



Dear Parents and Guardians:

Happy Valentine's Day to your household. We hope this letter finds you staying warm and able to enjoy some cozy time together. This month, at PPHS, we have Mid-Quarter for Quarter 3 and Parent-Teacher Conferences. Whether or not you have specific teachers you wish to meet with, please plan to come to the conferences. Meeting with the teachers is the best way to help us establish a solid line of communication that will benefit the students. We continue to work every day for positive relationships with you and the students. Thank you for connecting with us so we can be a team for them.

Sincerely,
Principal Carey Johnson



EBOOKS ARE HERE! *A note from the Media Center & Mrs. Bates*

Ebooks are now available to all Parkers Prairie High School staff and students. Ebooks are available on any digital screen: desktops, laptops, tablets, iPads, smartphones and e-readers. The titles come in multiple formats, which makes access quick and easy. The book titles include novels that are assigned in class, as well as a collection of titles from Ebooks Minnesota. Go ahead and browse the collection! Titles are also available to staff and students off site. You can either "Open" and read directly or "Check Out". To have the title available offline, you must download it to your device first.



PaySchools: It's Here!

Parkers Prairie Schools is now working with Pay Schools to allow parents to do online payments for lunch accounts. If all goes smoothly, we hope to rollout PaySchools for other fees in the future. User reviews are in, and it is easy and convenient for parents to use.

There is a link at the school website with further details. www.isd547.com





Did you know you are able to set alerts to your email accounts through JMC for your son or daughter?



This simple to use setup is in the parent portal when you log into JMC. Look under "Academics", and then click on "Alert Configurations". You can use the alerts to notify you on missing assignments, grade cutoffs of your choosing (i.e. a course grade lower than a 75%), lunch balances, and/or period attendance. Setup is under your control because you make the decisions on what notifications you receive. It will email the primary contacts and the student with the information. It is a fast way to keep your student current with grades and you connected with the JMC information you prefer the most.



HAVE A VERY HAPPY FEBRUARY!



Upcoming Dates to Remember

- February 19-20: Presidents Day Break: No School
- February 21: Dollars For Scholars Meeting 5:45 in Media Center
- February 22: Elementary School Family Fun Night
- February 26: Parent Teacher conferences 3:30-7:30 p.m.