



Pirate PRESS

Dear Pirate Community,

Pirates showed their **school spirit** this week by participating in **Pirate Palooza**. Trivia night and Gatorball were awesome events. Our spirit week ends with the **Color Run** tomorrow morning at 9:00. Monday night our **Wind Ensemble** performed. The **Carolinas Woodwind Orchestra** performed after our band. During their last song, our seniors joined the orchestra. It was an amazing concert by all!

The whole school enjoyed our guest speaker, **Minnie Jean Brown Trickey** who was one of the Little Rock Nine. Ms. Tricky spoke with students about the historical event at Central High School in Arkansas during desegregation. Ms. Tricky was an inspiration and a reminder to stand up for what is right. Some of our Porter Ridge High athletes visited Porter Ridge Elementary to Kick off their **Books and Brackets** week. They shared their love of reading with the elementary students!!

Today our students and staff practiced our procedures for a school lockdown. This **safety drill** was completed in collaboration with the Union County Sheriff's Department. Our Sheriff's Department also supports a safe school environment by conducting random drug searches with their canine unit. We appreciate all that they do for us. On another safety front, our school system is installing a LAN School system and Porter Ridge staff has been trained. **LAN School** will allow our teachers to monitor UCPS-issued student chromebook screens while students are in their classrooms. This will allow teachers to use secure testing screens and assign specific websites for students to use as resources in their learning. Teachers will also be able to give students real time feedback as they facilitate the learning. We believe that this program will also limit internet distractions. This program does not affect your students access once they are off the campus.

The Counseling Department finished the **registration process** with a junior assembly to provide information about High School Registration. Dr. Fisenne will lead a Curriculum Night Presentation for all 9th, 10th, and 11th grade students on **March 11th**. Please save the date to hear about offerings such as **Advanced Placement** courses, College Prep and Honors classes, PR Pathways that focus on careers for all students, Academies at PR, and opportunities for community college courses. Students will get official registration process paperwork and access the week of **March 6th** and choices are due March 15th.

Porter Ridge is exploring adding an **International Baccalaureate Program** for Juniors and Seniors in 2021-2022. An IB program is a rigorous program consisting of college-level courses that prepare students for college and career. If you have a younger child and are **interested** in bringing the IB Program to PRHS, please take our survey at <https://goo.gl/d1bWcL>

Our **Porter Ridge Athletic Booster Club** works so hard to support the PR Athletic Program.

They are once again cooking and hosting the **Annual PR Athletic BBQ** on **Friday March 8th from 11- 6!** Spring athletes have tickets to sell for an \$8 plate or 3 sandwiches with chips. For \$10 you can purchase a pound of Q. Any companies with 10 orders or more should contact our Athletic Director Thompson (ina.thompson@ucps.k12.nc.us) to arrange for lunchtime deliveries. Please see calendar for upcoming games and follow us on facebook and twitter so that you can keep on top of any schedule changes due to our spring weather.

Please take time to read over this newsletter. These newsletters allow our whole community to know about the great things our children and teachers are doing here at Porter Ridge High School. The Pirate Press, in addition to our website, facebook, and twitter, is the main form of communication from school to home. Go Pirates!!! Dr. Fisenne





School Counseling

- Great Summer Opportunities for High School Students are on the school websites under guidance
- Rising senior grade reregistration finished
- Every Monday Ms. Burgess will be sending out the **Scholarship Spotlight** which will detail 1-2 scholarships. The email will also have the link to her updated Scholarship List for other scholarships. To access the list now click [here](#). The list is continuously updated when new information is received.

Charlotte National College Fair on Sunday, March 17th

The Park Expo Center in Charlotte

For more information go to <https://www.nacacfairs.org/attend/national-college-fairs/charlotte-college-fair/>

Seniors and Scholarships! Keep researching. Keep applying.

