

Pittsburgh Public Schools
Back to School Night 2023

School	Date of Back to School Night	Time of Back to School Night	Description of Event (What will occur during the event?)	External partners supporting the event	Event Publicity (How did or will you inform families of the Back to School Night?)	How will families that miss the event obtain the information shared at Back to School Night?
Allderdice	8/31/23	5:30-7:15	Families will have a chance to visit with teachers, hear from student clubs/activities and also hear from the student services department	TBD	Summer mailing, email blast, robocall will also occur.	All information shared at this event has been sent home in the summer mailing. Families can follow up with individual teachers regarding class expectations.
Allegheny 6-8	8/23/2023	5:30-7:30	The event will be held in the tennis courts behind the Annex. The k5 and .6-8 teams will showcase the academic and partnership programs offered at the schools.	Venture Outdoors, Gwen's Girls, Girl Scouts, STEM Stars, to name a few	School mailing, Blackboard	Students will receive a folder of information on the first day of school to share with their parents
Allegheny K-5	8/23/2023	5:30-7:30 PM	Come meet the ATA K-5 staff outside the school on the tennis courts. Outside providers will be present to answer questions about their programs. Light refreshments will be provided.refreshments	Urban Impact, Sky is the limit, RIF, ACAC and Gwen's Girls	Facebook and back to school letters	They can reach out to the main office or homeroom teacher via phone, email, or class dojo.

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Arlington	8/24/2023	5-7p	We have bookbag, supplies, bags, and other items to give away. We have several of our community partners coming, as well as a DJ and food to liven it up. Families will meet the staff and tour the building. Handbooks will be available as well.	Adagio, Stem Coding Lab, A+ Schools, Big Brother/Big Sister, and Tech 25 committed so far.	Back to school letter sent home, on Facebook page, posters hung in various local businesses.	Items will be available on the first day of school for students to take home. Some families have reached out for tours outside of that schedule because of multiple children at various schools. We are attempting to accomodate all of them as well.
Arsenal 6-8	8/23/2023	3:30-5:30	Students and families will walk their schedule and meet their teachers.	CHAMPS	Mailed a flyer, posted on face book, sent talking points.	Holding a student parent and student orientation on Friday 8/25/2023
Arsenal K-5	8/23/2023	3:30-5:30 pm	Open House/Meet & Greet format. Our students and families will receive information about our new schedule, class dojo, school expectations, and engage with our theme for the year, Adventure Awaits.	Mercy Behavioral Health, Neighborhood Learning Alliance, Earthen Vessels, Cub Scouts	Talking Points message, FaceBook posts, Parent letter	Information will be sent home with students during the first week of school in our Wednesday Communication folder
Banksville	08/23/23	5:00-6:30	Meet and greet ice cream social	Hearts on Fire-community group	Post-card flyer talkingPoints	Students will get it day 1 of school

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Beechwood	08/24/23	5:00 -7:00	Each grade level and speciality area will have a table outdoors. Families will be able to visit each area, meet staff, and receive information. Service providers will also be present (Carnegie Library, Latino Community Center, SOY, Boys and Girls Club, our parent organization). It will move indoors in the event of inclement weather.	Carnegie Library, Latino Communiy Center, SOY, Boys and Girls Club	Talking Points, Facebook, mailer	From home room teachers their first day
Brashear	8/24/23	5-7 pm	Students and parents will meet teachers, laptop distribution/Acceptable Use completion, light refreshments, yard games on the patio.	Fiya and One Nation	Robocall, Talking Points and Email	Robocall, Talking Points, Facebook and email.
Brookline	8/24/2023	5:00-7:00PM	Parents will have the opportunity to visit the school, talk with teachers, review curriculum, and discuss expectations.	Event supported by the Brookline PTA	Multiple Talking Points messages, Facebook Posting, Postcard mailed home, Banner Hanging in Front of School,	Via teacher conferences & Facebook postings

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CAPA	8/24/2023	5-7 pm	<p>Students visit with art and academic (grade level) teams, tied the school, sign up for clubs and activities, engage in resource fair and more.</p>	<p>Dollar Bank, Pgh Cultural Trust, Gwen's Girls, Downtown Partnership, Center of Life, AIR, Friends of CAPA, and CLP</p>	<p>Social media, talking points and constant contact</p>	<p>Social media and constant contact</p>
Carmalt	8/25/2023	5:30-7:00 pm	<p>Families will receive their child's schedule, transportation information, HAC login and medical forms as needed upon entering the building. Following, families will tour the building following their child's schedule and will also have the opportunity to access community and city resource providers in the Gym and in the driveway of the school.</p>	<p>Carnegie Library of Pittsburgh Brookline HSAO/SAP Liaison. Human Services Administration Organization/Student Assistant Program Pittsburgh Mercy – School Based Therapy Brookline Teen Outreach – Table for Materials Gwens Girls – Arin Shatto Islamic Center of Pittsburgh Girl Scouts of Western PA Boy Scouts of Western PA Half Price Books – Book Give Away Pittsburgh Fire Department Pittsburgh Police – horses, fingerprint, McGruff the Crime Fighting Doggo, K9 officer</p>	<p>Post-card late July, Talking Points in August, B2S letter in August, Facebook and Social Media blasts as well as phone, email and texts blasts.</p>	<p>All information is posted on online on our school website and school Facebook page. In addition, hard copies of the most important documents will be sent home with their child the first week of school.</p>

