



PATHFINDER CAREER ACADEMY
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PANTHER PRINTS

October 2024

Panther Updates!

Dear Students, Families, and Staff,

As we embrace this beautiful fall season, I want to take a moment to reflect on the progress we've made together since the start of the 2024-2025 school year. We are focusing on academic growth, engagement, and community building. Our teachers and staff are dedicated to ensuring that each student feels supported, challenged, and inspired in their education journey. I encourage you to stay connected with the wonderful learning experiences Pathfinder offers our students. Your involvement plays a vital role in the success of your child(ren). I am grateful for the collaboration and positivity of our school community. Together, we are making strides toward excellence, and I look forward to what the rest of the year will bring.

Warm regards,

Susan Hayward Ph.D. -Head of School

Important Dates



Friday 10/11/2024- Community Day
Monday 10/14/2024- Columbus Day (No School)
Monday 10/28/2024-Friday 10/31/2024- SPIRIT WEEK
Wednesday 10/23/2024- End of Quarter 1

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SCAN FOR
SPIRIT WEEK
INFO

Panther PBIS



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MORE INFO!



We are so excited to launch our schoolwide framework that helps provide a safe and positive learning environment for ALL students! Our PBIS model is based on evidence and data focused on social, emotional, behavioral, and academic needs.

Career Technical Education Programs



Our CTE Programs are in full force! On September 10th, Pathfinder's first official cohort of 10th & 11th graders began their career tech education journey at Pathfinder! Studying business, I.T., health science, construction, education & family consumer science, our students are eager and excited to transform their learning into the practical skills needed to be successful in the workforce! We can't wait to see our scholars progress in taking charge of their future!



CHECK OUT A RECAP
OF OUR CTE PARENT INFO
SESSION HERE!

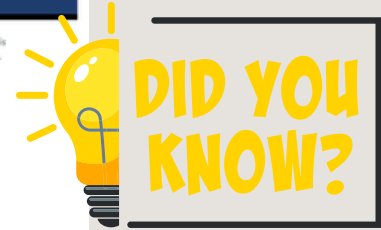
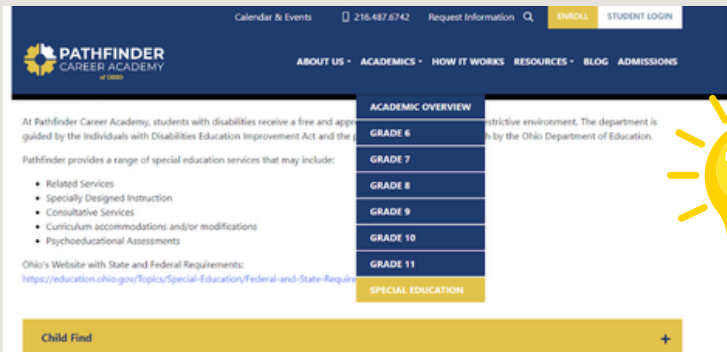
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Special Education Services

Did you know? Information about Special Education Services is available on our website!

CHECK IT OUT!



If you suspect that your child may be in need of Special Education Services, please talk with your child's Advisory Teacher. If you and the teacher agree that the student is not making progress in his or her general education classes and that lack of progress is not due to a lack of engagement, a referral can be made for Multi Tiered Systems and Supports within your child's grade level team. Academic interventions will be implemented which could include:

- Extra help with assignments in a small group pull out setting
- Evidence based interventions and remedial teaching through My Path
- Close monitoring of the child's progress in each class
- Additional supports as the team deems necessary

As we monitor your child's progress with these interventions and supports, we will work closely with you to guide you through the evaluation process to determine if your child has a suspected disability and if they will qualify for Special Education and Related Services.

A MESSAGE FROM THE COUNSELING TEAM:

Hello Pathfinder Families!

It has been an exciting start to the 2024-2025 school year. We are honored to be part of your student's educational journey. Our goal is to help guide their academic pathway and personal growth through interaction with you and your students. We believe that fostering a positive relationship between school and home provides the foundation for success. As your child's school counselors we are always available to address any concerns you may have.



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Thank you to our September Future Friday Guest Speakers!

Mr. Tim Schriemer, Procurement Manager at Wendy's Quality Supply Chain Co-Op
Ms. Halle Buescher, NASA Engineer
Ms. Halle Hovance, BSN - Hospice of the Western Reserve
Ms. Abby Kilpatrick, Clinical Research Assistant for the Ohio State College of Nursing
Ms. Justine DeFrancesco, International Teacher - Berlin, Germany
Ms. Cate Adams, International Teacher - Beijing, China



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