Our Community
The Pine-Richland School District, located in the north central part of Allegheny County, serves the communities of Pine and Richland townships. Because of its proximity to the City of Pittsburgh, the community has grown tremendously over the last twenty years and continues to prosper. District residents enjoy residential living with easy access to both urban and rural attractions. Pine-Richland is proud of its schools, which serve as the centers of our communities.

Our Mission
Our mission is to focus on learning for every student every day.

Our Vision
Learning is our primary purpose.
Learning occurs inside and outside the classroom.
Learning is measured as BOTH achievement AND growth.
Learning happens differently for different people so flexibility and variation is needed in the approach.
Learning requires effort and persistence.
Learning is for all of us and requires the support of everyone (e.g., student, staff, and parents).

Class of 2018 Post-Secondary Plans – 355 Students

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<th>College/University Programs</th>
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Class of 2019 Cumulative GPA
Cumulative Quality Point Average (410 students ranked • 6 semesters)

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<td>Second</td>
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<td>Third</td>
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<td>Fifth</td>
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Highest GPA in Class of 2019................................................. 4.636

Explanation of Transcript
School Calendar: PRHS’s year consists of four quarters, each nine weeks in duration. Classes meet for either 18 weeks (1 semester) or 36 weeks (2 semesters), 5 days a week, 42 minutes per day.

Course Placement: Placement in each subject is guided by student achievement and teacher recommendation.

Grade Point Average: Student grade point averages are calculated by assigning a weight to each numerical grade on all courses carrying credit. An additional 0.5 is assigned for Honors courses and an additional 1.0 is assigned for Advanced Placement and CHS courses. To calculate GPA, the sum of the weights of each grade is divided by number of credits attempted.

Grading Scale: A = 90-100%, B = 80-89%, C = 70-79%, D = 60-69%, F = <60%, Passing Grade = D.

Class Rank: Reporting of class rank is by request.
### 2018 PRHS SAT participation: 89%

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<th>SAT Mean Scores</th>
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### 2018 PRHS ACT participation: 49%

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### National Merit Scholars
- Class of 2018: 5 National Merit Finalists, 7 Letters of Commendation

### College in High School
- We collaborate with local colleges to provide the following courses at Pine-Richland High School: Business Calculus, Statistics, French, Spanish, Physics, Communications: Argument and Rhetoric, Java Programming, Advanced Computer Science.

### Advanced Placement
- In May 2018, 1,023 Advanced Placements tests were taken in 23 subject areas. Students earned scores of 5 on 161 tests, 4 on 239 tests and 3 on 338 tests.
- AP courses offered at PRHS include:
  - American Government & Politics
  - Art History
  - Biology
  - Calculus AB
  - Calculus BC
  - Chemistry
  - English Language & Composition
  - English Literature & Composition
  - European History
  - French Language
  - German Language
  - Microeconomics
  - Physics C
  - Psychology
  - Spanish Language
  - Statistics
  - Studio Art
  - U.S. History

### Graduation Credit Requirements for the Class of 2019
- 24 Credits

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<td>3</td>
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### Extra-Curricular Activities
- The following is a partial list of student activities at PRHS. The Marching Band currently meets as a co-curricular class earning credit.
- Audio/Visual - PRTV
- Best Buddies
- Foreign Exchange Program
- Forensics
- Future Business Leaders of America
- Inkwell (Literary Magazine)
- Key Club
- Model United Nations
- National Honor Society
- Student Government
- Technology Student Association
- Tri-Rivers Fencing Club

### Student Recognition in the Arts at PRHS
- PRHS students earned more than five dozen Scholastic Regional Art & Writing awards with eight awards qualifying for the national competition. PRHS was represented at the National Association for Music Education All-National Honors Ensemble and at the Pennsylvania Music Educator Association (PMEA) All-State Orchestra, All-State Band, and All-State Choir. In addition, a student was selected to participate in the PMEA Future Music Educators Honors Symposium.

### Interscholastic Athletics
- Baseball
- Basketball
- Cheerleading
- Crew
- Cross-Country
- Field Hockey
- Football
- Golf
- Gymnastics
- Ice Hockey
- In-Line Hockey
- Lacrosse
- Soccer
- Softball
- Swimming/Diving
- Tennis
- Track & Field
- Volleyball
- Wrestling

### State & National Recognition