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2020 -2021 Student Handbook



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Welcome to W. C. Pryor Middle School

Welcome to Pryor Middle School! At Pryor, our mission is clear: to prepare all students to achieve excellence by providing the highest quality education while empowering our students to positively impact their families, communities, and the world. This mission has become more than words on a sheet of paper; rather, to the staff, students, and parents who live and breathe Pryor each day, it has become a way of life. Seeing our students as both part of the family of Pryor and as individuals with specific strengths and needs is what we pride ourselves on, and it is what sets us apart.

W. C. Pryor Middle School, since 1958, has established itself as a school that excels in academics, athletics, and extra-curricular activities. With a strong focus on academics, Pryor Middle School incorporates the most innovative research-based practices to meet the educational needs of our students.

At Pryor, we are committed to our students and pride ourselves in providing a middle school experience that will last a lifetime. We do not take for granted the realization that the middle school years set the foundation of who our students will eventually become. Rather, we strive to offer our students courses and experiences that will allow them to gain an appreciation for what life has to offer. Pryor students are receiving a relevant and challenging curriculum that not only prepares them for the demands of high school, but also prepares them for the demands that life has to offer. In addition, those students needing remediation are provided with classes such as blocked periods of English Language Arts and Intensive Reading and/or Math and Intensive Math. Our English language learners are provided with Developing English Language courses.

We are looking forward to another exciting and rewarding year. There will be many opportunities to experience new things and make new friends. We encourage our students to take advantage of the opportunities offered at Pryor by getting involved in both classroom and extracurricular activities. We will make every effort to meet students' individual needs and to see that their experiences at Pryor are pleasant ones. We look forward to working with our students and ask that they let us know if we can help in any way.

History of W. C. Pryor Middle School

W. C. Pryor Middle School is named for Mr. William Columbia Pryor, who was the first Superintendent of Schools in Okaloosa County, and was one of the first teachers in Camp Walton (present day Fort Walton Beach). W. C. Pryor Junior High School, the Home of the Pirates, was established in 1958. At that time, W. C. Pryor Junior High School served students in grades 7, 8 and 9. In 1990, school organization changed and Pryor Junior High became Pryor Middle School and began to serve students in grades 6, 7, and 8.

School Colors: Blue, White, and Silver **Mascot:** Pirate

School Song:

School Song: Pryor we greet thee!
Praises we proudly sing,
our homage now we bring,
Pryor to thee.
Forward the blue and white,
led by the guiding light,
we'll climb to any height,
Pryor for thee.

Vision, Mission, and Core Value Statements

W. C. Pryor Middle School shares the vision, mission, and core value statements of the Okaloosa County School District.

VISION STATEMENT

- ◆ We inspire a lifelong passion for learning.

MISSION STATEMENT

- ◆ We prepare all students to achieve excellence by providing the highest quality education while empowering each individual to positively impact their families, communities, and the world.

CORE VALUES

Accountability

- ◆ We, working in conjunction with students' families, accept responsibility to ensure student learning, to pursue excellence, and to hold high standards for all.

Citizenship

- ◆ We prepare all students to exercise the duties, rights, and privileges of being a citizen in a local community and global society.

Excellence

- ◆ We pursue the highest academic, extracurricular, and personal/professional standards through continuous reflection and improvement.

Integrity

- ◆ We embrace a culture in which individuals adhere to exemplary standards and act honorably.

Personal Growth

- ◆ We promote the acquisition of knowledge, skills, and experience to develop individuals with the aspiration, perseverance, and resilience to be life-long learners.

Respect

- ◆ We show regard and consideration for all through a culture of dignity, diversity, and empathy.

Leadership

- ◆ We provide guidance and direction to accomplish tasks while being a moral compass to others.

At W. C. Pryor Middle School, we strive to serve every student and parent with the highest levels of sincerity, fairness, courtesy, respect, and gratitude, delivered with unparalleled responsiveness, expertise, efficiency and accuracy.

We are in the business of educating our children and creating lasting relationships by treating our students and parents as we want to be treated.

We will offer the finest personal attention to each student's education by providing caring teachers, staff, and administration. We join with parents in taking 100% responsibility for meeting the educational needs of every student.

We ask parents to join us in the educational process by accepting the following responsibilities:

- Ensure that your child attends school regularly and on time.
- Teach your child to be responsible by reporting dangerous or uncomfortable situations to an adult.
- Teach your child to communicate in a respectful, appropriate manner with other students and teachers.
- Teach your child common courtesies and manners.
- Teach your child respect for individuals, property, and living things.
- Help promote pride and good sportsmanship at sporting and school events.
- Respect individual differences in all people and things.
- Check your student's planner and initial everyday.

We ask students to join us in the educational process by accepting the following responsibilities:

- **Be in school, on time, every day.**
- **Believe in yourself.** Having a positive attitude is very important. See yourself succeeding!
- **Be organized.** This planner will help keep you organized. Take it with you to every class and use it to keep track of assignments, test dates, etc.
- **Fill out planner every day for every class.** Have it signed and initialed by parents/guardians.
- **Manage your time well.** Use extra time you have in school to get started on homework.
- **Set personal and academic goals.** Set both short-term goals (e.g., get an A on tomorrow's math test) and long term goals (e.g., graduate with a 3.0 GPA).
- **Know Pryor's rules and academic requirements.** Our student handbook contains academic requirements, rules, attendance policies, etc. Go over this information carefully.
- **Be successful in the classroom.** Learn how to adapt to different teachers. Know each teacher's class rules and procedures. Have everything you need when you go to class.
- **Take good notes.** Be an active listener and reader. Think about what you hear and read. Recognize and write down important information. Mark the text. Get copies of class notes if you are absent.
- **Study.** Find a good place to study. Organize your study time. Start studying for tests well in advance. Allow more time than you think you will need.
- **Get involved in school activities.** Being involved in school activities is a great way to meet new people and have fun.
- **Make good choices and decisions.** Make sure that your choices and decisions are consistent with your values and goals.
- **Get help when you need it.** If you need help or have a question, talk to a teacher.
- **Plan and prepare for your future.** Think about and investigate your educational and career options.
- **Always try your best.** Doing well in school is an investment in your future!
- **Be kind to others.** Respect each individual. Every student deserves to be treated with kindness.

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF OKALOOSA COUNTY

ADHERES TO POLICY WHICH PROHIBITS DISCRIMINATION AND HARASSMENT

IN THE EDUCATION OR WORK ENVIRONMENT

ADULTS - (6-28) EQUITY POLICY:

Harassment concerning an individual's race, color, sex, age, religious beliefs, national or ethnic origin, marital status, or disability is a form of misconduct which undermines the integrity of the employment relationship. Sexual harassment by an employee or volunteer or person with who the district contracts for services toward another individual while under the jurisdiction of the district is strictly prohibited.

STUDENTS - (4-34) EQUITY POLICY:

It is the policy of the School Board of Okaloosa County to offer students the opportunity to participate in appropriate programs, services and activities without regard to race, color, religion, sex, age, national or ethnic origin, political beliefs, marital status, parenthood, pregnancy, disability, sexual orientation, or social and family background.