Parents of seniors, here is the presentation counselors gave to your students about scholarships. Your student can view this through their school Google account.

https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/1Mt1wSgl8_tUmlrZ_qsnYMHnt1ygEoHdQuil7vEppC_4/edit#slide=id.p

If you have questions, please contact your school counselor. Please let Ms. Ponder in counseling know if you have received a scholarship.

Counselor concerns: Counselors have ongoing concerns about student's vaping and over-using technology. Here are some parent resources on both topics for consideration.

<https://www.nytimes.com/2018/12/18/health/vaping-nicotine-teenagers.html>

<https://www.psychologytoday.com/us/blog/more-feeling/201712/can-t-fight-feeling-technology-and-teen-anxiety>

Updated transcripts are now available. If you have applied to a school that requires a mid-year report you can now go in and make the request for the transcript to be sent. ***ONLY MAKE A REQUEST FOR SCHOOLS THAT REQUIRE A MID-YEAR TRANSCRIPT TO BE SENT***

Scholarship season is upon us!! Check your emails regularly. **Every Monday** Ms. Burgess will be sending out the Scholarship Spotlight which will detail 1-2 scholarships. The email will also have the link to her updated Scholarship List for other scholarships. To access the list now click [here](#). The list is continuously updated when new information is received.

Current Sophomore & Juniors: Are you interested in taking **Career and College Promise Courses** through SPCC next school year? The counselors will be having an interest meeting very soon. Use [this](#) link to sign up for the meeting. Details to follow.





Academic Letters and Bars

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| Adams, Zoey Alexa | Brown, Shaniya Nechelle | Cushing, Anna Michele |
| Adubofour, Ama Duffie | Brumfield, Amber Nicole | Cushing, Dean Michael |
| Ahaotu-Simelane, Sean Ogechukwu | Bublitz, Courtney Ann | Cyr, Nicole Renee |
| Alexander, John Christian | Burch, Lucy Caroline | Darjee, Hari L |
| Alexander, Travis Michael | Burdette, Dylan Royce | Darko, David Alexander |
| Alexander, Ziyannah-Grace Italia | Burks, Michael Jerome | Davis, Olivia |
| Allen, Kyndall Elysse | Burts, Zayda Elise | Davison, Haley Elizabeth |
| Almanza-Murillo, Andrea | Byrd, Tea Michelle | De Souza, Julia Emily |
| Alsharid, Nour Adel | Calderon-Cruz, Carlos Daniel | Debeuneure, Juliahn Dene' |
| Anderson, Jaden Dean | Callahan, Kelly Marie | Dela Cruz, Mia Katherine |
