

# RAIDER UPDATE

September 7, 2025



## UPCOMING EVENTS:

September 12

Last Day for Class Changes

First REACH Friday

September 29

6:30 PM Booster Club

7:00 PM School Council

September 30

NO CLASSES - 

National Day for Truth and Reconciliation

[Visit our website to see full calendar of events.](#)

## ATTENDANCE REMINDERS

- Attendance **MUST** be reported by calling **403-314-2017** or via email to [lt-attendance@rdpsd.ab.ca](mailto:lt-attendance@rdpsd.ab.ca)
- If you are leaving a phone message please be sure to speak clearly and spell the last name
- Guardians have one week from the date of the absence to verify. Any absences not verified after a week has passed, will remain unverified in our system.
- Students are required to maintain a 90% attendance rate to take part in school activities. Activities include; the graduation ceremony, field trips, dances, athletics, band and choir concerts and school celebrations, etc.

Please only send **ONE** email or phone call. We receive hundreds of attendance verifications daily. It often takes our office staff the full school day to finish entering all messages. If we receive duplicate messages for the same absence it will take longer to complete.

## ATHLETICS

Grade 9 Volleyball Tryouts - **September 8-11**

Golf Tryouts - **September 7-8**

Visit our **Athletics website** for schedules and more information throughout the year

SEPTEMBER 12

### FRIDAY SCHEDULE

BLOCK 01	8:33 AM - 9:28 AM
BLOCK 03	9:33 AM - 10:28 AM
BLOCK 05	10:33 AM - 11:28 AM
BLOCK 07	11:33 AM - 12:28 PM
LUNCH	12:28 PM - 1:06 PM
CONNECTIONS	1:11 PM - 1:31 PM
REACH BLOCK 01	1:36 PM - 2:21 PM
REACH BLOCK 02	2:26 PM - 3:11 PM



## PARKING REMINDERS

- Students are **NOT** permitted to park in the visitor or staff parking lots at anytime
- Visitors who are parked in the visitor lot **MUST** register at the main office
- Students **MUST** have a **parking pass** displayed in order to park in the designated student lots (*passes can be purchased for \$10 at the bookstore*)
- The drive through bus lane and staff parking lot are **NOT** to be used by students or parents for drop off
- Speed limit is **30km/h** (7am - 9pm)

Congratulations to  
the cast of Newsies!

Follow @thurbertheatre on Instagram for behind-the-scenes sneak peeks, rehearsal highlights, and ticket info coming soon!

### CAST LIST

LOOKING FOR PIT BAND



Piano  
Bass  
Cello  
Trumpet

See Mrs. Mann in the band room!

## REACH EXPECTATIONS

- Attend **ALL Connections REACH sessions** associated with your grade level
- Sign up for at least **one core academic** REACH Friday session
- Sign up for **two core academic** REACH Friday sessions **OR one academic** REACH Friday session & **one wellness** REACH session
- Attend **REACH lunch sessions** if you are falling behind or require help  
Lunch REACH 1 = 11:22 a.m. - 11:52 a.m.  
Lunch REACH 2 = 11:52 a.m. - 12:22 p.m.
- Grades 9 & 10 students** are **NOT** permitted in the Cafeteria or the Learning Commons during REACH 1 and REACH 2



**TEACHERS WILL ASSIGN STUDENTS TO REACH BLOCKS IF THEY ARE BEHIND AND STUDENTS ARE REQUIRED TO ATTEND THESE SESSIONS**