COMPLAINT PROCEDURES:

If an adult needs to report an alleged violation of these policies, an informal Equity Complaint should be made to a principal or department director. If the situation cannot be resolved informally, a Formal Equity Grievance (MIS 5139, Rev. 10/00), in compliance with School Board Policy 6-29, should be directed to the Superintendent's designee listed below. Employees have the option of filing a grievance through appropriate Master Contract procedures in lieu of the Formal Equity Grievance.

Students should promptly report complaints pertaining to the Okaloosa School District's Equity Policy to a teacher, the principal, or to the principal's administrative designee in charge of the school's disciplinary office.

SUPERINTENDENT'S DESIGNEES:

Steve Chatman	Equity (Equal Opportunity)	689-7108
Danny Dean	Safe Schools Representative	689-7127
Brian Humphrey	Athletics and Student Discipline	689-7198
Teri Schroeder	Health-Student Services	833-3108

THIS POLICY IS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE FLORIDA EDUCATIONAL EQUITY ACT OF 1973 AND OTHER APPLICABLE LAW AND RULES.

Arrival and Departure

STUDENT ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE

No student is allowed on campus before 7:00 a.m. All students arriving before 7:30 a.m. are required to report to the cafeteria.

7:30 a.m.	Locker Hall Open
7:41 a.m.	Warning Bell
7:45 a.m.	Tardy Bell/1st Period Begins
2:20 p.m.	Dismissal
2:30 p.m.	Bus Departure

BIKES, SKATEBOARDS

Lock all bikes in the bike rack area. All students riding bikes are required by law to wear a helmet. Students who arrive on campus by skateboard should lock skateboard in the skateboard rack located next to the pavilion. Skateboards are not to be stored in lockers. Do not leave bikes or skateboards on school grounds overnight. Students leaving campus by bike or skateboard, etc. must walk the bike, skateboard, etc., off campus through the gate on Denton Blvd. Students who ride a bike or skateboard must walk the item to the bike rack or skateboard rack. Students on bikes, skateboards, etc., are not allowed in the parking lot area during drop off times in the morning. Pryor Middle School is not responsible for stolen property, but will assist in investigation and recovery.

BUS TRANSPORTATION, CAR PICK-UP AND DROP-OFF

Bus service is provided for students who live outside a radius of two (2) miles from the school. Students eligible to ride a bus must ride the bus designated by their addresses. Any request for a change must be in the form of a **written request** from a parent or guardian. Submit requests for "Bus Passes" to the Student Services Department by 9:00 am on the day of the request.

All students must be picked up and dropped off in the gym parking lot. Any other drop off or pick up point is **unauthorized**. During the school hours of 7:45 a.m. to 2:10 p.m., students may be picked up in the front office.

Attendance Policy

Attendance is taken starting at 7:45 a.m. and is taken in each subsequent period. Daily attendance is taken 3rd period each day; this is the daily attendance record for the day. Repeated absences in individual classes resulting from students checking in late and checking out prior to dismissal, follows the same guidelines as the district attendance policy.

ATTENDANCE REQUIREMENTS

Regular attendance provides students the opportunity to master required skills at each grade level. Many integral activities, including class discussions, group experiences, field trips, guest speakers, and direct instruction, cannot be simulated or replicated with written work. "Each public K-12 student must remain in attendance throughout the school year, unless excused by the school for illness or other Good Cause..." Therefore, with the goal of promoting student success, the School District of Okaloosa County has adopted a uniform attendance policy. It is our intent to encourage honest, accurate, and consistent adherence to this policy by all students, parents, teachers, and administrators.

When a student accumulates nine (9) excused **or** unexcused absences per semester, the student must have an excuse from a doctor or an official agency (i.e., Department of Juvenile Justice, Department of Children and Families) for each subsequent absence.

- a. After the fifth (5th) but before the eighth (8th), absence (excused or unexcused) per semester, the parents or legal guardian will be notified of the absences in writing.
- b. After the ninth (9th) absence (excused or unexcused) per semester, a letter will be sent to the parents or legal guardians notifying them of the necessity for a doctor's excuse or an excuse from an official agency.
- c. After the fifteenth (15th) absence per semester, in any class period, no make-up work is allowed, and the absence is considered unexcused. The student may still pass the class if, at the end of the semester, she/he has a passing grade.
- d. After the fifteenth (15th) absence per semester, the student's parent or legal guardian can appeal to the school's attendance review committee for permission to make up missed work. This only pertains to students who have an insurmountable or extraordinary situation (such as a hospitalization, death of a family member etc.)
- f. A student who is not in class for at least one half of the class period shall be counted as absent from that class.
- g. A student who misses more than half of the school day, is counted absent for that day.

ABSENCES DEFINED

Excused absences are absences resulting from the following:

- a. Death in the family or any other bona fide family emergency
- b. Illness or injury requiring medical or dental attention
- c. Illness, injury, or circumstances (e.g., court appearance, Department of Children and Families appointments) not requiring medical attention will require a parent note explaining the

- absence.
- d. Appointments for medical or dental care (physician's statement required)
 - e. Religious holidays - Students are permitted to be absent in observance of established religious holidays, but they must be counted absent on all school records. Absences of a religious nature, preceded by **prior** parent notice, will not require written notification on the student's return to school. Religious holidays considered excused absences include: Good Friday, Yom Kippur, Passover, Rosh Hashanah, and Hanukkah (Review Board policy.). Students may be excused for other religious holidays if a parent makes a request in writing five (5) days prior to the absence.

Unexcused absences are absences resulting from:

- a. An absence not designated as excused/unverified absence
- b. Truancy
- c. Suspension
- d. Expulsion
- e. Participation in private lessons, activities, or classes sponsored by outside agencies
- f. Absences for any reason exceeding a total of 14 absences for the semester (15+).

REPORTING AN ABSENCE

Students will have **five (5) school days**, including the day they return, to bring in **written verification** for an excused absence. Students should give the note to the Attendance Office secretary. The absence is considered unexcused if the school does not receive written verification for the excused absence within five days.

MAKE-UP WORK

Students have **five (5) school days** to complete assignments following an excused absence. The five (5) day period begins the day the student returns to school; however, the teacher and/or principal may grant additional time for the make-up work if the individual situation warrants that action. Secondary students are allotted the same five-day period to complete assignments following a school sanctioned/sponsored trip. Students absent for any reason on the day a previously assigned project is due, or a previously assigned test is scheduled, will submit the project or take the test the day of his/her return.

During multi-day excused absences, absent students are expected to seek and work on make-up assignments, to the extent medically appropriate and practical. To promote and maintain academic progress during such absences, Administration will ensure that teachers provide make-up assignments upon parent or student request. As a rule, make-up assignments are provided no later than 24 hours following a parent or student request.