| Andrade, Jeannice Lisbeth | Callender, Lorraine Annsn | Dela Cruz, Olivia Grace |
| Andrade, Jennifer Lisseth | Canipe, Madison Jane | Dence, Lillian Grace |
| Ansel, Audrey Lynne | Cannada, Jordan Marie Whitaker | Dennis, Brooke Marie |
| Ansel, Molly Jeanne | Cardona, Isabel St.Elmo | Dickson, Andrew Scott |
| Antonuccio, Angelina Mary Anne | Cardoso, Fabricio Roberto | Dierking, Charles Jacob |
| Aristizabal, Anakaren | Carman, Emily Elise | Dierking, Madeline Mae |
| Atkins, Kylie Marie | Carroll, Davidson Douglas | Diggs, Aidan Walker |
| Ball, Nicholas John | Carver, Sydney Marie | Diggs, Harrison Graham |
| Baloga, Zachary Benjamin Matthew | Cassidy, Anna Michelle | Dixon, Jalen Malik |
| Barnes, Cortlyn Cierra | Castner, Emma Elizabeth | Doane, Chloe Nicole |
| Baron, Sierra Jane | Castro Yanes, Braylan Naun | Dominguez, Mauricio Pinto |
| Barrows, Brendan Tyler | Cheek, Jada Aneice | Dorsey, Alexa Elizabeth |
| Barzoff, Hayden Charles | Chew, Aidan Patrick | Dotson, Graham Michael |
| Battaglia, Dominick William | Chew, Jackson Charles | Dubar, Hunter Chance |
| Bell, Jordan Mackenzie | Chisholm, Jacob Michael | Dudina, Tatiana |
| Berhalter, Lauren Elisabeth | Chopelas, Juliana Marie | Durbin, Kira Hannah-Louise |
| Blanchard, Ryan Alexander | Chutney, Noah Jacob | Edmonds, Abigail Grace |
| Blanton, Kaitlyn Elizabeth | Clark, Madison Harris | Egan, Caroline Rose |
| Blaylock, Maximus Kadem | Clark, Sydney Elizabeth | Eldridge, Breeanna Blake |
| Blum, Jaxon Robert | Clarke, Calvin James | Eller, Dylan Timothy |
| Boley, Gabriella Meizhin | Claytor, Natalya Jayna | Emory, Stone Patrick |
| Bop, Zaria Michelle | Clemmer, Hunter Grace | Ennis, Aden Thomas |
| Borbolla, Brielle | Coleman, Kamille Jeanae | Epp, Ryan Thomas |
| Bott, Olivia Marie | Colmenares Romero, Daniel Eduardo | Evans, Zoe Cody |
| Brady, Olivia Brooke | Conrad, Samantha Anne | Fagan, Caroline Grace |
| Braswell, Brandon Ray | Conroy, Dominic David | Fehl, Michael Thomas |
| Breneman, Celina Janine | Conti, Nicole Grace | Fernandez, Viviana Maciel |
| Brewer, Kapri LaShay | Cormier, Lindsey Leigh | Fitzgerald, Alison Rose |
| Brewer, Shannon Nicole | Cosgrove, Erin Marie | Forbes, Barry Laquan |
| Brooker, Jasha Monay | Covington, Ralph Adams | Foster, Aneska |
| Brooks, Amiya Cherise | Cox, Mason Christopher | Fox, Raven Frances |
| Broome, Matthew David-Shane | Crissman, Colton Ross | Foy, Isabella Rose |
| Brown, Josilan Taylor | Cristy, Nicole Monique | Francis, Rosalea Elias |
| Brown, Savannah Nicole | Curtis, Ann Marguerite | Franco Cabriaes, Odalys |

