

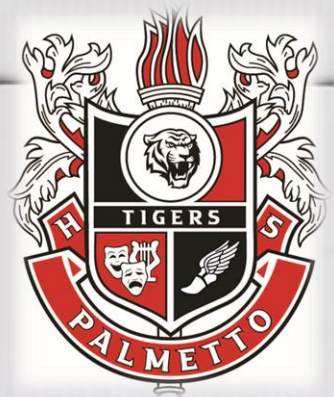


Palmetto High School

Welcome

Student Orientation

2024-2025



Presentation of Colors



Palmetto High
School JROTC



Administration

- Monica S. DeLesline – Principal
- Katie Brown – Assistant Principal
- Nick Ferrara – Assistant Principal
- Quantas Simmons, Sr. – Assistant Principal
- Bryan Wilkes – Athletic Director



Student Services

Deans

James Baldi - **A-D**

Brooke Corbett - **E-K**

Tamiya McClern - **L-Q**

Jormarie Mere-Beaman - **R-Z**

Kevin Mays- **Discipline Assistant**

Counselors

Jaimi Vogt- **A-D**

Rhonda Hall - **E-K**

Cindi Liles- **L-Q**

Aubrey Rife - **R-Z**

Rui Fernandes- **All 9th Grade**

Bethany Johnson – **Guidance Secretary**

Palmetto Student Shirts

- ALL students get a FREE Palmetto High School shirt
- During lunch - stop by the SGA table outside the Cafeteria the first day of school
- Show your Tiger Pride on Fridays





Arriving on Campus

- School Hours: 7:30 AM – 2:25 PM
- Upon arrival or drop off:
 - FREE breakfast for ALL Students
 - Gates Open at 7:00 am
 - Breakfast ends at 7:20 am
 - Students must wait in the courtyard area or cafeteria before school
 - Students may NOT leave campus once they have arrived on campus

Arriving to School

Bus Riders

Bus Hotline: 941-782-1287

- **Must register to ride a bus**
- Ride the bus at least once during the first week of school
- Building 10/11 entrance

Car Riders/Walkers/Bike Riders

Student drop off/pick-up

- Auditorium
- No Drop Offs from the road, at School Sign or Fairgrounds
- Student walkers will enter gates by bus loop or crosswalk by office
- Bike Rack by Building 2 – office area