REQUEST FOR CLASS WORK AND HOMEWORK

Class work requests should be made as early in the day as possible. Class work will be available for pick-up in the Attendance Office at the end of the following school day.

Homework may be requested when a student has been out of school three (3) days or more due to illness or an excused reason. Please make the request with Student Services. If a student has exceeded the allotted number of excused absences, a doctor's note is required (for absences 10-14) before the class work can be counted for a grade.

Any class work or homework assigned **before** an absence may be due upon the first day the student returns to school. All class work and homework assigned during the excused absence is due five (5) days from the date of the student's return to school.

DAILY BELL SCHEDULE

7:30		Locker Hall Opens	
7:41		Warning Bell	
7:45		Tardy Bell/School Begins	
7:45	8:37	1 st Period	
8:41	9:33	2 nd Period	
9:37	10:29	3 rd Period	
10:33	12:05	4 th Period	
	10:29	10:59	<i>1st lunch</i>
	11:02	11:32	<i>2nd lunch</i>
	11:35	12:05	<i>3rd lunch</i>
12:09	12:29	PIERS	
12:33	1:25	5 th Period	
1:29	2:20	6 th Period	

TARDY POLICY/ARRIVING LATE/CHECKING IN

Students who arrive on campus after 7:45 a.m. are considered tardy and must sign in with the Attendance Office. Students will be given an "Admit to Class" slip to take to the teacher.

Pryor students should arrive to school on time and prepared for class. Students who are not in their 1st period class by the 7:45 a.m. bell are considered tardy. Arriving to school on time not only allows students to start the day positively, but it also establishes a lifelong habit of being on time for events, work, and activities. Students who arrive to school on time are more likely to be successful in academic course work and have a more positive outlook about school in general. Students have four (4) minutes between classes. This is ample time to get from the front door to the back of the ball fields and anywhere in between. Students should be on time to classes. At Pryor, the following tardy policy will be in place in an effort to help our students be successful members of our school.

TARDY ENFORCEMENT

CATEGORY	1 - 5 Tardies	6 Tardies	7 - 11 Tardies	12 or more Tardies
To School (1st Period) per semester	Verbal warnings; Parent contact by office staff on the 5 th occurrence	Office referral with reprimand	1 - 5 days of after school detention (60 mins) assigned progressively	1 - 5 days of STP assigned progressively, followed by implementation of a Student Expectation Agreement with possible alternative placement
To all classes combined, per semester	Verbal warnings; Parent contact by office staff on the 3 rd occurrence	Office referral with reprimand	1 - 5 days of after school detention (60 mins) assigned progressively	1 - 5 days of STP assigned progressively, followed by implementation of a Student Expectation Agreement with possible alternative placement

CHECKING OUT

It is the expectation that Pryor students remain in class for the entire school day. When scheduling appointments, it is encouraged to do so after school hours. Students who check out for any reason should return to school immediately following the appointment. A parent, guardian, or an individual authorized on the student's Emergency Contact Sheet should sign the student out through the main office only. Photo identification is required to check out a student.

NOTE: Students missing more than 50% of a class will be counted absent from that class.

An up-to-date Emergency Card must be on file for every student. Cards are to be completed and returned to school within the first week of school or at the time of enrollment. This card must show current contact phone number(s), address and signature of the parent or guardian. Students will not be released to any individual not authorized on the Emergency Contact Card. Photo identification is required when checking out students. It is the parent's responsibility to update address, phone numbers, etc.

TRUANCY

If the school determines that a student, subject to compulsory school attendance, has had at least five (5) unexcused absences within a calendar month or ten (10) unexcused absences or absences for which the reason is unknown, within a 90 calendar day period or has had more than fifteen (15) unexcused absences in a 90-calendar-day period, the superintendent of schools may file a truancy petition.

Pryor Middle School will follow the Okaloosa County School District policy for truancy. For a detailed description of the district truancy policy, please visit the school district website or contact the school attendance office.

REAL Pirates!

Students at Pryor strive each day to be REAL Pirates. REAL Pirates are found in the classroom, the cafeteria, and the hallway. REAL Pirates are on the field and in the gym. REAL Pirates demonstrate Respect, Excellence, Accountability, and Leadership in all they do. Faculty and staff are on the lookout for evidence of these behaviors and assign points to student who exhibit them. Students exchange these points for a variety of rewards in class and school wide.

Respect

- ◆ Follow all adult instructions
- ◆ Use appropriate language and volume
- ◆ Keep all body parts and objects to yourself

Excellence and Personal Growth

- ◆ Actively participate
- ◆ Do your best on all tasks
- ◆ Persevere

Accountability

- ◆ Come to class prepared
- ◆ Arrive to school and class on time
- ◆ Follow dress code
- ◆ Own your choices and the outcomes

Leadership and Integrity

- ◆ Help and include others
- ◆ Model empathy and compassion to others
- ◆ Make positive choices

Disciplinary Action Plan

The goal of the W.C. Pryor Middle School Disciplinary Action Plan is to ensure a safe, orderly, and productive learning environment for all students. It is our goal that students who become involved in inappropriate behavior, change that behavior and return to the classroom setting as soon as possible. Maximum time in class is a focus of our disciplinary action plan. Discipline referrals are written for failure to follow the policies stated in the Student Discipline Handbook, Student Code of Conduct, and/or the Okaloosa School Board Policy. The policies and procedures of this handbook are given to every student and are covered in detail the first week of school. In the event that students disrupt the school day, the Okaloosa School District Middle School Disciplinary Action Chart will be followed to correct any inappropriate behavior. Administration reserves the right to determine the punishment based on the seriousness of a particular infraction and the previous discipline record of the student who commits the offense.

DISCIPLINARY CONSEQUENCES DEFINED

- 1. After-school detention (ASD)** is a disciplinary action assigned by an administrator as a step in the school discipline plan. It is documented on a discipline referral and entered into a student's permanent discipline record. Failure to attend an assigned ASD or removal from ASD for inappropriate behavior will result in further disciplinary action, beginning with two additional days of detention). After-school detention is served from 2:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m., Tuesday through Friday.
- 2. Activity Restriction** is the restriction of students from participation in school-sponsored activities to include, but not limited to, pep rallies, after school dances, field trips, etc. The restriction will be determined by administrative staff per the school discipline plan, will be applied in three different levels, and may ultimately restrict participation in extra-curricular activities. Specific restrictions may be applied by the administration as warranted under special circumstances; e.g., restricted computer use, cell phone access, release from class, etc.
- 3. Student Training Program (STP)** is disciplinary action assigned by an administrator as a step in the school discipline plan. While in STP, students are expected to work on assignments provided by the teacher(s) for which they will receive up to 100% credit. Disciplinary infractions while in STP will result in removal from STP and further disciplinary action by the principal/designee. STP can be assigned by class period(s) or by full day(s).
- 4. Out of School Suspension (OSS)** is disciplinary action assigned by an administrator as a step in the school discipline plan. OSS is removal from school for which the student receives a zero for assignments/tests given during that time period. Guidelines for students in OSS are verbally provided to the student and parent, as well as, stated in the written suspension notification letter.
- 5. Student Expectation Agreements** are documented agreements among student, parent, and staff, which may be used when students display an extensive pattern of code of conduct violations and/or have committed one or more serious violations.
- 6. Alternative Education Placement** may be warranted in certain cases of severe misbehavior and/or failure to abide by the conditions of a Student Expectation Agreement. Alternatively placed students may not attend after school activities to include sporting events, dances, etc.
- 7. Lunch Detention** may be assigned in cases where students commit conduct violations in the cafeteria. The

student will eat lunch in an isolated area of the STP facility for an assigned number of days but will attend all other classes as scheduled.

