

We will start the orientation at 8:40.

Please be sure your name on Zoom is your given name so we can easily identify you. If you don't already know, you can click the three dots next your photo to make changes

Welcome to 7th Grade at POCS

Ms. Worstell - Math & Science
Mrs. McDonough - English & History

Welcome to POCS

Home of the Timberwolves

Piner-Olivet Charter School is committed to providing high-quality education to our diverse student body. We achieve our goals through a challenging curriculum, quality teachers, and an atmosphere that emphasizes communication and cooperation. Together, these elements create a safe and engaging learning environment in which all students can excel.

Meet Ms. Worstell



Welcome to POCS! My name is Ms. Worstell. I teach 7th grade Math and Science. I have been teaching for 23 years. This will be my 12th year teaching at POCS. I do not have children of my own, but I do enjoy spending time with my nephews. I am not married, but have a wonderful partner. I love all type of animals, but do not currently have pets of my own. In my free time, I enjoy traveling, reading, cycling, hiking, camping, kayaking, and practicing yoga.

I have taught many different grade levels and subjects, but middle school Math and Science is my favorite! Virtual learning is new to all of us. I will be learning right along with you. You may be experiencing some strong emotions about it.! Don't worry, you are not alone! I may not know exactly how everything is going to happen, but I do know we are going to have a great year! I will challenge you, but always respect you. You will be a leader and be lead. Use your creativity and curiosity. Work hard but have some fun too.I will expect you to become directly involved in your learning and work toward your highest potential. I will create a safe and positive environment in which respect, responsibility, cooperation, kindness, and effort are expected.

Meet Mrs. McDonough



I would like to introduce myself to those of you who don't know me very well. I have been married for a very long time; my husband's name is Joe. We have two kids, 4 dogs, and a cat. My daughter, Kaitlyn, is almost 24, and she is teaching High School Agriculture at Santa Rosa High School. My son, Trevor, just turned 19, and he is in Idaho at lineman school and loving every minute of it. In our spare time, we have also raised Guide Dogs for the Blind. It's a very time-consuming volunteerism but also very rewarding.

I have been teaching in the Piner-Olivet School District for 20 years where I have taught grades 5th, 6th, 7th and 8th. This will be my 14th year teaching at POCS. I truly love teaching middle school students and focusing on the English and History curriculum. As your teacher, I expect that you will come to class prepared to learn and do your personal best in all that you do. I will support you in becoming better organized, more responsible, respectful of others, resourceful, and reflective. I want each of you to feel at home in our classroom community and have fun while learning.

Virtual Learning and Virtual Teaching is a new avenue for us all. There will be some areas that I have expertise and some that I will be learning right along with you. Please remember to fully participate and put forth your best effort in to your future as a lifelong learner.

Communication

Ms. Worstell - jworstell@pousd.org

Mrs. McDonough - jmcdonough@pousd.org

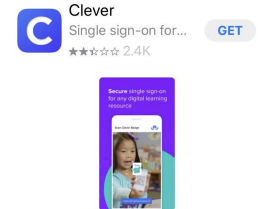
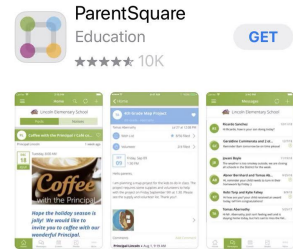
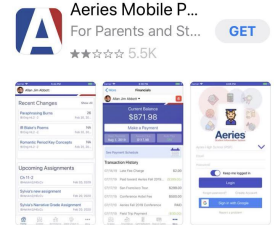
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Office Manager - Karen Wofford - kwofford@pousd.org

POCS Principal - Kirsten Sanft - ksanft@pousd.org



Schedule

	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri
8:40 - 10:40	Block 1	Block 1	8:40 - 9:40 Block 1	Block 1	Block 1
			9:40 - 10:40 Block 2		
10:40 - 11:00	Break	Break	Independent Learning time	Break	Break
11:00 - 1:00	Block 2	Block 2		Block 2	Block 2
Worstell Office hours	1:30-2:30 pm	1:30-2:30 pm	11-12 pm	1:30-2:30 pm	1:30-2:30 pm
McDonough Office hours	1-2 pm	1-2 pm	8-8:30 am	1-2 pm	8-8:30 am

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Morning Routine 8:40 - 9:00 am

Each morning before your first Zoom Meeting:

- ★ Be dressed appropriately for class
- ★ Gather materials and assignments needed for the day
 - Are your devices fully charged?
- ★ Organize your work space
- ★ Log in and open your email, Google Classroom and the website
- ★ Respond to emails as needed
 - Keep emails organized and delete completed items
- ★ Organize your Google Drive as needed
- ★ Join your Zoom Meeting by 8:55 am
- ★ Keep your “work” windows open for Block 2 Zoom Meeting

Necessary Supplies

Binder paper - college ruled (*100+ sheets stored neatly in binder at all times*)

#2 pencils - (3-4 in backpack at all times)

(If your child prefers mechanical pencils, be sure he/she has lots of lead and eraser refills!)

