Pinkston Middle School



Newsletter
September 7th-11th, 2026



Breakfast

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
31	1	2	3	4
	FRENCH TOAST STICKS	BISCUIT	YOUGURT PARFAIT	PANCAKE ON A STICK
	SYRUP	SAUSAGE	FRUIT	SYRUP
	FRUIT	FRUIT	JUICE	FRUIT
	JUICE	JUICE	MILK	JUICE
	MILK	MILK		MILK

Lunch

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
31	1	2	3	4
	BEEF WALKING TACOS	HAM & CHEESE BOMBERS	SUB SANDWICH	CHICKEN PATTY ON BUN
	PINTO BEANS	SALAD W/ DRESSING	SANDWICH SALAD CUP	SANDWICH SALAD CUP
	SPANISH RICE	MIXED VEGGIES	SUN CHIPS	SIDE KICK
	LET/TOM/SALSA/CHEESE	COOKIE	BAKED BEANS	FRIES
	FRUIT	FRUIT	JELLO + FRUIT	FRUIT
	MILK	MILK	MILK	MILK



Upcoming Dates

September 7th: NO SCHOOL - Labor Day

Sept 21st-24th: ATLAS Interim Testing (be present, sleep well & eat breakfast)

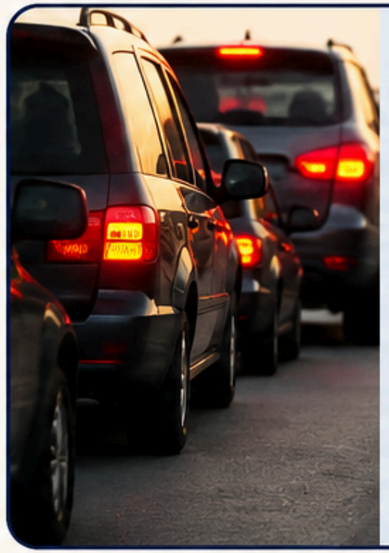
Sept 28th-Oct 2nd: Homecoming Spirit Week

REMINDERS



TRANSPORTATION CHANGE

We do not take transportation change requests **after 2:45pm** everyday. This allows us to maintain the safety of our students and get them to the right place. Thank you for your cooperation! **#GOBOMBERS**



CAR LOADING PROCEDURES

- Stay in line and follow directions from staff.
- No loud music or yelling.
- Students cross in the designated crosswalks.
- Teachers will communicate when to load.



LUNCH GUIDELINES

- All visitors must check in at the front office.
- Please do not open exterior doors to allow others in.
- Please display visitor badge at all times.
- No outside food allowed.
- Only share food with your student.

ABSENCE NOTES

A parent/guardian can submit up to **6 written notes per semester** for excused absences due to illness.

- Notes must be turned in within **5 days** of the absence.
- Send with your child, email to sgunter@mhbombers.com, or FAX to 870-425-1211.

THANK YOU FOR HELPING US KEEP OUR STUDENTS SAFE AND SUCCESSFUL! #GOBOMBERS


FIRE DEPARTMENT
VS.
POLICE DEPARTMENT
CHARITY
RAG BALL
GAME
FIRE
DEPT.
POLICE
& SERVE
GOOD COMPETITION.
GREATER CAUSE.
SEPTEMBER 13 | 5:00 PM
GAME WILL BE HELD AT THE
HIGH SCHOOL SOFTBALL FIELD
OFF WEST ROAD
MOUNTAIN HOME, ARKANSAS

PINKSTON MIDDLE SCHOOL

CAREER CONNECTIONS

2nd Annual!

MOUNTAIN HOME PUBLIC SCHOOLS

A Hands-On Experience







FRIDAY

NOVEMBER 13, 2026

PINKSTON MIDDLE SCHOOL
1301 S. COLLEGE ST., MOUNTAIN HOME, AR

7TH GRADE
8:35 AM – 11:00 AM

6TH GRADE
12:00 PM – 2:25 PM

Explore. Learn. Connect. Dream Big.

STUDENTS WILL:

- **MEET PROFESSIONALS** from a wide variety of careers and industries.
- **HANDS-ON ACTIVITIES** experience careers up close.
- **ASK QUESTIONS** explore interests and discover possibilities.
- **INSPIRE YOUR FUTURE** see where your path can take you!