- 8. Expulsion** is the removal of the right to attend public school with or without continuing education services. Expulsion can be for the remainder of the present school year plus the ensuing school year. Procedures for a principal's recommendation for expulsion are outlined in detail in the School District of Okaloosa County Code of Student Conduct.

W.C. Pryor Middle School Dress Code

Pirate pride and spirit are displayed through student dress. Our dress code is an opportunity for students to show pride in the Pirate tradition. Pryor's dress code is the same for males and females. Monday through Friday, students are permitted wear only Pryor sweatshirts, hoodies (zip up or pullover) with an approved Pryor shirt while at school.

- ◆ The Pryor attire must be visible at all times while indoors.

Pryor shirts include those approved for athletics and clubs and are in accordance with Pryor and School District Dress Code Policy. Pryor shirts may not be altered in style (e.g., side seams cut and then tied, knotted on the side or back, marked on, or excessively damaged).

- ◆ Any non-Pryor outerwear must be removed.
- ◆ Pants, shorts, or skirts must cover undergarments and be worn at waist level.
- ◆ Midriff must be covered at all times.

SPECIAL EVENTS DRESS CODE

For special events, themed activities, dances, sports, and pep rallies, students must dress either in accordance with the activity theme or Pryor uniform. A description for special event attire will be provided to students, parents, and staff prior to the event.

HEAD COVERING

Hats, hoods, and bandanas are not permitted.

W.C. PRYOR DRESS CODE DOES NOT ALLOW THE FOLLOWING ITEMS:

This list of guidelines is not all-inclusive.

- ◆ Inappropriate advertising, slogans, or jewelry that represents: gangs, alcohol, sexual references, racial connotations, guns, violence, drugs, tobacco, or other inappropriate pictures/slogans on shirts, pants, hats, or other clothing.
- ◆ Sunglasses, bedroom slippers, pajamas, blankets, bandanas, heelies
- ◆ Any sheer/see-through clothing must have appropriate clothing underneath.
- ◆ Any clothing which shows midriff or undergarments

BOOK BAGS, BACKPACKS, AND PURSES

Book bags, backpacks, and purses used as book bags are not allowed in classrooms, at P.E., at pep rallies, or assemblies and must be stored in a locker during these times. Exception: A small athletic bag, preferably a see-through mesh, may be used to take P.E. clothes to the locker room. Student athletes with large bags for equipment and uniforms and band students with instruments should store these in the athletic field house or band room upon arrival to school.

TRADING CARDS

Trading cards and toys of any kind are not allowed in class and not allowed to be visible and used during school hours. These items will be confiscated and will be returned to the student at the end of the school day. In the event of subsequent violations by the same student, parent contact will be made and the items will be returned to the student's parent/guardian only.

LASER POINTERS

Students may not bring or use laser pointers at school.

ELECTRONIC DEVICES

- a. In accordance with the provisions of Florida law, a student may be in possession of wireless communications devices while he or she is on school property or in attendance at a school function. For the purposes of this policy, wireless communications devices include beepers, electronic telephone pagers, cellular telephones, electronic tablets, e-readers, or other similar wireless communications devices.
- b. Any student possessing a wireless communications device while he or she is on school property or in attendance at a school function must insure that the device is not visible and must be turned off during school hours, unless the device is being used in a BYOD classroom for an academic purpose, or in the cafeteria during lunch.
- c. The acceptable use of wireless communications devices by students will be determined by the school principal. If a student obtains prior approval from the school principal or his/her designee, the requirement that wireless communication devices must be powered completely off will not apply, provided that the student is using the wireless communications devices for educational or instructional purpose with the teacher's permission and supervision.
- d. Students are prohibited from using wireless communications devices to capture, record or transmit the words (i.e. audio) and/or images (i.e., pictures/video) of any student, staff member, or other person in the school, or while attending a school-related activity during the school day, without express prior notice and explicit consent from the school principal or his/her designee for the capture, recording, or transmission of such words or images. **Using a wireless communications device to take or transmit audio and/or pictures/video of an individual without his/her consent is considered an invasion of privacy and is not permitted.**
- e. Students are prohibited from using wireless communications devices in any way that might reasonably create in the mind of another person an impression of being threatened, humiliated,

harassed, embarrassed, or intimidated. **Students showing or transmitting videos or pictures of other students that are sexual in nature while on school property will be alternatively placed and may face criminal charges.**

- f. Students are prohibited from using wireless communications devices to capture and/or transmit test information or any other information in a manner constituting fraud, theft, cheating, or academic dishonesty. Likewise, students are prohibited from using wireless communications devices to receive such information.
- g. No expectation of confidentiality will exist in the use of wireless communications devices on school district property or in attendance at school function.
- h. Any violation of the conditions and requirements of this policy will result in confiscation of the wireless communications device by school officials and may result in other disciplinary actions depending upon severity of the violation and whether or not the violation is of a repeated nature by the same student. The confiscated wireless communication devices will be returned to the student at the end of the regular school day after a first violation. In the event of subsequent violations by the same student, the wireless communications device will be returned to the student's parent/guardian only.
- I. Any student who chooses to bring a wireless communications device to school shall do so at his or her own risk. Neither the School Board nor school officials shall be responsible for the loss, damage, or theft of wireless communications devices brought onto school property or to school functions.
- j. Any court-ordered tracking device must be immediately reported to the School Resource Officer. This information will be shared with the faculty and staff. The device must be covered and concealed and should, in no way, be obvious to students, nor may the student wearing this device call attention to or discuss the device.
- k. The only exception to the phone use policy is during the lunch period in the cafeteria. Students are permitted to use their phones after they finish eating. Students are not permitted to play any games that depict violence or view anything sexual or inappropriate for a school setting. Students are prohibited from taking pictures or videotaping.

IT IS STRONGLY RECOMMENDED THAT STUDENTS KEEP ALL ELECTRONIC DEVICES IN THEIR LOCKERS DURING SCHOOL HOURS - 7:45 a.m. - 2:20 p.m. (exception: before 7:30 a.m., during lunch periods, and after 2:20 p.m.)

Phone Use/Messages/Deliveries

SCHOOL PHONES

Students may use a phone in a classroom with permission and under supervision of the teacher. All calls to parents/guardians are to be made under the supervision of a staff member. Emergency phone messages from parents/or guardians will be delivered to students as soon as possible. The office will only call a student out of class for a phone call if it is an extreme emergency.