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| Franklyn, Reece Owen | Holmes, JoiAn Madeline | Leeper, Rebecca Elizabeth |
| Fuller, Mollie Christine | Honeycutt, Kellie Suzanne | Lederer, Emily Grace |
| Gallagher, Alexander Reeves | Horstkamp, Nicholas Braedon | Ledford, Madison Grace |
| Gamboa-Arevalo, Mike Anthony | Horton, Cameron Gregory | Levano, Farhlie Solange |
| Gamoneda, Jonathan | Howard, Logan Alexander | Lindsey, Malaysia Arie |
| Garner, Emily Adriana | Howell, Andrew Michael | Ling, Par Sui Thluai |
| Garner, Sallie Ruth | Hra, Phei | Linn, Marina Paige |
| Gaskill, Cameron James | Humphrey, Grace-Lynn Kay | Logan, Elijah Desean |
| Gast, Cameron Lee | Huval, Sarah Laurine | Lopez Rincon, Edwin |
| Golobish, Elizabeth Ann | Hyché, Imani Annie Elizabeth | Lozada Burgos, Luis Gerardo |
| Gonzalez-Torres, Alyson Daniela | Inman, Alexa Faith | Lucas, Erynn Mackenzie |
| Gore, Mason Pernay | Jackson, Robin Christine | Lynch, Erin Marie |
| Gossert, Luke Austin | Jewell, Gabrielle Nicole | Lyons, James Michael |
| Gould, Lucille Adrian | Joaquin, Ella Marie | Mace, Rebekah Olivia |
| Graham, Emma Ann | Joaquin, Grace Shannon | Mahnke, Alexis Ann |
| Graue, Lauren Elizabeth | Johnson, Abigail Marie | Malinowsky, Caleb John |
| Gray, Connor Michael | Johnson, Dorien Kaleb | Mara, Richard Michael Maximus |
| Grayson, Ashley Renee | Johnson, Evan Robert | Maradiaga, Christopher Josua |
| Green, Jack Foster | Johnson, James Russell | Marano, Jamison Grace |
| Greer, Anna Elizabeth | Johnson, Madison Brooke | Marino, Spenser Patrick |
| Grooms, Madison Haylee | Jones, Jasmine Alisha Maria | Martin, Akaisha Jo |
| Guinto, Leah Richelle | Jones, Maya Isabella | Martin, Micah Lewis |
| Hagelauer, Cameron Reed Henry | Jones, Nicholas Ryan | Mascellino, Sara Lillian |
| Hagerty, Gavin Porter | Jones, Samantha Grace | Massey, Breaisha Monae |
| Hagler, Robert Chase | Jordan, Malik Richard | Matsil, Megan Elizabeth |
| Hancock, Dustin Michael Ray | Jordan, Olivia Reese | Matson, Jacob Ethan |
| Harb, Jordyn M'Lyn | Joyce, Aidan Patrick | McCollum, Alaina Rebecca |
| Hargett, Jackson Lee | Joye, William Davis | McDevitt, Liam Daniel |
| Harmon, Adrianna Marie | Joyner, Edward Melvin | McGuire, Bridget Gail |
| Harold, Blake Stephen | Karzouz, Nadia Kenza | McIntosh, Savannah Marie |
| Harris, Kaylynn Marie | Kesner, Madeline Elizabeth | McIntyre, Hannah Joy |
| Harrison, Emily Elizabeth | Kielkowicz, Ethan James | McKinnie, Caidan Merrick |
| Harvey, Joshua Thomas | Kimmet, Kaitlyn Marie | McLaughlin, Douglas Glen |
| Hastings, Johanna Goodwin | King, Addison Leigh | Medlin, Silas John |
| Hatley, Nicholas Todd | Kivlan, Rachel Amanda | Michael, KeVese Charlanay |
| Heartley, Emma Marie | Klein, Jakob Michael | Miller, Amani Nasarah |
| Helms, Dillon Franklin | Kline, Olivia Ray | Miller, Lucas Alexander |
| Helms, Elizabeth Grace | Kobe, Nicholas Anthony | Miller, Zachary William |
| Henning, Allyson Marie | Koster, Andrew Harrison | Mills, Payton Nicole |
| Henry, Myles Kenyon | Kramb, Caroline Adele | Mills, Shelby Rae |
| Henson, Cooper Maurice | Krenz, Grace Elizabeth | Mills, Zachary Ney |
| Henson, Daisy Gayle | Kuhn, Peyton Maximilian | Minakakis, Anna Maria |
| Hepka, Gabriel Ethan | Ladimir, Nathan Joseph | Mincey, Calyn Faith |
| Herbst, Alanis | Laffey, Michaela Eve | Mincey, Drew Charles |
| Hernandez, Andres Thomas | Landrum, Megan Marie | Monago, Molly Katherine |
| Hernandez, Mauro Ramon | Laney, Nathaniel William | Montgomery, Michael Tanner |
| Herrin, Brooke Mae | Langston, Sierra Lillian | Moore, Josephine Mae |
| Herring, Keon Cruse | Lanier, Sarah Catherine | Morales, Luis Enrique |
| Hiley, Lauren Paige | Laurido, Kristopher John | Moreno Lizarazo, Maria Camila |
| | Leadenham, Melina Taylor | Morgan, Henry Thomas |

