

6th Grade Expectations

Changing Expectations

When more is expected, more is achieved!

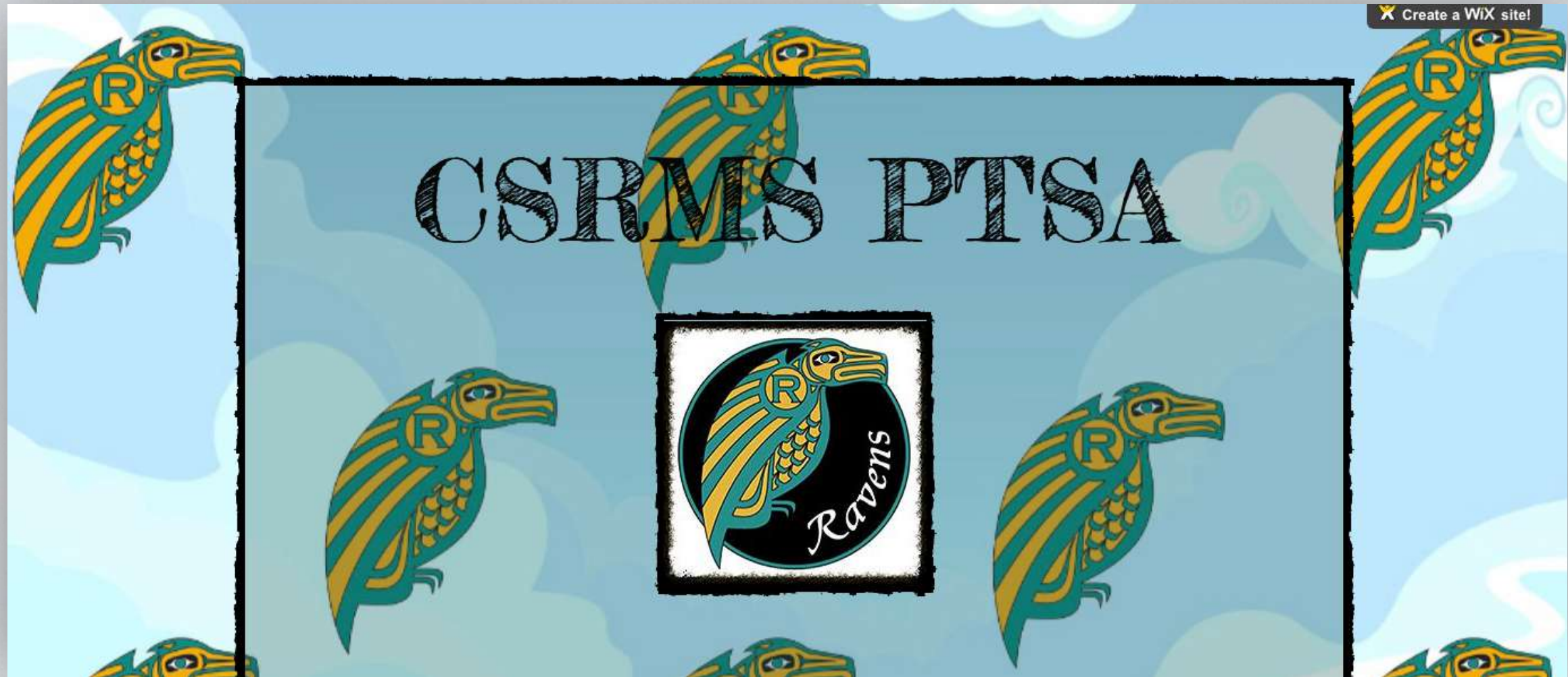


CHARLES S. RUSHE MIDDLE SCHOOL

Home of the Ravens

Parent Teacher Student Association (PTSA)

Welcome from our PTSA Board



Raven Claws



Be Respectful To students and staff

Be Responsible Be accountable and dependable

Be a Problem Solver Always look for solutions to problems



E-Sembler

An **online grade book** that allows students and parents to monitor student progress, review what has been covered in each class, and in some cases, lists what is planned for the upcoming days/weeks.