CELL PHONES

Cell phones may not be used during school hours, 7:45 a.m. - 2:20 p.m. The only exceptions are in a BYOD classroom and at lunch to make or receive phone calls or text messages. See cell phone policy.

STUDENT DELIVERIES

Instructional time is vital, therefore, students will not be called out of class for deliveries. We will notify the student of a delivery and ask that he/she pick it up between classes. Food and drink related items will only be delivered during the students' lunch times.

Cafeteria/Lunches

The cafeteria manager can be reached at 833-3607. Breakfast and lunch are offered daily to all students. Menus are provided on the Okaloosa Schools website <http://www.okaloosaschools.com>,

Students are not allowed to charge meals. Milk and many à la carte items are available for purchase. The cafeteria offers a prepaid program for parents who wish to set up an account for a student. All prepayments should be made on Monday mornings.

Students may view the breakfast and lunch menus and may set up a pay-online account by visiting the food services web page at www.okaloboschools.com/foodservices. The cost per meals/drinks is as follows (prices are subject to change):

LUNCH PRICES

Student Lunch	\$2.70	<i>Reduced Breakfast</i>	\$0.30	Adult Lunch	\$4.00
Student Breakfast	\$1.80	<i>Reduced Lunch</i>	\$0.40	Adult Breakfast	\$2.25
Milk	\$0.65	20 oz water	\$1.00	Pizza (per slice)	\$2.35

FREE/REDUCED MEALS INFORMATION

Free/Reduced lunch application forms are available online at: www.okaloosaschools.com. All free/reduced applications must be submitted online each school year. **Students who have been on the Free/Reduced meals program the previous school year will have until September 30th to fill out an online application for the new school year.** If a parent does not have access to the internet, he/she may bring the information and may use a school computer to complete the process.

Field Trips / Media Center

FIELD TRIPS

Pryor students have opportunities to participate in field trips throughout the school year. Field trips may be planned in conjunction with academics, athletics, extra-curricular activities or clubs. Students with disciplinary concerns and/or students on activity-restriction status, prior to the field trip, may be withheld from participation in field trips. These restrictions will be communicated to students a day prior to the trip. Students may be

prevented from attending field trips if they have an outstanding debt for instructional materials. Checks for field trips should be made payable to Pryor Middle School and must include the full name, street address, and phone number of the individual writing the check. Parents may be invited at the time of the field trip announcement to attend the field trip as chaperones. Chaperones are asked to follow the teachers' dress code on all field trips. Go to Okaloosaschools.com to fill out the volunteer affidavit. This should be completed two weeks prior to the event date to allow time for processing. Parents wishing to chaperone must have a volunteer affidavit on file at least one (1) week prior to the field trip.

MEDIA CENTER

The Pryor Media Center offers students the opportunity to check out books, use technology, and/or conduct research. Resources include computers for research or word processing, study areas, leisure reading, instruction in library skills, and a varied selection of books for reading and information gathering.

Medications

The nurse's office at W. C. Pryor Middle School is under the supervision of a health technician. All questions regarding medications are to be directed to the health technician at 833-3691.

PRESCRIPTIONS, CONTROLLED MEDICATIONS, OVER-THE-COUNTER ITEMS

All medications, including cough drops, Midol, Advil, Tylenol, inhalers, etc., must be kept in the nurse's office. Absolutely no pills or other medications are allowed to be in the student's possession. Possession of any medication (prescription or over-the-counter) may be grounds for immediate suspension and/or expulsion. The resource officer determines if an arrest will be made.

Medication for headaches, upset stomach, or other ailments shall not be provided by school personnel. Okaloosa County school personnel are authorized to assist students in the administration of oral prescription medication when the following conditions are met:

1. A written statement (Administration of Medication School Permission Form) is on file with the school nurse which establishes permission for the principal or designee to assist the student in the administration of medication (prescribed or over-the-counter) during the school day, including when the student is away from school property on official school business.
2. All medications (prescribed and over-the-counter) must be received and stored in the nurse's office in the **original container(s)** with proper labeling indicating name, dosage, time, and expiration. When it is necessary for students to keep medication with them at all times, for example, inhalers, enzymes, etc., a physician's written order stating such must be obtained and noted in the Administration of Medication School Permission Form for each medication and for each student. The student will receive a medication pass when the above conditions are met.
 - Medication is not administered before 7:30 a.m.
 - Medication can only be transported to and from campus by a parent or guardian. A student may neither be in possession of medication nor transport medication (prescription or over-the-counter) at anytime.

- All medications are discarded at the end of each school year unless picked up by a parent or guardian.
- Existing injuries should be treated at home.
- Abuse of nurse privileges such as excessive visits will be referred to an administrator.
- Students on crutches are required to have a doctor's order and to check in with the school nurse before attending class. The nurse will monitor the student's safety and use of crutches. The nurse will set up early dismissal from class if necessary.

Communication

GRADES ONLINE

Pryor Middle School parents and students may access grades through the Parent Portal. This access can be found on both the District website at: www.okaloosaschools.com and Pryor's website at: www.okaloosa.k12.fl.us/pryor/. Please click the "Parent Portal" icon on the right of the page. The student's username is his/her student ID number ([found on report cards and schedules](#)), and the password is the last 4 digits of the student number.

REPORT CARDS

Grading periods at Pryor Middle School are based on a nine-week grading period with four grading periods throughout the school year. The nine-week grading period schedule is posted on the district and school website. The exact dates of report card distribution will be communicated through the Pryor website and Facebook.

PROGRESS REPORTS

Progress reports will be sent home with students during 6th period midway through each nine-week grading period, approximately 4½ weeks in to each nine week grading period .

STUDENT PLANNERS

Each student will receive a student planner free of charge. A replacement planner will cost \$5.00. Students are required to use their planners to manage time by writing down assignments and tests for each class. The planner is also an excellent tool for parent/teacher communication. In addition, planners serve as the school pass system. To leave class for the restroom, nurse, etc., students must have a teacher signature in the pass section of their own planner.

SCHOOL MARQUEE

Upcoming events and special recognition of students and staff are posted on the marquee in the front of the school.

TEACHER WEB PAGES

Teacher web pages are accessible through the Faculty/Staff page on the Pryor website. Teachers post information related to homework assignments and classroom instruction.

CONNECT-ED PHONE SYSTEM

Pryor relays important, time-sensitive information using an automated telephone call placed to the student's primary telephone number. Be sure to keep your contact information current by completing a form in person, with the front office.

SOCIAL MEDIA

For information on upcoming events and news information, "like" our Facebook page: W. C. Pryor Middle School. Follow us on Twitter @PryorMS and on Instagram: pryorms.

DAILY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Announcements are made each day through the school wide intercom. Announcements focus on school and community activities and recognition of students and staff. Announcements are also scrolled across the TVs in common areas daily and on the PNN news show on Friday mornings.