CAMPUS MAP



Important Documents

Student Handbook



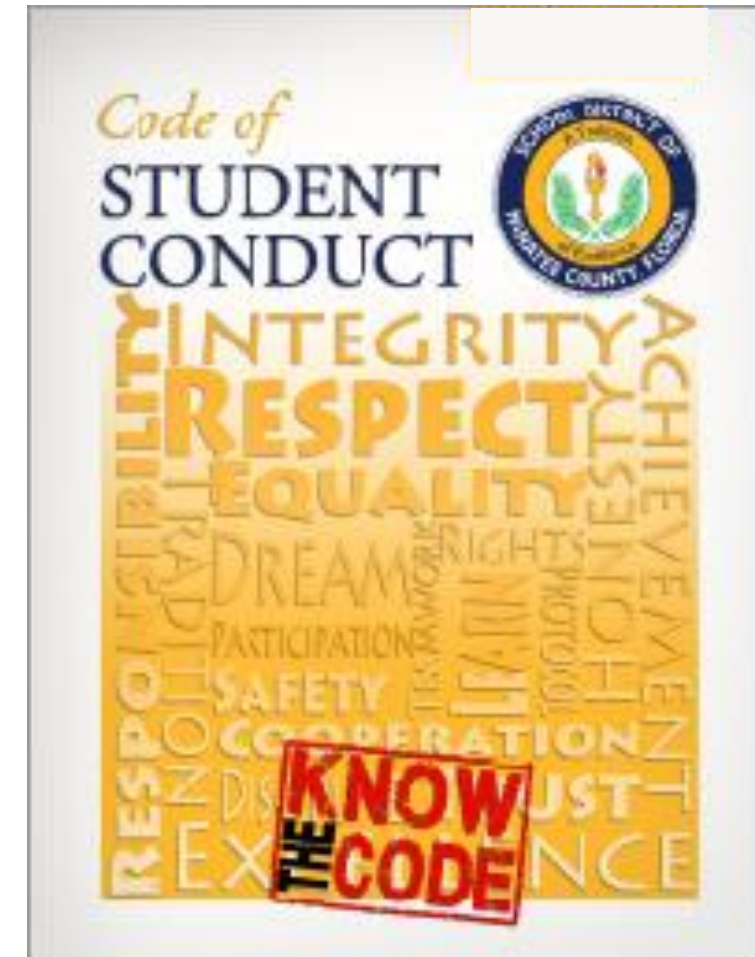
PALMETTO HIGH SCHOOL

1200 17TH STREET WEST, PALMETTO, FL 34221

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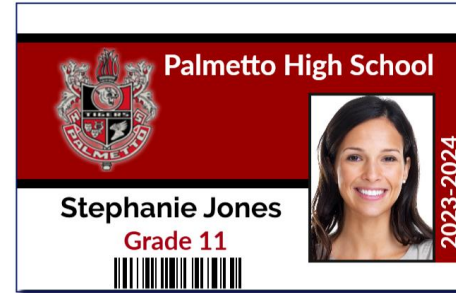
FAX:(941) 723-4952

SDMC Code of Conduct



Student Identification

- Student IDs must be worn on a lanyard around the neck, in front of the body
- All students will receive a FREE student ID.
- Reprints are \$5.
- Only current year PHS student IDs allowed
- Not tied to backpack or clipped on waist/shirt



Example Student ID



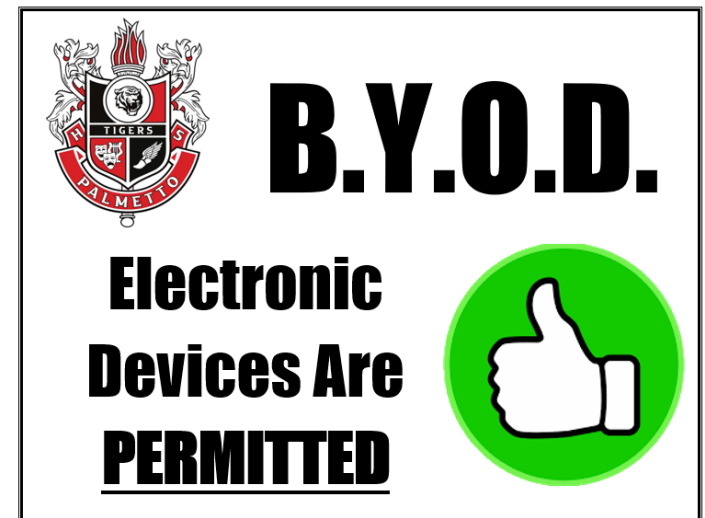
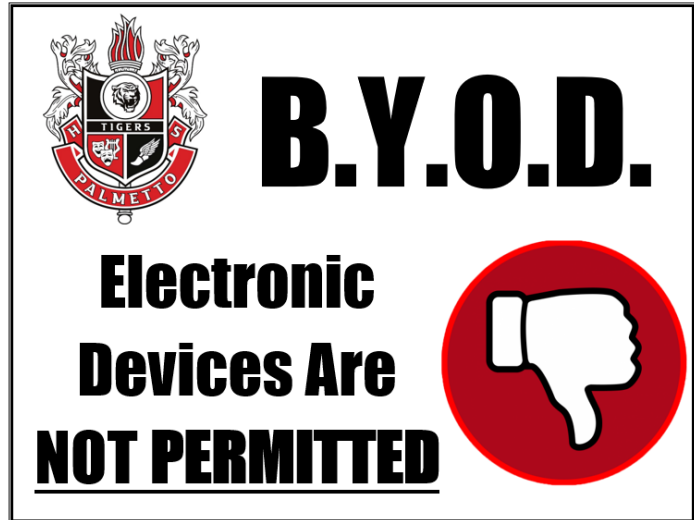
Late to School (Tardy) Policy



- Students who arrive late must check in with the front office
- Parents may write a note or come inside to sign the student in 3 excused times per quarter.
- If a bus is late, students will be excused and given a pass to class

Electronic Devices & B.Y.O.D.

