



Pearl River School District

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Dear Students and Families,

Final exams and Regents exams are scheduled for Monday, June 11, 2018 through Wednesday, June 20, 2018. We have attached a copy of the final exam schedule, the bus schedule and the prohibited device policy for you to review with your student. The exam schedule should be read carefully with your child to see if there are any testing conflicts across their specific exams. Students should report all conflicts to their subject teachers and to their guidance counselors immediately to assure all assigned exams are taken. Guidance counselors will provide students with directions regarding conflicts and related makeup schedules.

Note: The Global History and Geography Regents will be given on **Tuesday, June 5, 2018** for current grade 10 students. All other students will follow their regular academic schedules that day.

In order to ensure the safety of our students while they are taking the tests, we will continue to utilize the following procedures.

- We will have initial locker clean-out on Thursday, June 7, 2018. For those who are absent on the initial day, the final locker clean-out will be conducted on Friday, June 8th. Prior to leaving school on that day, all lockers must be empty and doors left open. Dismissal remains at 2:42 p.m. on both days.
Please note that NO STUDENT MAY USE THE LOCKERS AFTER JUNE 8th.
- The building will be closed at 6:00 p.m. every night from June 11 through June 19 and a thorough inspection of the high school will be conducted each day.
- Should there be a review class scheduled for the evening between June 11 and June 19, students will wait by the entrance near the flagpole and enter as a group with their respective teacher. Students will go directly to the classroom and leave immediately after the session via the flag pole lobby. **No student is to be in the building without direct supervision of a teacher or coach.**
- The main doors to the building which include the flagpole entrance, Central Avenue entrance and the gym entrance will be opened at 7:15 a.m. each morning from June 11 through June 20. **Please drop students off at these main entrances. Testing room information is posted at all entrances.**

The administration would like to thank you for your support over the course of the school year. We look forward to students completing this year on a successful note, reaping the benefits of all the hard work they have done. We remind students to attend to themselves being sure to eat, study and rest properly throughout the next few weeks. Best wishes during finals week.

Sincerely,

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New York State Policy on use of communication devices during testing

New York State Education Department Policy and Pearl River High School Testing Policy prohibit all students from bringing cell phones and certain other electronic devices into a classroom or other location where a New York State assessment is being administered.

Prohibited devices include, but are not limited to:

- Cell phones
- Smart watches
- BlackBerry devices and other PDAs
- iPods and MP3 players
- iPads, tablets, and other eReaders
- Laptops, notebooks or any other personal computing devices
- Cameras or other photographic equipment
- Headphones, headsets, or in-ear headphones such as earbuds
- Any device capable of recording audio, photographic or video content, or capable of viewing or playing back such content.

Test proctors, test monitors, and school officials, shall have the right to collect cell phones and other prohibited electronic devices prior to the start of the test and to hold them while the test is being administered, including break periods. Admission to the test shall be denied to any student who refuses to relinquish a prohibited device.

Some students with disabilities may use certain recording/playback devices provided that such an accommodation is specified in the student's IEP or 504 Plan.

This policy will be extended to final exams given at Pearl River High School.

BUS SCHEDULE- FINAL EXAMS 2018

In addition to the regular morning bus pickups, the following is the schedule of buses **leaving the high school** to take students home during final exams.

June 11	June 12	June 13	June 14	June 15	June 18	June 19	June 20
1 bus leaves the flagpole at	1 bus leaves the flagpole at	1 bus leaves the flagpole at	1 bus leaves the flagpole at	1 bus leaves the flagpole at	1 bus leaves the flagpole at	1 bus leaves the flagpole at	1 bus leaves the flagpole at
9:40 a.m.	11:10 a.m	11:10 a.m	11:10 a.m	9:40 a.m.	11:10 a.m	11:10 a.m	11:10 a.m
10:40 a.m.	12:40 p.m.	12:40 p.m.	12:40 p.m.	10:40 a.m.	12:40 p.m.	12:40 p.m.	12:40 p.m.
1:40 p.m.	3:10 p.m.	3:10 p.m.	3:10 p.m.	1:40 p.m.	3:10 p.m.	1:40 p.m.	
2:42 p.m.	4:30 p.m.	4:30 p.m.	4:30 p.m.	2:42 p.m.	4:30 p.m.	2:42 p.m.	