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| Morris, Hunter Blake | Rice, Christopher William | Thompson, Kate Sterling |
| Morrison, Aden Ryan | Rittberger, Emily Elizabeth | Thompson, Kobi Micheal |
| Morrison, Ivy Michele | Rivera Alberto, Josue Ernesto | Toft, Camryn Elizabeth |
| Mullowney, Allie Kaye | Robinson, Luke Daniel | Torres, Boris Daniel |
| Mullowney, Lanie Elizabeth | Rochester, Brooke Alexandra | Tran, Cynthia Ngoc |
| Murphy, Ryan Connor | Rodriguez, Ashley Renee | Tran, Kimberly Ngan |
| Myers, Sarah Dianne | Rogers, Lauren Elizabeth | Tran, Shana Vy |
| Nazario, Ivan Alexander | Rose, William Charles | Travis, Natalie Dana |
| Neal, Cara Fair | Rottger, Vincent Mark | Trevathan, Luke Thomas |
| Newsome, Brooke Marie | Rowland, Isabella Grace | Trofinoff, Luke Daniel |
| Ngo, Can Viet | Sadler, Jenna Adrienne | Tucker, Elijah Lee |
| Nguyen, Alyssa Tran | Salameh, Nadeen Ahmed | Tucker, Emarie Lee |
| Norris, Allysson Jane | Sanchez-Angelina, Litzy Baleria | Tucker, Eriana Lee |
| Novik, Angelina Marie | Sayball, Darby Kathleen | Tufano, Isabella Marie |
| Noyal, Aiza | Scaldara, Clinton Vincent | Tufano, Olivia Eleanor |
| Noyal, Amna | Seiden, Joeseoph Michael | Turpin, Avery Brooke |
| O'Bday, Reagan Caroline | Sevilla, Amber Melissa | Udovidchik, Victoria Diana |
| Ohmer, Carly Ann | Shakhtour, Ibrahim Feras | Valliere, Sheila Kay |
| O'Keef, Owen Michael | Shakhtour, Yusef Feras | Van de Riet, Virginia Hope |
| Olaleye, Victoria Olade | Shick, Makaila Rose | Vancleave, Joshua Alan |
| Olarte, Marcus Christopher Olarte | Shutak, Jocelyn Dee | Vantootenburg, Trinity Amaya |
| Osborne, Alexander Kaan | Sierra Rey, Valeria | Vargas, Katherine Paige |
| Outlaw, Alyssa Delanie | Simpson, Maryann Elizabeth | Varieur, Madison Elaine |
| Owens, Austin Peter | Sloan, Michael Vance | Vassilski, Stacy Joann |
| Palma, Jeremy Ethan 9 | Smalls, Alexandria Lynette | Vassilski, Vivian Elizabeth |
| Palmroos, Rachel Margaret | Smith, Alexia Sonya | Vaughan, John Hamilton |
| Pamplin, William Allen | Smith, Chloe Kathleen Jeanette | Via, Andrew Neal |
| Parks, Alexius Tenise | Smith, Connor Andrew | Viele, Caroline Todd |
| Parmley, Kiel Micah | Snead, Elijah James | Volpe, Nathan Anthony |
| Parrish, Ashley Victoria | Sokolyuk, Elizabeth Aleksandra | Wallner, Brett Elisabeth |
| Patel, Peyton Tara | Spence, Elizabeth Anne | Ward, Eli David |
| Patterson, Ashton Nicole | Spicer, Daniel Jacob | Wathen, Hannah Grace |
| Patyk, Brock Thornton | Stansberry, Titus Isaiah | West, Avery Michaela |
| Payne, Anderson Linwood | Starrs, Michael Kellen | Wheatley, Jared Joseph |
| Pearson, Aunika Lynn | Stavish, Mackenzie Ruth | Wick, Iris Raven |
| Perdue, Kaiden James | Stavish, Matthew Joseph | Wilkinson, Jordan Taylor |
| Perez-Arreola, Tania | Stedem, Wesley Hylton | Williams, Hannah Olivia |
| Perkins, Elijah Wyatt | Stephenson, Avery Lynn | Williams, Trevor Neil |
| Persails, Kanha Faith | Stone, Emma Allison | Wilson, Emily Rose |
| Petro, Caitlin Ann | Stout, Nathaniel Grady | Windeknecht, Jacob Doyle |
| Pettinicchi, Melanie Jane | Strawderman, Anna Elizabeth | Wolfe, Hannah Elizabeth |
| Pferschy, Aylha Rhiannon | Summers, Madison Belle | Yandle, Dalton Zane |
| Pham, Cat Ninh | Sweatt, Tanner Brittan | Yevchik, Diana Martha |
| Phillips, Garrett Alexander | Tapp, Kaitlyn Elizabeth | Zegers, Diego Andres |
| Pickering, Jada Delaine | Taylor, Emma Elizabeth | |
| Pressley, Cheyenne Nicole | Tejada, Marcela Isamar | |
| Proctor, Camryn Elizabeth | Tello Montoya, Jesus | |
| Quintero Au, Rebecca Valentina | Tester, Mackenzie Grace | |
| Rayborn, Jourdan Ainsley | Tha, Khai Hmo | |
| Riabtseva, Victoria | Thomas, Brennan Jacoby | |