Student Safety

We take the safety of every student and staff member as a primary concern. Students participate in safety procedures to include fire drills, intruder on campus, hazardous weather, etc. Any unsafe condition or situation should be immediately brought to the attention of an administrator or the school resource officer.

All Pryor Middle School employees have complete authority to maintain safety and to ensure appropriate behavior of students. Only students with scheduled, supervised activities are allowed on school property after daily dismissal. All other students should leave school grounds by 2:30 p.m. Students may not be on campus unsupervised after 2:30 p.m. Students suspended from school or referred to an alternative school may not attend after school activities to include sporting events, dances, etc.

Pryor Middle School does not provide supervision of students 30 minutes before or after school events. Please do not allow your child to remain unsupervised by arriving early or staying late. Parents will be required to complete "Consent for Extra-Curricular Participation" for each activity. This consent will state the time for and location for drop-off and pick-up. This consent also states that violations of the policy will result in dismissal from the team, organization, etc., and/or restriction from future dances, sporting events, etc.

We ask that parents/guardians be punctual and considerate of school staff who must remain until the last student is picked up. Pick-up later than 30 minutes after the end of an activity will result in restriction from future activities.

- **Athletics** - The pick-up area for home athletics, such as basketball and volleyball, is the Pryor gym parking lot. Pick up for home athletic events at Etheredge Stadium, such as football and soccer, is the west gate stadium parking area at Choctawhatchee High School.
- **Extracurricular Activities/Clubs/Tutoring** - Students staying for supervised

activities may not leave school grounds until the designated pick up time. Pick-up time and designated pick up area will be announced before the activity. Rides and pick-up should be planned in advance with pick-up within 30 minutes of the end of the activity. A phone will be available for emergencies.

School Property

TEXTBOOKS, BAND INSTRUMENTS, UNIFORMS, ETC

Students are financially responsible for all items issued to them. In accordance with both Florida Law and Okaloosa County School Board Policy, each school principal is required to collect outstanding debt. The school board policy states as follows:

(D) 1. The principal shall collect from each student or the student's parents, the purchase price of any instructional materials the student has lost, destroyed, or unnecessarily damaged. The failure of the student or the student's parent to pay such sum upon reasonable effort by the school principal may result in the suspension of the student from participation in extracurricular activities until such debt is satisfied or satisfaction of the debt by the student through community service activities at the school site as assigned by the school principal. Community service hours shall be credited against the debt by forgiving \$8.00 per hour of service. If any such debt is owed by a graduating senior, and is not paid at least ten (10) days prior to the student's last scheduled day of classes, then that student shall not be allowed to participate in graduation activities and ceremonies unless and until such debt is satisfied.

LOCKERS

Each student will be assigned a locker free of charge. Students may bring backpacks and book bags, but they must be stored in their lockers during classroom time and P.E. Students may not share lockers and are not to share their combination with other students. The lockers may not be defaced in any manner (e.g. adhering any type of stickers to the locker). Students will be fined for defacing/damaging lockers. In accordance with Florida Law, lockers are subject to search at any time by a school official. Students are expected to use lockers and P.E. lockers to store personal belongings. Pryor Middle School will not be responsible for the loss or theft of any belongings left unsecured.

LOST AND FOUND

There is a lost and found area in the Attendance Office and in the Gym Locker Room. Unclaimed items are discarded or donated at the end of each month. Pryor is not responsible for items left in Lost and Found.

Visitors / Passes

STUDENT PASSES

A pass from a teacher, administrator, or other school staff is **required** for a student to be out of class or assigned area. Students must also sign in and out on the log form in the classroom before leaving and entering the class, media center, main office, and clinic. Restroom breaks should be taken during the time of class change. Students must return to the classroom promptly from restroom breaks during class time.

VISITOR PASSES

All visitors on campus must report immediately to the main office upon arrival to obtain a Visitor's Pass. Photo identification is required to check in and enter the school. Student visitors are not allowed on campus during regular school hours. A Visitor's Pass should be worn by the visitor while on school property. The pass will designate the destination, the date, and the time. A visit to the classroom requires permission of the teacher, the principal, and a 24-hour prior notification. A teacher's regular class instruction will not be interrupted to discuss a student during the class visit. Parent/Teacher conferences and classroom visits are to be scheduled through Student Services.

Visitors' Passes may be granted to a parent/guardian/mentor/sibling to have lunch with their child. The parent/guardian/mentor/sibling and child will be seated at a designated table in the cafeteria. Parents, guardians, mentors, siblings should not bring lunch for the entire table or group of students. Since the lunch period is only 30 minutes, we strongly encourage students to remain at school during lunch.

NOTE: Unfortunately, we cannot permit parents to walk their students to their classes. If a student needs help getting to a classroom, please contact Student Services at 833-3613, extension 3.

Student Services Department

SCHOOL COUNSELOR CONFERENCES

Middle school students are characterized by rapid physical growth, curiosity about their world, and an emerging self-identity. Through a comprehensive developmental school counseling program, Student Services works as a team with school staff, parents, and the community to create a caring, supportive climate and atmosphere whereby young adolescents can achieve academic success. School counseling programs are essential for students to achieve optimal growth, acquire positive social skills and values, set appropriate career goals, and realize full academic potential to become productive, contributing members of the world community. Parents are encouraged to meet with the school counselors to discuss any area of concern or interest. A scheduled conference is preferred and may be set up by calling Student Services at 833-3613, extension 3.

PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES

Communication between the home and school is vital to your child's success. Parent-Teacher conferences are encouraged as a part of each student's educational process. Parents may call to schedule a conference with an

individual teacher or with all of the student's teachers. Conferences may be arranged through Student Services.

HOMEBOUND INSTRUCTION

Students who will miss more than three weeks of school for illness, operations, etc. may be eligible for Homebound Instruction. Please contact Student Services for additional information.

WITHDRAWING FROM SCHOOL

Only the enrolling parent may withdraw a student from school. We require 24-hour notice before the last day of attendance for students to complete the withdrawal process. All books, clearance from the library and cafeteria, return of school property, etc., must be completed before records are released. Any books or school property not turned in must be paid for at this time. Students are also responsible for damages to school property.

AWARDS

Students are recognized for academic achievement, perfect attendance, and participation in the various clubs and activities at Pryor at each grade level. Some of the awards that students are eligible to earn are highest academic average in core classes and electives. Others awards may include perfect attendance for the school year, superlatives in individual classes, all A's, A/B Honor Roll, and SAILS. Grades are captured on or about 2 weeks prior to the end of the school year to give ample time to order awards. Therefore, there is a slight chance the final grade may be different than the award that is presented at the ceremony.

Eighth graders are eligible to receive the President's Award for Educational Excellence. Based on certain criteria, students can receive a certificate for their excellent academic work.

ACADEMIC REQUIREMENTS

Any student entering from outside Okaloosa County School District will be responsible for meeting progression requirements from his/her entry grade level forward. A middle school student must pass the following to be promoted to the 9th grade:

1. Three courses in mathematics
2. Three courses of language arts
3. Three courses of science, which shall include instruction in Life Science, Earth/Space Science, and Physical Science
4. Three courses of social studies to include Civics. (A state EOC Civics exam is required.)
5. One year-long PE course

If a child fails one or more core courses, the School Counselor will provide assistance to the student and his/her parents regarding options for credit recovery.