Preferences allow parents and students to receive communication via email/text message when grades have been entered or when grades fall below a specified level.

- **Students and parents can establish their own account**
- **Students must register at the beginning of each school year**
- **In order for students/parents to register, you will need the following information:**
 - **e-mail address**
 - **student's birth date and social security number**

Welcome to Pasco County Schools eSembler!

For assistance please email: esemblerhelp@pasco.k12.fl.us

PASCO STAFF ONLY: To reset/set your eSembler/ESS/PlanMaker password [Click here](#)

Parent/Student need to create an account every school year.

NOTE: If student data is not matching, (ex. last 4 of SS#) please contact the registrar or data entry operator at your school to verify the information.

Announcements For Administrators

TEACHERS: 4th Qtr. Progress Report grades are due by 9 am on Thursday 4/23/15. Thank you.

To access eSembler for 2014 [Click here](#)

To access eSembler for 2013 [Click here](#)


To access eSembler for 2012 [Click here](#)

To reset/change your eSembler/ESS password [Click here](#)

To log onto SchoolConnects [Click here](#)

Parents & Students

If you're a parent or student and you need gradebook access, please [click here](#) to create a new account!

 Create New Account

Sign up for an account after school starts in August.

Electronics Policy



These rules are specific to common areas such as cafeteria, hallways, bathrooms, locker rooms, track, bus and car loop, etc.

Students are responsible for their own devices. Do not lend your phone or borrow a phone from another student.

All electronic devices should be kept on Silent Mode. Not complying with this rule will result in disciplinary action.

Students are allowed to use electronics in the hallways and cafeteria freely as long as they abide by the rules above.

Electronic privileges can be revoked if students do not respect the policies and procedures in place.

Electronics Policy - continued

There is absolutely no use of electronics allowed in any restrooms or locker rooms. Electronics should be put away at all times.

Taking of pictures or videos is not allowed on campus unless authorized by your teacher for educational purposes.

Making phone calls is prohibited from the moment you come on campus to the moment you leave. If students need to use a phone, they are asked to go to the front office.



Student Supplies

Please remember that we don't have lockers for the students. *They will carry all their supplies, books, and belongings all day to each of their classes.*

Therefore, always consider trying to buy the lightest and less bulky products to save space and weight in your child's backpack.

As well, please always make sure to provide your student with the basic materials such as:

- Pens/Pencils
- Paper
- Folders
- Binders/Notebooks



Student Attendance

There are only *180 school days* in an academic year.

If a student misses:

1 day of school = they miss **270 minutes** of instruction

3 days of school = they miss **810 minutes** of instruction

5 days of school = they miss **1,350 minutes** of instruction

10 days of school = they miss **2,700 minutes** of instruction

15 days of school = they miss **4,500 minutes** of instruction



EVERY
SCHOOL DAY
COUNTS

Student Attendance

- When possible, please **provide 24 hours notice of absences.** A written note or email to the principal and team teachers will suffice.
- **Students are responsible for any missed work.**
- Excused absences are granted for:
 - Illness of the student or major illness of an immediate family member
 - Death of a student's immediate family
 - Religious holidays; religious instruction
 - Trips deemed appropriate by the principal and approved in advance

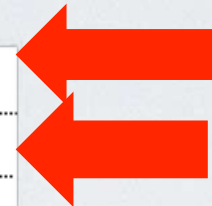
Bell Schedule

CSRMS 2014-2015 BELL/LUNCH SCHEDULE(S)

as of 9/11/14

Period 1	8:40-9:32
Period 2	9:35-10:25
Period 3	10:28-11:18
Period 4	11:21-12:11
Period 5	12:14-1:04
Period 6	1:07-1:57
Period 7	2:00-2:50

A Lunch	10:28 - 11:18	6A, 6B, 6Y
B Lunch	11:21 - 12:11	6C, 7H, 7J
C Lunch	12:14 - 1:04	8G, 7K, 7L
D Lunch	1:07 - 1:57	8D, 8E, 8F



The **1st floor** is primarily all the **6th grade teams**. There is one 6th grade team that is stationed outside in the **portables**. There are other classes stationed outside in the portables as well.