Huntington Learning Center-Weddington is partnering with UCPS to provide our students with test taking tips and tricks for the ACT and SAT. Students who attend earn participation points toward their school's #UCPSCollegeReady goal!

UCPS will be administering the ACT and SAT to all juniors for free.

- UCPS ACT administration date: February 20, 2019
- UCPS SAT administration date: April 9, 2019

| Date | Time | Location | Registration Link | Test(s) Addressed |
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| Saturday, November 17, 2018 | 10:00 am - 12:00 pm | CATA 600 Brewer Drive Monroe, NC 28112 | SOLD OUT | SAT & ACT |
| Saturday, February 16, 2019 | 10:00 am - 12:00 pm | CATA 600 Brewer Drive Monroe, NC 28112 | http://bit.ly/blitz2-16-19 | ACT |
| Saturday, April 6, 2019 | 10:00 am - 12:00 pm | Porter Ridge High 2839 Ridge Road Indian Trail, NC 28079 | http://bit.ly/blitz4-6-19 | SAT |



AP SOCIAL STUDIES MOCK EXAMS

WHEN

April 6th, 2019
Doors open at **8:00 am**
Exams start at **8:30 am**
Ends when you finish

WHERE

UCPS Professional Development Center
721 Brewer Dr., Monroe, NC 28112
(Next to CATA)

REGISTER HERE:

bit.ly/SSAP2019

SUBJECTS

AP HUMAN GEOGRAPHY

AP PSYCHOLOGY

AP UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

AP UNITED STATES HISTORY

AP WORLD HISTORY

PLEASE BRING:

- #2 Pencils
- Blue/black ink pens
- Water & Snack

QUESTIONS?

Contact Jeff Schneider @ jeffrey.schneider@ucps.k12.nc.us

UCPS
UNION COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Growing Possibilities...

AP English Mock Exams!

AP Literature! AP Language!

Register Here: bit.ly/19APmock
March 23rd 2019

Student registration begins at 8:00am Sharp! Test ends around 12:30pm

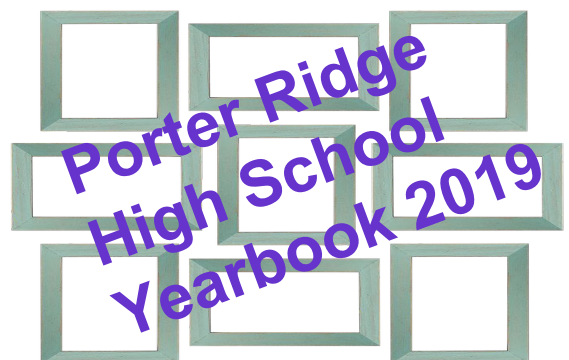
Porter Ridge High School - 2839 Ridge Road, Indian Trail, NC 28079

Questions? Email: tylerbeard@ucps.k12.nc.us

Please bring:

- Blue or black ink pens.
- Water/ Snacks
- No. 2 Pencils!

