly eblasts from Mr. Garrett will be sent on Friday afternoons. Please inform the high school office if you are not receiving the weekly emails.

Website page: <https://www.peoriachristian.org> then the ACADEMICS tab and choose High school. Parent Links are under the FAMILY tab of the website and include this information:

- How to set up PowerSchool and Schoology
- Parent teacher conference
- Lunch orders (click on the green apple and make an account)

Online lunch ordering notes: No refunds are given if the student is absent due to illness, field trip, etc. Order at least one week ahead. The deadline for the following week is Monday at midnight. This is different from the MS and the EL. (MS & EL deadline is the 20th of the previous month). Monday – Pizza Hut, Tuesday – Jimmy Johns, Wednesday – Avanti's, Thursday – Chick-Fil-A, Friday – Smo-King Pit.

Chapels: Thursdays at 11:00 a.m.

PCS is a closed campus – students are to remain on campus all day unless they have permission from parent and Administration.

Uniform requirements: All students must be in dress code. New uniform tops can be purchased from the school spirit store. Donated, gently used items may be available during the year, ask at the welcome desk. You can access the store through the school website on the FAMILY tab or in person on campus.

All student drivers must have a parking sticker: These are available at the school spirit store for \$5.

What is Mini Term? Mini term is a week-long opportunity for our high school students when we offer 15 and 30 hr classes that are outside of the typical academic school day. Mini term is a unique break from the day-to-day routine of school and expands student's exposure to different hobbies and occupations. Mini term is a graduation requirement. Be on the look-out for the course catalog to come out in late fall. Registration for Mini term is in November and December. Mini-Term is the week before spring break.

Safety: All doors are locked during the school day. HS students enter through the back high school doors with their key cards. Key cards work from 7:30am to 8:45am. Parents who need to enter the building during the school day, enter through the visitor side parking lot at the welcome desk. Bring your driver's license to print your pass. Any questions, contact the high school principal, Mr. Garrett, at 309.686.4500 ext. 225

Service Hours: All full-time students are required to serve a minimum of 20 hours each year. Service hours are to be recorded on X2Vol.com within two (2) weeks of serving. Contact Mrs. Downing for questions and clarification rdowning@peoriachristian.org.

Summer Reading: Be sure to check your summer reading assignments on the website.