WE NEED YOU!

LOCAL PROFESSIONALS & BUSINESSES MAKE A DIFFERENCE!

INTERESTED IN PRESENTING?
Scan the QR code to sign up!

Thank you for inspiring our students!

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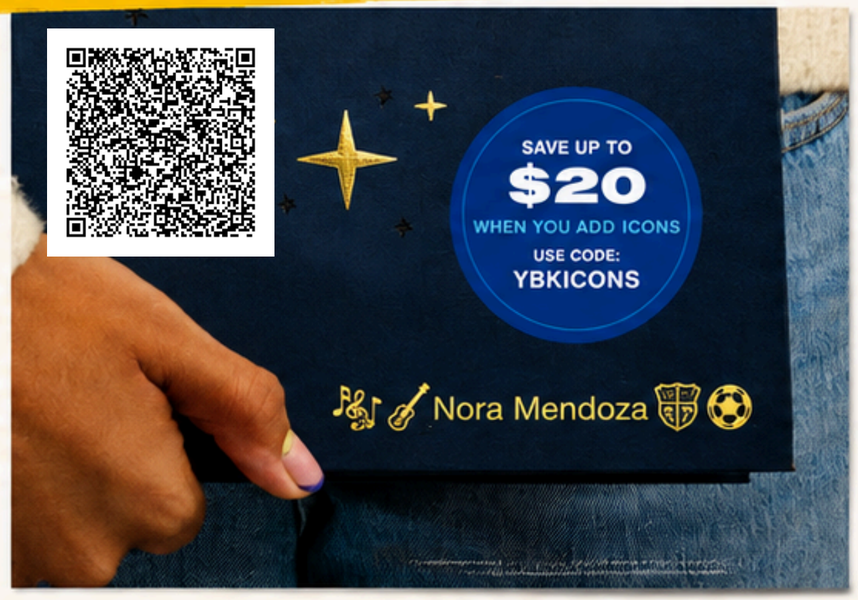
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BOOK CLUB

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A WIN CLASS!

LOVE TO READ? LOVE MYSTERIES?



Join us for a **2-WEEK** book club for readers who love a good mystery!

BEGINS SEPTEMBER 14

Two weeks of reading, clues, discussion, and mystery fun!

THINK YOU CAN SOLVE THE MYSTERY?

Sign up if you're interested!

BOOK CLUB SIGN-UP

Name: _____ Grade: ____

Homeroom Teacher: _____

I'm interested in joining the Book Club! ☑

Why I love mysteries: _____

_____

READ DISCOVER SOLVE

SEE YOU AT THE POLE

WORSHIP & PRAYER

PRESENTED BY FCA

SEPTEMBER 23RD

7:15 AM

MEET AT THE FLAGPOLE
IN FRONT OF PINKSTON
FOR WORSHIP & PRAYER





BIST
A PROGRAM OF CORNERSTONES OF CARE

BIST PARENTING SERIES

Virtual Sessions for Parents & Guardians

FREE & VIRTUAL!

Registration required

Support children. Strengthen families. Build consistency.

FORMAT: Virtual Sessions via Zoom

COST: FREE

AUDIENCE: Parents & Guardians

SERIES DATES:
Sep 17, 2026
Sep 24, 2026
Oct 1, 2026

ABOUT THIS SERIES

As part of ongoing support for families, your child's school is offering a series of classes for parents and guardians through a partnership with the Behavior Intervention Support Team (BIST).

These training sessions are designed to provide ways you can support your child's developing academic and behavior skills, as well as increase consistency between home and school.

TOPICS & DATES

SEPT 17 2026 — **Oh, My Words!:** Being Intentional with What We Say and How We Say It

SEPT 24 2026 — **Grace:** What it IS and What it ISN'T

OCT 1 2026 — **Accountability:** Going Beyond Admission to Ownership

THESE CLASSES ARE DESIGNED TO:

- Create consistency between school and home
- Provide language for adults to use when redirecting children
- Share ways to problem solve to increase your child's success
- Increase generosity and kindness in your children
- Bring a sense of calm to your home

SESSION SCHEDULE (Central Time)

5:45 PM – 6:00 PM	Enter Zoom Waiting Room
6:00 PM – 6:45 PM	Informational Session
6:45 PM – 7:00 PM	Questions and Answers

Please join us for any or all three sessions!