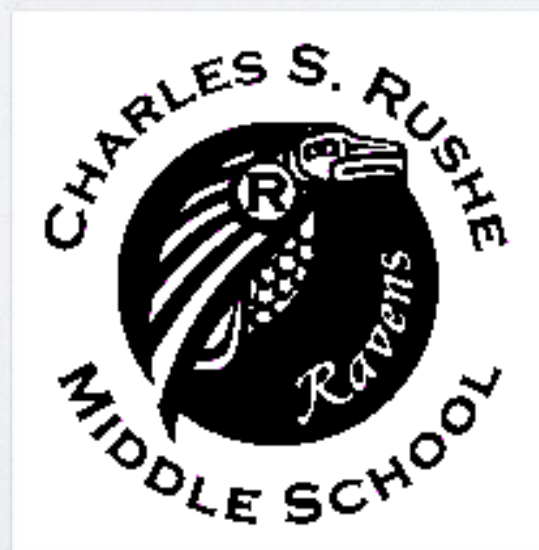
CSRMS 14-15 ACTIVITY BELL SCHEDULE

Period 1	8:40 - 9:23
Period 2	9:26 - 10:09
Period 3	10:12 - 10:55
Period 4	10:58 - 11:41
Period 5	11:44 - 12:27
Period 6	12:30 - 1:13
Period 7	1:15 - 1:59
ACTIVITY TIME	2:00 - 2:50

A Lunch	10:12 - 10:55	6A, 6B, 6Y
B Lunch	10:58 - 11:41	6C, 7H, 7J
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The **2nd floor** is primarily **7th grade teams**, including reading and some elective/CCTE classes.

The **3rd floor** is primarily **8th grade teams**, including some CCTE/Elective/Foreign Language classes.



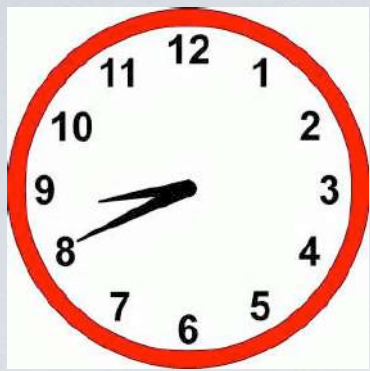
Student Activities (Subject to change)

Although students in 6th grade *cannot* participate in athletics due to Florida High School Athletic Association guidelines, there are many other ways to participate including:

- Students Working Against Tobacco (SWAT)
- Students Taking Action Not Drugs (STAND)
- Future Florida Educators Association (FFEA)
- Fellowship of Christian Athletes (FCA)
- National Junior Honor Society
- Student Council
- Drama Club
- Odyssey of the Mind
- Chess Club
- Color Guard Club
- Rushe Dance Club
- Travel Club
- Book Club



Student
Activities



Supervision



School Hours officially **begin at 8:40 a.m. and end at 2:50 p.m.**

However, there is a warning bell that rings 15 minutes prior to the beginning of class.

Students are *not allowed* in the building until 10 minutes before classes.

The only exception to this is when we start to have cold weather. Students are then allowed to enter the building earlier.

Students *must not be on campus* more than 30 minutes before school (8:10 a.m.) or more than 30 minutes after school (3:20 p.m.) without permission from a staff member.



Dress Code Violation

The Basics:

No sleeveless shirts, tank tops, muscle shirts

No Belly shirts or off-shoulders shirts

No Shirts/sweatshirts with inappropriate print.