Yearbooks -- \$80. Prices will increase. You can order yearbooks online (www.jostens.com) by clicking below or get an order form from Ms. Watson in G205. **Senior Yearbook Ads are on sale now to be featured in the yearbook.** Order forms are available in the front office, in Ms. Watson's room (G205), and online @ (www.Jostens.com).





Announcements

- Charlotte National College Fair will be on Sunday, March 17th at The Park Expo Center in Charlotte For more information go to <https://www.nacacfairs.org/attend/national-college-fairs/charlotte-college-fair/>
- **AP English Mock Exam** . March 23rd.
- **THE GREAT RACE** is back and better than ever! **Thursday, April 11th at 6:00**. Mark your calendars!!! For those of you not familiar with **THE GREAT RACE**, click here for a little synopsis: Goo.gl/KduCJV
- Do you belong to or coach a sport? Do you belong to or sponsor a club? Stop by the tables during all lunches to purchase a **spirit pin** from our TTA classes. **Lollipops, bath fizzies, and lanyards** are also available for purchase. Bath fizzies come in a variety of scents such as lavender, eucalyptus, jasmine, rose, rosemary and peppermint. Ask about our Porter Ridge and Holiday gift sets! Place your orders today!
- **NC State University's Youth Engineering Summer Camp** Are you creative or interested in Engineering? If so, NC State University College of Engineering will be running a summer camp in Roger's Hall at Queens University of Charlotte this summer. Camp registration is now open and will stay open until all spots are filled. To enroll for the camp please visit www.engineeringcampcharlotte.com.
- Ladies, are you looking to sell or donate gently used dresses in preparation for prom? Want to buy a dress from a fellow pirate? Please follow the Porter Ridge Instagram @pirate.prom and directly send a message to our team with a photo of your dress, the size and color, and if you are donating the dress or if you plan to sell with the price. Please bring any donated dresses to Ms. Lukasik in room G211 by March 8th.



Porter Ridge Career Pathways:

PRHS has a host of **career pathways** that support students as they select their courses throughout their high school years. Each of these pathways includes careers students can explore and related courses offered at PR. These pathways assist students in choosing courses as they prepare for future studies and the workforce.



Pathways at Porter Ridge High School include: JROTC, Animal Science, Architect, Arts, Business Management, Culinary, Digital Media, Education, Engineering, Finance, Health Science, Law & Public Safety, and Liberal Arts.

Academies include:
 Culinary Arts
 Veterinary Assisting
 Pharmacy Technician
 Architecture, Eng. & Design
 Digital Film

[Click here for more info ==>](#)

Animal Science

| Pathway Courses | Related PR Courses | College Level Courses |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Animal Science I <input type="checkbox"/> Animal Science II - Small Animals <input type="checkbox"/> Equine Science I <input type="checkbox"/> Equine Science II <input type="checkbox"/> Vet Assisting <input type="checkbox"/> CTE Internship | <input type="checkbox"/> Biology <input type="checkbox"/> Chemistry <input type="checkbox"/> Anatomy & Physiology <input type="checkbox"/> Marine Science <input type="checkbox"/> Health Sciences <input type="checkbox"/> Sports Medicine | <input type="checkbox"/> AP Biology <input type="checkbox"/> AP Chemistry <input type="checkbox"/> CCP Animal Science <input type="checkbox"/> CCP Farm Business Mgmt |

[Click for More Information](#)

Career Pathway

Varsity times listed here; [see Athletic website for all JV times](#)



