

FINE ARTS

The performing arts department continues to shine with sold-out crowds and stellar performances. Each year Mr. Beck has students from his class play holiday music throughout the building during the month of December.



AWARDS

PGJH's 'We the People' team placed first in the state competition last March! This team is made up of advanced 8th grade history students.



CLUBS

Student Council's holiday fundraiser, Penny Wars, raised \$1200 for families in our community. Math Club members competed in many competitions and recently took 1st place!



ACADEMICS

- Our English department has adopted a rigorous and challenging curriculum (CommonLit) across all grade levels. We are now seeing the highest growth scores in reading out of all the secondary schools in the district.
- In AP Geography, 45 of our 46 students took the test. 82% received a 3 or higher- that means 38 of our 45 students received college credit. And 15 students got a 5!!
- As a school, we continue to focus on Academic Vocabulary. Teachers have incorporated many different learning strategies to support our Multi Language Learners.



The girls and boys basketball teams continue to impress on the court and in the classroom. PGJH girls won the District South Championship and PGJH boys took 2nd place!

ATHLETICS

Track and cross country had many individual first place finishes. Boys took 4th overall at Alpine Days. We had over 150 students participate in intramural activities. The PGJH coaches are preparing young athletes ensuring they learn skills of teamwork, collaboration, integrity, and resilience.



PLEASANT GROVE JUNIOR HIGH

Stakeholder Report *Volume 48- Jan. 2025*

ADMINISTRATION

Wade Lott, Principal
Kathryn Larsen, Asst. Principal
Chelsea Budge, Asst. Principal



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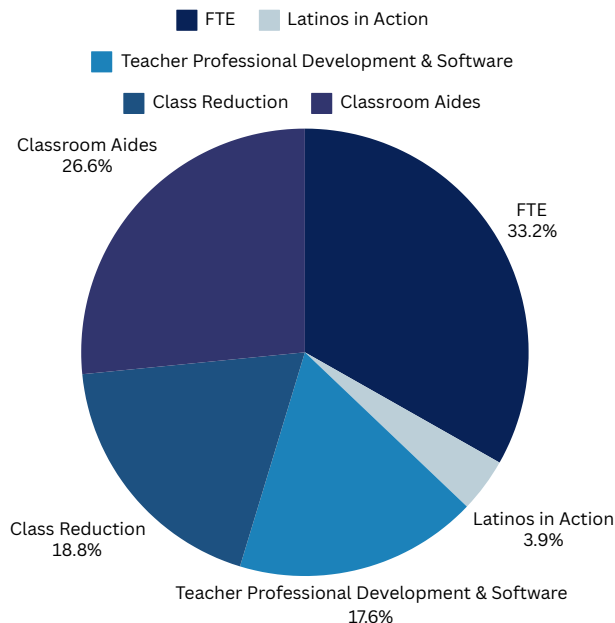
2024 SCHOOL LAND TRUST REPORT

SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT PLAN

The use of school LAND Trust money is determined by the PGJH Community Council and is based on the School Improvement Plan. PGJH used LAND Trust funds to support academic needs in the following ways:

- Providing funds for additional teacher collaboration time during the school year and summer
- Paying for teacher sevenths to reduce class sizes in math and science
- Hiring classroom aides
- Providing a Latinos in Action class
- Helping to cover the cost of one Language Arts teacher
- Purchasing a software program for all Math students.

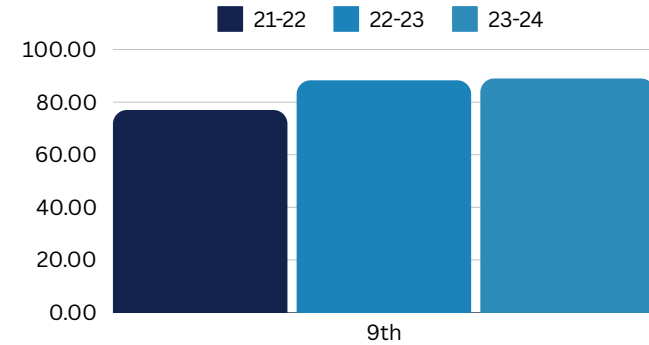
Amount Allocated 2023-24: \$257,131.00



PGJH SCHOOL GOALS

The 2023-24 School Improvement Plan focused on raising the achievement level of all students. The area specifically targeted by the School Improvement Plan is to increase the number of ninth grade students on track for high school graduation by 2%.

Percent of Passing Grades



SCHOOL PRIORITIES

<p style="text-align: center;">School Wide Achievement</p> <p style="text-align: center;">9th grade students on track for graduation will increase by 2%.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Student Group</p> <p style="text-align: center;">School supports will result in increased academic achievement among English Learners.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Student Connection</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Students will increase their feelings of belonging and connection to the school through engagement practices.</p>
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SCHOOL COMMUNITY COUNCIL

Meeting Dates & Times: 4th Monday of the month @ 1:30 pm

Elections (When necessary): August in conjunction with Back-to-School Activities

Website: <https://pleasantgrove.alpineschools.org/scc/>

SCC Chair email: julesl1979@gmail.com

Chair: Julie Larsen

Vice Chair: Jonice King

Parent Members: Anganel Palmer, Angie Dodge, Nicole Khountham, Amy Williams, Jill Griffey, Abbie Scott, David Williams

School Members: Wade Lott, Kathryn Larsen, Chelsea Budge, Chris Green, Michelle Jones, Nicole Sperry

PTSA

What we do: Our PTSA meets monthly to plan school programs, activities, dances, and the Reflections Program.
PTSA meetings: 10:00 am on the third Tuesday of each month

Cost: \$8.00

Contact Info: For questions or concerns, please contact President Angela Dodge at angdodge@gmail.com.