Pencil sharpeners with shavings catch (1 in backpack)

Large eraser

5 red fine tip ballpoint pens (not markers)

10-12 blue/black pens

Glue sticks

Scissors

Basic calculator

****Let your teachers know if you need help with supplies****

Small Whiteboard

2 - Whiteboard markers - (not yellow)

Small whiteboard erasers for personal use (cloth works well)

Colored pencils - Crayola are best (Optional)

2- 70-page notebooks, 8 1/2 x 11, college ruled, Single subject, spiral notebooks for Math/Science

1- Composition Book for History - college ruled

3"x3" post-it notes

Post-it notes / flags in other sizes

Highlighters - 1 each pink, blue, yellow, & green

3x5 index cards

Earbuds/Headphones

Attendance/Absences

Attendance - Daily attendance will be taken during Zoom Lives each day, and you will be expected to fully participate. If you will be absent, please email your teachers before the start of the Live Zoom. Parents should notify the office: kwofford@pousd.org

Absent Work – It is your responsibility to check Google Classroom and complete any work you missed while you were absent. Ask for help if needed. Your homework will not be marked late for an excused absence. For daily assignments, you have one day for every day you are absent to complete the work. Known long-term projects are due the day you return to school.

Late Work – Daily work that is not submitted on time will earn half credit. All late work must be turned in by the following Monday. (unless you have an extenuating circumstance)

Projects and writing assignments will be lowered ONE letter grade each week it is turned in late.

Expectations

Foundational Expectations

- ★ Be safe
- ★ Be respectful
- ★ Be responsible

These expectations are important even during Virtual Learning (VL).

EXPECTATIONS ZOOM Classroom

1. Show up! (on time, log in 5 minutes early)
2. Be Respectful!
3. Enter on mute.
4. Video must be on at all times
5. Your name visible on Zoom
6. Sit at a workstation
7. Find a quiet place or wear earbuds.
8. Stay on task and focused.
9. Use two devices if available.
10. Sign in with **school** email.

Learning Platforms

These are the platforms that will be used throughout our Virtual Learning. Additional platforms may be added, and some may be used more than others. Please expect to log into Google Classroom, Gmail and Google Calendar on a daily basis.

- ❖ Google Classroom
- ❖ Gmail and Google Calendar
- ❖ Zoom
- ❖ FlipGrid
- ❖ Typing.com
- ❖ ReadWorks
- ❖ NewsELA
- ❖ Nearpod
- ❖ Khan Academy
- ❖ Mathia
- ❖ CK-12
- ❖ Edpuzzle
- ❖ FossWeb (Science)

Today's Class

Ms. Worstell

Homeroom Block 1: Join Zoom Meeting

<https://zoom.us/j/93830978586?pwd=czV5UlhvWCtyUUVUeFNFeXgrO1hGUT09>

Meeting ID: 938 3097 8586

Passcode: 824346

Block 2: Join Zoom Meeting

<https://zoom.us/j/95484993563?pwd=d1RtdFhSMWswM0I2YmhWYIZYZXNKdz09>

Meeting ID: 954 8499 3563

Passcode: 254660

Mrs. McDonough

Homeroom/Block 1: Join Zoom Meeting <https://us04web.zoom.us/j/79642805835?pwd=M24xRIMxVUI4Z2ZBWk9aalZYcTJnUT09>

Meeting ID: 796 4280 5835, Passcode: B8UPdD

Block 2: Join Zoom Meeting <https://us04web.zoom.us/j/79238466581?pwd=bG95VEVLQjc2ME1TbHJBdjF3SWpvdz09>

Meeting ID: 792 3846 6581, Passcode: 8rTxbd

Welcome Zoom

Janet McDonough is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Topic: 7th Grade Orientation with Ms. Worstell & Mrs. McDonough

Time: Aug 17, 2020 08:30 AM Pacific Time (US and Canada)

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/76114931857?pwd=REd0c0x1T0k2dIVVSDJ2N1JtRHJ2dz09>

Meeting ID: 761 1493 1857

Passcode: 5jNq1s