- Phones & headphones not used or visible during transitions
 - Academic purposes only
- Phone & one earbud allowed during lunch.
 - No sound should be heard
 - Can text, but cannot talk on cell phone
 - Parents please do not call students during school day
- B.Y.O.D- Teachers will post B.Y.O.D signs to indicate if personal devices can be used in the classroom or not
 - All classrooms have technology available



DRESS CODE FOR SUCCESS SGA Skit





Communication

Opportunities to Stay Informed

- PHS Website
- PHS Facebook
- Weekly Call Out “**Tiger Tales**”
 - Make sure you are opted-in
- Stay Connected

Parent Involvement

- FOCUS
 - Students use their ID number and login information.
 - Progress Reports & Report Cards are published in FOCUS
- Allow the student to be his/her own advocate
- Talk to student before you ask the teacher
- Ask student about their class syllabus, Schoology page
- School Advisory Council (SAC)
- Cambridge AICE Parent Alliance (CAPA)
- Athletic Boosters
- Volunteer at your student's events (clubs, sports, activities)



CAPA (Cambridge AI/CE Parents Alliance)



- We need your help! Please join CAPA and attend meetings!
- Scan the QR Code for CAPA Meeting Dates.
- Stop by the CAPA table in the Cafeteria and get to know us!
- CAPA meeting dates posted on PHS Website

Connect with CAPA

Join the Band APP

- Download the Band APP
- Search for CAPA @ PHS
- Request to join the group!

Follow us on Facebook

- Search CAPA – Cambridge AICE
Parent Alliance PHS
- Request to join the group!



Home | BAND



CAPA- Cambridge AICE Parent Alliance PHS

School Meals



Meal Pricing:

- Breakfast – Free for ALL students
- Lunch \$ 3.40

School Café

- Apply for Free and Reduced Meals
 - Must reapply annually
- Monthly menus
- Meal payments

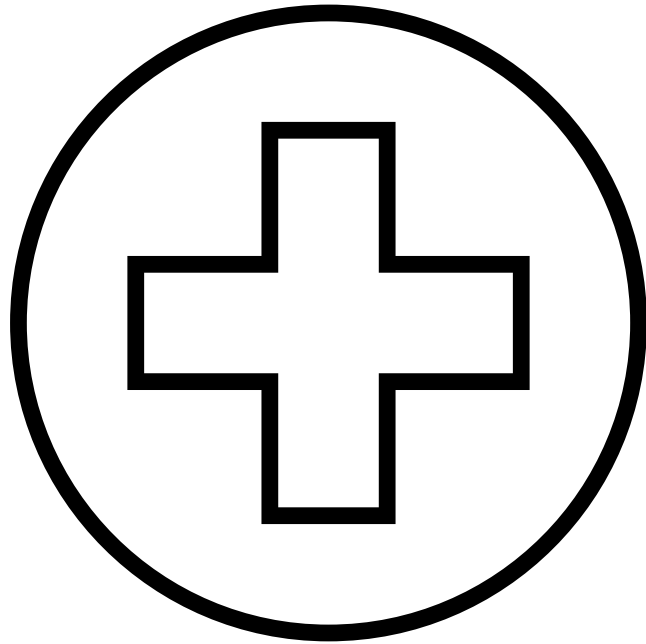


Deliveries



- We do not accept any items for drop-offs, such as forgotten ID badges, lunches, backpacks, homework, sporting gear, or band instruments.
- No food deliveries of any kind during school hours.
- **Examples:**
 - PE uniforms
 - Practice equipment
 - Homework assignment
 - Outside food deliveries
 - PLEASE PLAN ACCORDINGLY!