HOMEROOM

SAILS

Students who participate in the SAILS program are assigned to a special interest homeroom tailored to provide opportunities to explore and extend their learning. SAILS homerooms include leadership development, gardening, and art, among others. SAILS students will be able to select their homerooms at the start of the school year. While advisory is a component of the SAILS homeroom, SAILS students are expected to be able to manage at a higher level of independence to be successful students.

PIERS

Students who do not participate in the SAILS program meet with an assigned PIERS Homeroom teacher each day between 4th and 5th period. PIERS Homeroom is an advisory period where teachers work with students to review grades, attendance, and behavior and provide assistance to help students develop skills to grow in these areas. In addition to review, reflection, and goal-setting, students are expected to:

- Complete unfinished classwork, homework, make-up work
- Review that day's lecture notes and lessons
- Read

If students do not have work to complete, technology is available in all classrooms to work on the following electronic platforms to sharpen skills:

- IXL Reading and Math
- Imagine Math
- Achieve 3000 Reading
- Civics 360
- Study Island, Science
- Khan Academy

It is the student's responsibility to bring his/her work, a book, and the Pryor planner to PIERS each day.

RETENTION AND REMEDIATION

Retention and remediation will be based on the current Okaloosa County Pupil Progression Plan.

PLAN OF CARE (POC) EXTENDED DAY REMEDIATION

Pryor Middle School provides POC extended day remediation for students who scored a Level 1 or 2 on the 2019 FSA Math and/or Reading. This program is designed to help students achieve learning gains and become proficient with grade level Florida Standards. To sign up for this service, contact Student Services. Bus transportation will be provided for those students living 2 miles or more from the school. After school snacks will be provided.

TUTORING

Students who need specific help in their courses need to make arrangements with their classroom teacher.

Extracurricular Activities

We invite and encourage students to be involved! Many curricular and extracurricular activities are offered at W.C. Pryor Middle School. These activities, clubs, teams, organizations, and classes offer opportunities to get involved in many areas of interest for middle school students. Once a month, Pryor has “Club Day” in which every student participates in a club of choice. Pryor’s 25+ clubs are intended to teach students a new skill or hobby in an area of individual interest.

SPORTS ELIGIBILITY

Eligibility for Sports is defined in the Okaloosa County School District Policy under Section 4-17 addressing middle school students. Included in this policy are these statements:

- a. Middle School students must meet the eligibility and participation guidelines listed below to be eligible to participate in extracurricular activities.
- b. Eligibility of athletes will be reported by the principal to the Superintendent's designee five (5) school days prior to the first contest of the season. Once a student has been reported eligible in a particular activity, he/she may not become eligible in any other activity until the season for the activity in which he/she was reported eligible has ended.
- c. The limit of eligibility for each student shall be six (6) consecutive semesters from the time the student initially enters the sixth grade. For fifth grade student who are enrolled in a middle school, the limit of eligibility for each student shall be eight (8) consecutive semesters from time the student initially enters the fifth grade.
- d. All middle school students who participate in extracurricular activities must maintain a minimum of 2.0 grade point average (GPA) on a 4.0 scale or its equivalent and pass five (5) subjects for the grading period immediately preceding participation; student eligibility for the first grading period of each new school year shall be based on passing five (5) subjects and maintaining the required GPA for the previous school year. Elementary students initially entering middle school will have their eligibility determined by their first grading period. (Eligibility requirements for honor clubs may be determined by their respective national chapters.)
- e. Schools may elect to use more rigorous academic criteria for the selection and continued participation of students in any extracurricular activity, including but not limited to athletics. Such additional criteria must be reviewed and approved by the School Advisory Council at each school on an annual basis.
- f. Any student who becomes fifteen years of age on or after September 1 may participate in interscholastic athletics during the entire school year so far as age is concerned. However, any student who becomes fifteen on or before August 31 shall be ineligible for further participation in interscholastic activities.
- g. Waivers for special circumstances are available and are evaluated by MSAC on an individual basis. Please see your coach for more information.

REQUIREMENTS FOR EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES (Academic and other)

Each middle school student who participates in extracurricular activities must maintain a 2.0 grade point average (GPA) on a 4.0 scale or its equivalent and pass five (5) subjects for the grading period immediately preceding participation; student eligibility for the first grading period of each new school year shall be based on

passing five (5) subjects and maintaining the required grade point average (year's end or fourth 4th nine weeks) from the previous school year. The student standard for participation in extracurricular activities shall be applied beginning with the student's first competitive activity that exists or is carried on between students representing school, district, regions, or state. Students initially entering middle school will have their eligibility determined by their first grading period.

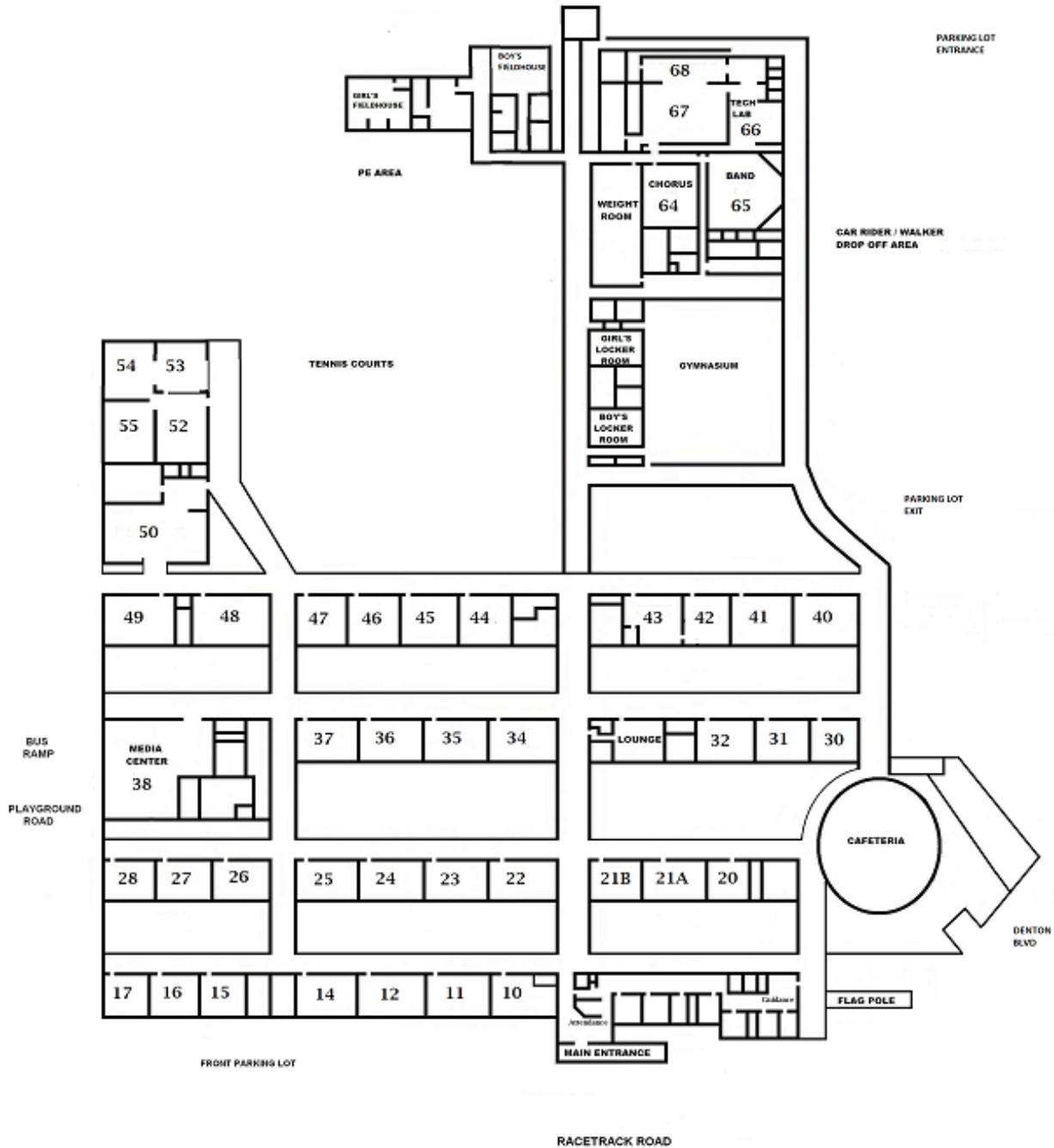
Elementary students, initially entering middle school, will have their eligibility determined by their first grading period. Eligibility requirements for honor clubs may be determined by their respective national chapters. A signed and notarized Parent Permission Form, a current Athletic Physical Form, less than one year old, and other forms of the athletic packet is due **before** a student will be allowed to try-out for any sport.

