

PALATINE HIGH SCHOOL BUCKET LIST

- ☐ Get loud with the Red Ryders at a home athletic event
- ☐ Make a personalized handshake with at least one of the security staff
- ☐ Take a selfie with Pirate Pete
- ☐ Go all out for the spirit week daily themes
- ☐ Join at least one club/activity or athletic team
- ☐ Go to Cane's and order a box combo
- ☐ Compete with a team at Ray Mills Trivia Night (April)
- ☐ Contribute in some way to one of our Poolza's
- ☐ Try a Long John at Spunky Dunkers
- ☐ Participate in Health and Cultural fests during lunch
- ☐ Bust a move with Mr. Rivera on Friday mornings in the main hallway
- ☐ Go to Napoli's Pizza during lunch and order their student special (Slice of Pizza and drink)
- ☐ Make a TikTok video with our amazing media center staff
- ☐ Persuade a teacher into ordering old school chocolate chip cookies from the PHS cafe staff for your class



PALATINE HIGH SCHOOL LINGO

- **RED RYDERS** - Student body fan group typically found at Athletic events
- **PIRATE PETE** - PHS mascot name
- **MOTTO** - Once a Pirate, Always a Pirate
- **MEDIA CENTER** - Library, technology, test makeup, SSC are all located here. The Media Center is located on the 2nd floor with entry access in the Social Studies wing for students
- **SSC** - Student Success Center (Tutoring), all core subjects have a teacher available for tutoring during all periods and select days before and after school, located within the Media Center
- **MATH TUTORING** - Available during all periods and select days before and after school, located on the 3rd floor in the Math wing (room 360)
- **TEST MAKE-UP** - Available 7:45 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. during the school week, located within the Media Center
- **AP RESOURCE CENTER** - Available Teachers during 1-7 periods, Student Tutors during 3-6 period, located within the Media Center
- **STUDENT SERVICES** - All students are assigned to a pod in Student Services, access to your counselor, social worker, psychologist, and administrator are located within your pod, Student Services is located within the main office
- **SUPPORT COUNSELORS** - If your counselor is not available to meet with you in a crisis situation, you have access to meet with any of our support counselors available in the Resource Pod, the resource pod is located within the main office
- **PIRATE COVE** - Resources and food pantry accessible to students and families
- **PIRATE BOOSTERS** - Parent Supporters
- **SRO** - School Resource Officer (Officer Cohen), office is located in the Resource Pod
- **CAREER ADVISOR** - Staff member available to discuss post high school options and provides career treks (shadowing opportunities) for students to learn more about a career, desk is located in the College/Career area within the Media Center
- **PHS TECH HELPDESK** - If you have problems with your iPad or any technology accounts, stop by the Tech HelpDesk in the Media Center
- **COLLEGE NIGHT** - District-wide event with over 150 colleges and universities attending; opportunity for students to meet and make connections with school
- **1ST GEN COLLEGE NIGHT** - Opportunity for students and families interested in college but no one in the family has attended or completed a college degree
- **LATE START DAYS** - Some Tuesdays when educators meet in the morning to collaborate and develop new interventions, evaluate curriculum and review data to meet the needs of students
- **TRUSTED ADULT** - Someone in the building that you could go to if you were in need
- **MY SCHOOL BUCKS** - The platform utilized to pay for items for school
- **POWER OF 15** - The District 211 philosophy that students graduate from high school with 15 college credits (through Advanced Placement (AP) or dual credit (DC))
- **SCHOOLGY** - Web-based platform through which your teachers organize and deliver your class content
- **INFINITE CAMPUS** - Portal through which students registered, scheduled, and grades are posted (academic progress is tracked)
- **MAIA LEARNING** - Comprehensive web-based platform through which students explore, organize and plan their HS career and their post high school plans
- **ATTENDANCE** - Tardy (late to class but there within 7 min. Of the bell ringing) vs Truant (More than 7 min. Late: may lose credit for that day and will have to talk with Dean of Attendance or team Admin)
- **"TIME AND PLACE" / "KISS AND FLY"** - Think before you act and say goodbye to your friends and significant others with enough time to get to class on time
- **EL** - English Learners

