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Dear Year 3 Parents/Guardians:

It may seem early, but now is the time to begin thinking about the end of your child's middle school experience. We have several promotional activities planned!



Tuesday, May 14, 2024: Year 3 Celebration of Excellence at 6:30 pm in PVMS Gym

Friday, May 17, 2024: Year 3 Universal Studios'/Islands of Adventure's Gradventure

Thursday, May 23, 2024: Year 3 Dance from 6-8 p.m. at LOLHS (Tickets go on sale 4th quarter)

Friday, May 24, 2024: Year 3 Donuts, Lunch and Field Day (Tickets go on sale 4th quarter)

On **Friday, May 17th** students are off to Orlando to celebrate the end of their middle school years with other Year 3 students from around the state at Universal Studios' / Islands of Adventure's Gradventure. Tickets will go on sale 2nd quarter in Rycor and will be on a first come first served basis.

On **Thursday, May 23rd**, Year 3 students are invited to dress their best and dance the night away at Land O' Lakes High School. Snacks, beverages and great memories are included. The theme and more information will be announced, as we get closer to the dance. Tickets will go on sale after we return from spring break.

The last day of school, **Friday, May 24th**, Students get to celebrate with water slides, field day games, food and fun with a wrap up clap out. Tickets will go on sale after we return from spring break



Friday, May 17, 2024, our Year 3 class of 2028 is invited to Universal Studio /Islands of Adventure’s Gradventure. This is an end of middle school celebration for students from across Florida. All eligible* Year 3 students are invited to participate in this exciting evening of fun and entertainment. The cost of this trip alone will be \$190.00 per student (does not include the dance or field day). This includes bus transportation to/from Orlando, admission to both theme parks, a dinner voucher, a clear drawstring bag, and the official End of Year (EOY) Year 3 shirt. The buses will depart Pine View Middle School at approximately 3:00 p.m. on Friday, May 17th and will return to the Publix at Collier Commons at approximately 2:00 a.m. on Saturday, May 18th. Your punctuality in picking up your son/daughter is very much appreciated. **Please note that students must be in attendance the entire school day.** Additionally, students will not be allowed to walk or ride a bike home after returning to school and thus must have transportation arranged at the end of the evening. **A \$60.00 deposit is due by Tuesday, October 31st to hold a spot.**

Gradventure will not be available to sign up for after this date, and seats are on a first come first serve basis and could fill up before Tuesday, October 31st. A waitlist will be offered in that event.

The final deadline to turn in all the money will be Friday, March 1st.

All monies submitted for end of year activities are non-refundable after Friday, March 1, 2024.

Parents can pay either by money order, check or credit card using Rycor through your myStudent Parent Portal. Or students can bring payment(s) to the front desk to include Cash or Check (made payable to Pine View Middle School (please include a student number and a contact phone number on the check) Students may pay the entire cost up front or just the deposit to start.

***Student Eligibility/Safety**

We believe in affording our students the opportunity to participate in rewarding experiences. In order to accomplish our goal, it is necessary to provide a safe and orderly environment. As a result, our staff has developed the following criteria: Students must meet individual class, team and administrative guidelines to be eligible to attend any of the end-of-year activities. Being on-track for promotion to high school. For safety reasons, we may choose to deny attendance to students that have exhibited poor or questionable behavior at any time prior to each of the end-of-year activities.

Event	Behavior	Refunds
Gradventure	August 10 th , 2022- May 19, 2023: No more than 1 Level 1 referral. No level 2 or 3 referrals.	No refunds will be given beginning March 3, 2023
Year 3 Dance	August 10, 2022- May 22, 2023: No more than 2- Level 1 referrals OR 1-Level 2 referral. No Level 3 referrals.	No refunds will be given beginning May 3, 2023
Year 3 Field Day	August 10, 2022- May 23, 2023: No more than 3-Level 1 referrals OR 2- Level 2 referrals, No level 3 referrals.	No refunds will be given beginning May 3, 2023

There will be no refunds granted for any reason after the Friday, March 1st deadline for Gradventure tickets.

Chaperones

All chaperones consist of PVMS teachers/staff. The chaperone ratio will be 1:10 which meets both the district and Universal Studios' chaperone requirements.

Dress Code

All students will be required to dress in accordance with Universal Studios' and Pasco County's Student Code of Conduct Dress Code. **It will also be required that each student wear their official EOY Year 3 t-shirt for the duration of the event. EOY Year 3 t-shirts may not be altered in any way. Students not wearing their unaltered, official EOY t-shirt will not be permitted on the bus.**

Payment Information/Forms

It is our goal to give every Year 3 student an opportunity to attend all the end of the year activities. Once the \$60 deposit is made by Tuesday, October 31st families can choose to continue to make payments until the final due date of Friday, March 1st using Rycor at any time. Spots/tickets are forfeited to the next person on the waitlist if not paid off by the end of day Friday, March 1st. To reserve a ticket and/or a spot in any or all of the activities, families must complete the online form (see below) and pay the minimum deposit of \$60 or full payment by Tuesday, October 31st.

Tickets go on Rycor for purchase: September 18, 2023

\$60.00 Deposit due: Tuesday, October 31st

All balances MUST be paid in full by Friday, March 1st

Students with outstanding balances will not be allowed to attend End-of-Year events.

Refunds

No refunds will be given for any of the EOY activities after the payment deadline date of Friday, March 1st. Tickets purchased for this event are valid only for Gradventure on May 17, 2024. Therefore, students purchasing a ticket must govern themselves in a way that will allow them to remain eligible to attend this trip.

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In addition to behavior and referrals, any student who has not earned their middle school credits and is not on track for promotion to high school will not be eligible for any of the EOY activities.

Any infractions after the no refund date may be appealed in writing to Principal Jennifer Warren jwarren@pasco.k12.fl.us for consideration to attend the desired event. No appeals will be considered after the dates below. No refunds for events consistent to specified dates if appeal outcome does not warrant participation. Appeals must present new evidence that was not part of the investigation and/or determination of disciplinary action.

No Refunds	Dates to Appeal
Gradventure- March 1st	May 1st– May 3rd
Dance- May 10th	May 17 th
Field Day- May 10th	May 20 th - May 22 nd

Year 3 Activity Registration Form (Required with payment):

Complete this form using the QR code by Tuesday, October 31st **along** with the minimum \$60.00 deposit to reserve your spot. Gradventure seats are first come first serve, if all the seats fill before Tuesday, October 31, 2023 then a waitlist will be started for those still interested.

This form alone will not reserve your spot, a deposit must be made on Rycor.

<https://pyms.pasco.k12.fl.us/mform/view.php?id=239286>



5 STEPS TO GETTING A HIGH FIVE FROM YOUR YEAR 3 STUDENT AND SMOOTH ENDING TO THE 23-24 SCHOOL YEAR!