Clinic

- Sandy Bembry, Clinic RN
- Aracely Gomez, LPN
- Please remember that students are **NOT** allowed to carry prescription medication on campus
- State Requirement : All Parents must sign a waiver for care to be provided to their students – Clinic Card

Athletics



Athletic Director

William Bryan Wilkes ex 34005

Wilkesb@manateeschools.net



FALL SPORTS

CROSS COUNTRY (GIRLS AND BOYS)

FOOTBALL

GOLF (GIRLS AND BOYS)

SIDELINE CHEERLEADING- CLUB

SWIMMING (GIRLS AND BOYS)

VOLLEYBALL

WINTER SPORTS

BASKETBALL (GIRLS AND BOYS)

COMPETITIVE CHEERLEADING

GIRLS WEIGHTLIFTING

SOCCER (GIRLS AND BOYS)

WRESTLING (GIRLS AND BOYS)

SPRING SPORTS

BASEBALL

BEACH VOLLEYBALL

BOYS WEIGHTLIFTING

FLAG FOOTBALL

SOFTBALL

TENNIS (GIRLS AND BOYS)

TRACK AND FIELD(GIRLS AND BOYS)

Athletics



- See PHS website for athletic clearance.
- All Athletes must be cleared before participation.
- Tickets for sporting events are purchased on GoFan.co
 - Season Tickets are available through Coach Wilkes



Attendance

EVERY MINUTE COUNTS!

- Reporting an absence: Press 8
- Signing out your student
 - No sign-outs after 2:00 pm
- When you are not in school, you are falling behind.

Bell Schedule

PHS BELL SCHEDULE 2024-2025

1st	7:30 – 8:19	49 minutes
2nd	8:24 – 9:13	49 minutes
3rd	9:18 – 10:07	49 minutes
4th	10:12 – 11:01	49 minutes
5th	<div><div>A Lunch Lunch 11:01 – 11:41 (40 minutes) Class 11:46 – 12:35 (49 minutes)</div><div>B Lunch Class 11:06 – 11:55 (49 minutes) Lunch 11:55 – 12:35 (40 minutes)</div></div>	
6th	12:40 – 1:29	49 minutes
7th	1:34 – 2:23	49 minutes
	Announcements	2:23 – 2:25

1st Day of School - Monday, August 12

- Check FOCUS (app or website) **Sunday, August 11th**
- Students will report to their 1st period teacher and schedules will be distributed
- 1st period “Locators” will be available on campus – see a staff member



How to read
my
schedule?

8 Classes

Course	Period - Teacher	Course Number	Section	Meeting Days	Room	Term
WEIGHT TRAIN 1	01 01 - S1 - 004 - Eric S. Sanders	1501340	004	MTWHF	16-107	Semester 1
WEIGHT TRAIN 2	01 01 - S2 - 015 - Eric S. Sanders	1501350	015	MTWHF	16-107	Semester 2
PRE-AICE MATH 2 IG	02 02 - 018 - Kenesha Shakira Lewis	1209820	018	MTWHF	09-109	Full Year
PRE-AICE CHEM IG	03 03 - 002 - Ashley N Neathery	2003372	002	MTWHF	09-212	Full Year
AP HUMAN GEOG	04 04 - 001 - Frederick R. Tyler	2103400	001	MTWHF	03-102	Full Year
PRE-AICE SPAN 2 IG	05 05 - 001 - Heidi Emerson	0708534	001	MTWHF	09-222	Full Year
GUJAR 1	06 06 - 002 - Art TBA	1301320	002	MTWHF	17-102	Full Year
AICE ENG GEN	07 07 - 003 -	1009400D	003	MTWHF	02-113	Full Year

Student Schedule Changes

- **ONLY FOR**
 - Clerical errors
 - Student has too few or too many classes
 - Student has already earned credit for the class
 - Student has failed prerequisite for the class
 - Leveling of classes
- **QR Code**

	5	6
	<i>schedule changes!</i>	
	12	13



Goals for Today

- Walk the campus (maps provided)
- Student IDs (made in Media Center)
- Learn about clubs, athletics, and activities (in the cafeteria)
- FOCUS/Parent Portal & School Cafe access help will be available in the cafeteria.