



**MISSION STATEMENT:** Pleasant View Elementary School, in partnership with families and the community, facilitates a safe, secure environment that promotes academic, emotional, physical, and social growth for all children to become lifelong learners.

## Attendance Counts

How important is it that your child is in school everyday?

- Did you know that missing even 2 days of school in a month can create serious gaps in understanding math at any age?
- Did you know all types of absences, including excused and in school suspensions, make a difference. Time out of the classroom equals time away from instruction and learning.
- Did you know every day counts? Good attendance matters for success.

## Morning Arrival/Tardies

Students who are dropped off by car may enter the building at 7:15 a.m. They are to go directly to the gym and will be released to go to class at 7:40 a.m. Any student arriving late to school **must be signed in at the office** by a parent or guardian. This procedure ensures the office and the classroom teacher that your child is indeed at school and has arrived safely.

## Parent Teacher Conferences

Parent Teacher Conferences will be held on October 24 and 25. You may schedule a conference with your student's teacher. Each teacher has a different schedule.



## Dressing for the Weather

The weather is changing and temperatures are dropping. Dressing your child appropriately for the weather is important. Students will be sent outdoors for recess, weather permitting. It is important for the students to go out in the fresh air and exercise. As fall turns to winter, please be sure your child has a winter coat, gloves or mittens, and hat. For your child's comfort, please include boots, snow pants, and an extra pair of dry socks when there is snow on the ground. If you are in need of assistance, please contact Nurse Morey.



## Counselor's Corner

Here are a few things that are happening in the Counseling department at PVE:

- All students will receive a lesson on Personal Safety in the month of October using the Kids in the Know research and evidence-based program.
- Red Ribbon Week is October 23-October 31. This year's theme is "Life is a Journey, Travel Drug Free"
- Our Character Trait for October is Responsibility. Students will be learning about how to be responsible at school, at home, and in life!

## After School Arrangements

We have been receiving a number of phone calls at the end of the school day from parents requesting a change of plans for your child's pick up, etc.

A very busy office at the end of the day could result in your child not receiving the message in a timely fashion. Please make afterschool arrangements for your student(s) prior to them leaving home in the morning. We want to ensure the safety of all students. We appreciate your help.

## Red Ribbon Week

The week of October 23-31, 2018 is National Red Ribbon Week. What is Red Ribbon Week? It is an ideal way for people and communities to unite and take a visible stand against drugs. This year's theme is "Life is Your Journey. Travel Drug Free." Your student will receive a red bracelet. Many businesses around Delaware County participate by offering free items or coupons, if you are wearing your bracelet.

## Upcoming Events

- October 3-Picture retakes
- October 5-End of 1<sup>st</sup> quarter
- October 8-12 Fall Break
- October 19-2<sup>nd</sup> grade field trip
- October 22-Report cards will be sent home
- October –Parent Teacher Conferences
- October 27-Fall Carnival
- October 29-Book Fair
- October 31-Fall Parties

## Emergency Contact Information

If your emergency contact information or address changes throughout the school year, please take a moment to update that information with the office. We need to be able to contact you in the case of an emergency.

## My Girl Gala

Save the date

PVE My Girl Gala  
March 15, 2019



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