Middle School Athletics

Official practice and tryouts for all sports occur in accordance with the Okaloosa County Middle School Athletic Conference (MSAC). Sports seasons guidelines are subject to change per Board approval in the event of extenuating circumstances.

SPORT	COACH
<i>Fall</i>	
Cross Country	Coach Dwyer (boys) / Coach Bowman (girls)
Football	Coach Savage / Coach Horton
Volleyball	Coach Cappel/Coach Tate
<i>Winter</i>	
Basketball	Coach Tate(girls) / Coach Savage(boys)
Soccer	Coach Mills (girls) / Coach Lightbourne (boys)
<i>Spring</i>	
Baseball	Coach Rynearson / Coach Richards
Golf	Coach Twitty (girls) / Coach Smith (boys)
Softball	Coach Cappel
Swim	Coach Seifert
Tennis	Coach Savage / Coach Lightbourne

W. C. PRYOR MIDDLE SCHOOL



Teacher Work Day/Student Holiday	Monday	March 23, 2020
Memorial Day Holiday	Monday	May 25, 2020
End of Semester/Last Day for Students	Friday	May 29, 2020
Last Day for Teachers	Thursday	June 4, 2020

**EDUCATIONAL FUNDING ACCOUNTABILITY ACT
Section 1010.215, F.S.**

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF OKALOOSA COUNTY

2017-2018 SCHOOL FINANCIAL REPORT

PRYOR MIDDLE SCHOOL (#0271)

REVENUES	School*	%	Okaloosa County School District	%	K-12 Education State of Florida	%
Federal	\$ 728,456	13.13%	\$ 29,171,182	10.63%	\$ 3,417,824,301	13.34%
State/Local (excludes Lottery)	4,815,804	86.81%	244,945,901	89.24%	22,171,281,118	86.56%
Lottery	3,010	0.05%	55,614	0.02%	5,024,625	0.02%
Private	-	0.00%	293,354	0.11%	19,871,211	0.08%
Total	\$ 5,547,270	100.00%	\$ 274,468,051	100.00%	\$ 25,614,001,255	100.00%

*School revenues based on costs.

K-12 OPERATING COSTS**	Per Full-Time Equivalent Student			TOTAL COSTS
	SCHOOL AVERAGE	DISTRICT AVERAGE***	STATE AVERAGE***	
Teachers/Teacher Aides (Salaries & Benefits)	\$ 4,850	\$ 4,945	\$ 4,833	\$ 3,190,497
Temporary Personnel (Salaries & Benefits)****				
Other Instructional Personnel*****	521	552	991	342,652
Contracted Instructional Services	388	461	222	255,295
School Administration	967	665	582	636,235
Materials/Supplies/Operating Capital Outlay	377	236	234	247,758
Food Service	297	321	518	195,311
Operation and Maintenance of Plant	811	778	925	533,483
Other School-Level Support Services	222	198	219	146,039
TOTAL SCHOOL COSTS**	\$ 8,433	\$ 8,156	\$ 8,524	\$ 5,547,270

**Capital expenditures for new schools are not included.

***Amounts reported for District and State reflect costs for all levels of students, not costs by school type.

****The costs of temporary personnel such as substitute teachers and tutors included in "Other School-Level Support Services" are

\$ 87	\$ 68	(Not Available)	\$ 57,022
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*****Includes some non-personnel costs, such as teacher training materials.

District Costs: The amounts above represent only school-level costs. No district-level costs have been included.

District costs such as transportation and administration for the School District of Okaloosa County totaled \$9,048,838.27 or \$308 per UFTE.

K-12 ADDITIONAL DETAIL INFORMATION	Per Full-Time Equivalent Student			TOTAL COSTS
	SCHOOL AVERAGE	DISTRICT AVERAGE	STATE AVERAGE	
Teachers/Teachers Aides (Salaries/Benefits):				
Basic Programs	\$ 4,481	\$ 4,450	\$ 4,051	\$ 2,158,330
ESOL	\$ 3,911	\$ 4,708	\$ 4,912	\$ 173,802
Exceptional Programs	\$ 6,518	\$ 7,147	\$ 7,559	\$ 858,365
Vocational Programs	\$ -	\$ 3,785	\$ 4,201	\$ -
Adult Programs	Not FEFP Funded	Not FEFP Funded	Not FEFP Funded	Not FEFP Funded
Materials, Supplies, Operating Capital Outlay:				
Textbooks	\$ 96	\$ 65	Not Available from State Data Base	\$ 63,386
Computer Hardware & Software	\$ 108	\$ 36	Not Available from State Data Base	\$ 70,805
Other Instructional Materials	\$ 89	\$ 97	Not Available from State Data Base	\$ 58,809
Other Materials and Supplies	\$ 83	\$ 40	Not Available from State Data Base	\$ 54,758
Library Media Materials	\$ 1	\$ 3	Not Available from State Data Base	\$ 677

Note: This information became available on April 2, 2019, from the Florida Department of Education.