Athletics

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| Fri 3/1 | Baseball AT South Meck 6:30; Women's Soccer AT SV 6:00; Softball vs Catholic AT Jack Hughes Park 5:00 |
| Mon 3/4 | Softball AT CATA 4:00; Tennis AT East Meck 4:00; Men's LAX vs Providence 5:30; Winter Sports Awards Night 6:30 |
| Tue 3/5 | Baseball AT East Meck 4:30; Softball AT East Meck 4:00; Soccer vs Hopewell 4:30 |
| Wed 3/6 | Baseball vs Country Day 4:30; Soccer vs JMR 4:30; Women's LAX AT Sun Valley 5:00 |
| Thu 3/7 | Men's LAX vs Myers park 5:30 |
| Fri 3/8 | Softball vs Butler 4:00; Soccer AT Providence 4:30; Baseball vs East Meck 4:30; Women's LAX vs Myers Park 5:00 |
| Mon 3/11 | Tennis vs Butler 4:00 |
| Tue 3/12 | Baseball vs Butler 6:00; Men's LAX vs Queen's Grant 6:00; Softball AT Indy 4:00; Soccer AT Indy 6:00 |
| Wed 3/13 | Soccer AT Forest Hill 6:00; Men's LAX vs Butler 6:00; |
| Thu 3/14 | Tennis AT Indy 4:00; Softball AT Marvin Ridge 6:00; Baseball AT West Stanley 4:00; Women's LAX AT Parkwood 5:00; Men's LAX AT Parkwood 7:00 |
| Fri 3/15 | Soccer vs Garinger 6:00; Softball vs Garinger 4:30; Baseball AT Butler 4:30 |

Pirate Events

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| Fri 3/1 | Lip Sync Battle Auditorium 1:30 |
| Sat 3/2 | Color Run 9:00 |
| Mon 3/4 | FCCLA D101 3:00 |
| Tue 3/5 | Robotics Club G104 3:00 |
| Wed 3/6 | Spanish Club F102 3:15 |
| Thu 3/7 | Gaming Club E102 3:00 |
| Mon 3/11 | GSA F108 3:00; Curriculum Night 6:30 |
| Tue 3/12 | Government Studies F106 7:30; Robotics Club G104 3:00; latin Club G111 3:00; |
| Wed 3/13 | Graphic Design Club E105 3:00; Spanish Club F102 3:15 |
| Thu 3/14 | Gaming Club E102 3:00; Knitting & Crocheting Club G106 3:00 |



PRHS Academy Spotlight ~ Culinary Arts

The Culinary Arts academy offered at Porter Ridge allows students to master techniques through hands-on learning and practice. Students that are apart of the Culinary Arts academy will learn technical skills they can apply the first day on the job, as well as, fundamentals of safety and sanitation practices, basic knife skills, menu planning, and food production skills.

Students will be prepared and have the opportunity to take the ServSafe Food Protection Managers certification exam.



Don't forget about the many other pathways offered at PRHS, as Culinary Arts is just one of them. [Click Here](#) to learn more about the different Career Pathways offered at PRHS.





2019 - 2020 CTE Internship

Attention Rising 12th graders, if you have taken at least 2 Career & Technical Education (CTE) courses, one being a level 2, and are interested in participating in a CTE Internship next school year, stop by the guidance office and pick up an application from Mrs. Webb. If you have any questions, please see Mrs. Webb in guidance.

Academy Pathway Applications for 2019 - 2020

Academy applications for the 2019-2020 school year are now open. To learn more about the academies UCPS has to offer and for the application, please visit the [UCPS Career Readiness](#) page on the UCPS website or see Mrs. Webb in guidance.

Cosmetology Open House

Attention Rising 11th graders, the Cosmetology academy will be hosting an open house on Thursday, March 14th from 4:00 - 6:00 pm at the Walter Bickett Education Center. This is a drop in even for you to see the facility and ask the instructors and current students any questions you might have. If you have any questions, please see Mrs. Webb in guidance.



Pirate Praise