When you register for one, you are registered for them all in this series.

REGISTER ONLINE!

www.bist.org/training-calendar

You will receive an **email** with the Zoom link on or before **noon Central** on the day of each session.

If you do not receive it, contact: **BIST@cornerstonesofcare.org.**

Grace & Jill
PAGEANTRY

SPELLS & SPARKLES

500 Bomber Blvd Mtn Home AR

September 27, 2026

Doors Open 1:00 pm

Pageant Starts 2:00pm

BEAUTY DIVISIONS

BABY 0-18 MONTHS
WEE 19-35 MONTHS
TINY 3-4 YEARS
MR. 0-7 YEARS
LITTLE 5-6 YEARS
PETITE 7-9 YEARS
PRINCESS 10-12 YEARS
JUNIOR 13-15 YEARS
TEEN 16-19 YEARS
MISS 20-30 YEARS
MRS. 31+ YEARS

SIDE AWARDS IN BEAUTY & THEME

PHOTOGENIC

THEME WEAR

MR. 0-7 YEARS
GIRLS 0-18 MTHS
GIRLS 19 MTHS - 4 YEARS
GIRLS 5-9 YEARS
GIRLS 10-14 YEARS
GIRLS 15-19 YEARS
GIRLS 20-30 YEARS
GIRLS 31+ YEARS

SUPREME TITLES

GIRLS 0-18 MTHS
GIRLS 19 MONTHS-4 YEARS
GIRLS 5-9 YEARS
GIRLS 10-14 YEARS
GIRLS 15-19 YEARS
GIRLS 20+ YEARS

$75 ALL IN

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HOSTING AIRPORT VISITS
FOR CLASS FIELD TRIPS OF ALL GRADE LEVELS

CLASSROOM VISITS
ON YOUR CAREER AWARENESS EVENT DAYS'

INSPIRE TODAY. SOAR TOMORROW.

STEM FLIGHTS
EXPLORE. EXPERIENCE. EXCEL.

Local "discovery" flights are also available to any interested student through STEM Flights – a national network of pilots who provide that structured experience.



Please consider the information accessible through this link **https://www.stemflights.org/lesson-plans** and how you might integrate it for the benefit of all your students and their families.



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THE BASICS

WHO CAN ENTER

AGES 10–17

Two divisions judged separately: 10–13 and 14–17.

WHAT TO WRITE

500 WORDS OR LESS

A true story about your own Arkansas outdoor adventure, in your own words.

DEADLINE

MON., OCT. 12

Entries close at 5:00 p.m. Submissions are open now.

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PICK YOUR ADVENTURE

CHOOSE ONE OF SEVEN CATEGORIES

HUNTING · FISHING · BOATING & PADDLING · CLIMBING · CYCLING · CAMPING · HIKING



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16 WINNERS STATEWIDE

One winner is chosen in every category from each age group, for 14 category winners. Two more students, one per age group, are named **My Natural State Story of the Year** and receive an AGFC Lifetime Hunting and Fishing License plus a $500 outdoor gift and experience package. All 16 are invited to a dinner honoring them at the Governor's Mansion.

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AWESOME PRIZES

HUNTING	Banded outdoor prize pack
FISHING	$1,000 PRADCO Fishing prize pack
PADDLING	Canoe Club river school for two, plus gear
CLIMBING	State Parks lodge stay and a guided climb
CYCLING	Ozark Trail mountain bike and OZ Trails day pass
CAMPING	Two nights camping at an Arkansas State Park
HIKING	Crater of Diamonds pass and a Gearhead pack
TOP STORY	AGFC Lifetime License and a $500 package

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READ THIS FIRST

- ✓ Must be a real outdoor experience you had in Arkansas
- ✓ Written in your own words
- ✓ 500 words maximum
- ✓ One category per entry
- ✗ AI-generated entries are not eligible



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SUBMIT YOUR STORY AT

mynaturalstatestory.com

ENTRIES CLOSE

OCT. 12, 2026

5:00 P.M.

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ARKANSAS OUTDOOR EDUCATION INITIATIVE

A partnership of the Arkansas Department of Education, the Arkansas Game and Fish Commission, and Arkansas State Parks, advancing Governor Sanders' Natural State Initiative.

ARKANSAS STATE PARKS

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Have a great weekend!

