# RIVER CITY ACADEMY

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# MARK YOUR CALENDARS

**October 12th**- Early Release, students will be dismissed at 12:40pm. Busses will run 90 minutes early in the afternoon.

October 13th-Inservice, no school.

October 16th - Picture Retake Day for students that want their picture retaken or were absent on Picture Day. Must turn in original picture packet to the photographer if you had ordered pictures and wanting retakes. Order forms can be found in our office.

October 26th & 27th - Student Led Conferences. No School.

# A Message from Principal Shea

The end of the quarter is fast approaching!

RCA will be hosting Student Led Conferences on October 26 & 27th. Students will secure a time with their parent and Mentor soon. This is dedicated time that our students can show their families and Mentor the great progress they have made from the start of the school year. More details to come about Student Led Conferences in the coming weeks.

If you need help with your parent Summit login please reach out to Ms. Amanda in the office.

I am excited to see students owning their work and embracing learning opportunities this year! And I'm excited for them to have an opportunity to share those achievements with you!

-Shea Nash





Permission slips are in the office. We are now transporting students interested in attending this event.

RCA will be hosting PSAT's on October 18th @ 8 am for RCA students.
You must pre-register with Managaret or Amanda.
Test ree is \$20 and must be possible in either cash or check to the RCA officer No refunds.

For 9th-12 graders in at least Geometry or higher.



# **Early Release Dates**

School Dismissal @ 12:40 pm

October 12th
November 9th
December 8th
January 12th
January 26th
February 9th
March 7th
April 12th

We are looking for presenters that can come in to our school and present to our HCC (habits, community, and culture) class on Monday/Wednesday/Friday's from 8:40-9:00. Presenters would be able to share their business or community involvement and help us explore community and career opportunities in different industries.

Please email Shea if you have any ideas! snash@kpbsd.k12.ak.us





### Kenai Peninsula Borough School District Symptom-Free Schools Protocol

he KPBSD Symptom-Free Schools Protocol reviewed and updated August 16. 2023

The purpose of this protocol is to provide a learning environment that is as free of illness as possible, so students and staff of all health levels can participate in school without fear. By extension, this will also promote the safety, health, and welfare of our communities. This applies to students, staff, parents and guardians, volunteers, and any school visitors.

# When to Stay Home from School

Stay home if symptoms include:

- Active vomiting or diarrhea
- Fever, chills, generalized body aches. (Fever threshold will constitute 100.0 degrees Fahrenheit or higher without use of fever-reducing medication like Tylenol or Ibuprofen.)
- Any other symptoms: fever, cough, shortness of breath, chills shaking with chills, muscle pain, runny or congested nose, headache, sore throat, or new loss of taste or smell
  - Parent, guardian, or individual may consider contacting their health care provider or Public Health
- Taking the first 24 hours of antibiotic treatment
- An undiagnosed, new and/or untreated rash or skin condition

## When to Return to School After Illness:

- · May return when fever-free for 24 hours without medication
- May return after taking antibiotics for 24 hours
- May return after free from vomiting for 24 hours
- May return after free from Diarrhea(2 or more bouts) for 24 hours