No dress or shorts higher than 4" above the knee

No holes in jeans, pants, or shorts above 4" above the knee

No baggy pants with undergarments showing

No spandex, yoga pants, pajamas or leggings

No lace shirts that are see through

Hoods are not permitted to be worn in school

No sunglasses or hats throughout the school day

No high heels/slides (sandals with no backs) allowed

CSRMS is a Bully-Free School

Bullying is repeated unwanted, aggressive behavior among school aged children that involves a real or perceived power imbalance.

If bullied, the following steps will be taken:

Student reports to adult at school.

School investigates (speak with students).

Staff Documents to track patterns of behavior.

Staff Implements appropriate intervention.

If continues:

Contact parents -Involve Corporal and various staff support services

No Contact Agreement is established

If still continues:

Review patterns of behavior, contact both parents

Involve Corporal and various staff support services

More serious consequences are given to terminate this behavior

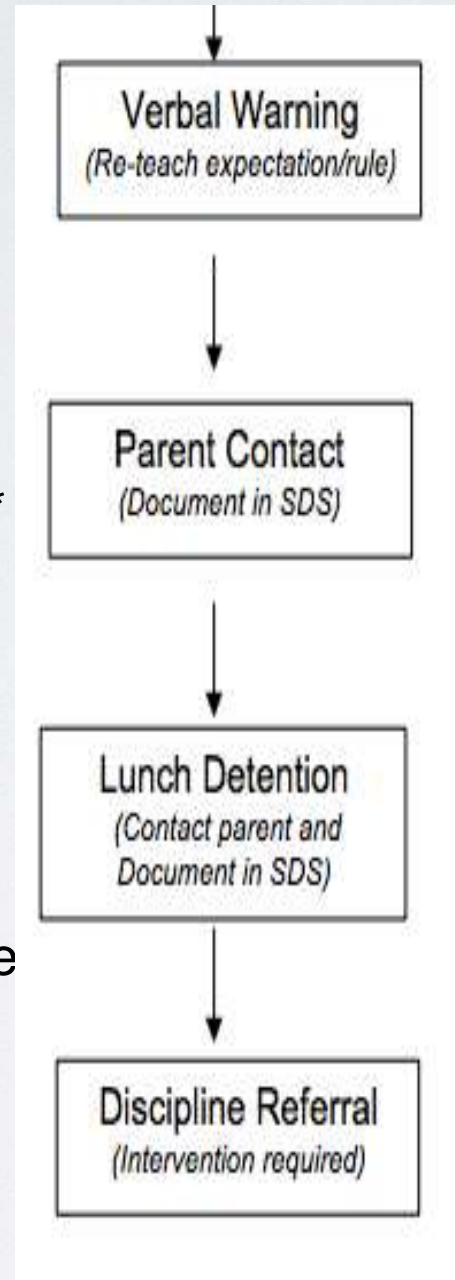


**The most important rule of thumb is: If we don't know, we cant help!
Don't be afraid to end bullying, tell an adult anytime you or someone
you know is dealing with this situation and you can help stop bullying!**

Disciplinary Action-Referral System

Teacher Based

Gum
 Tardies
 Electronic devices
 Cheating or Plagiarism
 Talking in class
 Sleeping in class
 Drinks/Food in class
 Abuse/Misuse of technology *
 Public display of affection*
 Calling out
 Inappropriate attitude *
 Refusing to do work
 Put downs
 Inappropriate comments
 Refusal to follow a reasonable
 Dishonesty *
 Harassment *



Office Based

Fighting or aggressive physical contact
 Possession or selling tobacco, drugs or alcohol
 Possession of weapons, matches or lighters
 Threats
 Bullying
 Harassment
 Aggressive language
 Abuse/Misuse of technology
 Skipping class
 Vandalism
 Major disrespect
 Public display of affection
 Chronic classroom disruptions
 Theft
 Campus disruption
 Truancy
 Dress Code
 Dishonesty
 Misuse of the elevator
 Throwing/Propelling objects
 Chronic minor infractions