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Carrick	09/07/2023	5-7	Presentation to families and introduction of programs and subjects.	Pittsburgh Promise	Social Media, talking points, alerts, announcements.	It will be available via the FACE coordinator.
Classical Academy (PCA)	8/24/2023	5:45-7:45	Presentation, meet the teachers, and classroom visits.	No	Back to School letter (US Mail) and Talking Points	Information (Handbooks, emergency care forms, welcome packet will be sent home with students on first day of school)
Clayton	9/9/2023	During school hours	Coffee, Tea, Donuts, juices, light refreshments (Student, Parent access to Teachers in classrooms) Kick ball game in the parking lot with students, staff, and parents	Parent input and multiple community support from all neighborhoods if available	Back to School Letter, Let's Talk, Robo Call	Parents will be called as we do daily and updated on the information shared and asked for feedback and support
Colfax	8/23/2023	5:30 -7:30	Classroom visits, tours, PTO introduction, Food trucks	N/A	Flyer send in back to school mailings, Talking Point, Social Media platforms	Talking Point, teachers

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Concord	8/23/23	4-6 pm	<p>Our school teams and community partners will be available for a meet and greet with students and families. We have free giveaways, community resources, Tech25 - DJ, Rita's Ice and more to celebrate and kick-off the new year.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •PMC •Barrick Community Council •Literacy Pittsburgh •Girl Scouts •Big Brother Big Sisters •Youth on a Mission (YWAM) •Tech25 •Carnegie Library of Pittsburgh •City Parks (Philips Rec) •Masa San Jose •SAO •Ethiopian Community Association of Pittsburgh (BCAP) •Masters In Creation Media - Michael Harrell (Backpack Donation) •LA 	Parent Letter, Flyers, Facebook page, & Talking Points	By communicating with their child's HR teacher or school main office.
Conroy	8/24/2023	4:00-7:00	Parents will come in, find out their child's classroom, and meet the classroom team (and principal)	None	Talking Points Message, Conroy Facebook Post	Directly from the classroom teacher, Updates shared through Talking Points
Dilworth	8/24/2023	5:30-7:30	Meet and greet, PTA sign ups, African drumming, line dancing	PTA, Deakings Daycare, Grow Pittsburgh	Email, Talking Points, Robocall, Facebook	Email, Talking Points, call home from teacher

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Fulton	8/23/2023	5pm - 7pm	Meet-and-greet	N/A	Paper mailing via US postal service, PTA Facebook, word of my with parents who are newly registered or stopped by the school for business.	Any information that is distributed will be available by the teacher or in the main office if it is paper copies of school information. We can also email papers to families that missed WBTSNE.
Gifted Center	8/31/23	6:00PM-7:30PM	Meet-Tour-Enjoy Activities in Classrooms	None	Mailing, Flyer, Talking Points	Website Posting, Facebook
Grandview	8/24/2023	1:00-3:00 pm	Family members are invited to join us for lunch and festivities. Parents will hear about the traditions and policies of our school and meet various community organizations.	Brashear Association, Full Life Deliverance Ministries, Warrington Recreation Center, Abiding Missions, State Rep. Aney's Office	Flier, Back to School Letter, and Blackboard Connect	Back to school letter and parent meetings held during September and October
Greenfield	8/23/2023	5-7pm	Meet the staff and familiarize themselves with the school and the PTO will have several engaging activities outside for all families to participate.	PTO	Talking Points, PTO website and mailing	All information will be given at the event, sent home and via Talking Points

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King	8/23/2023	4pm-6pm	BBQ, bouncy house, provider tables,, book bag giveaways, meet and greet teachers and uniform giveaways for completing beginning of year paperwork onsite	All Community school partners	Families have been informed via Talking Points, mailing and school website	First day of school folders will be sent home with students who were unable to attend
Langley	08/23/23	2-5:00 pm	Passing out free school supplies, haircuts/nails, and food. Families will receive student schedules, meet their teachers, and community providers.	School supplies donated by Dane Jackson (NFL Football Player)	Talking Points, Summer Mailer, Social Media, and Alert Now	Schedules will be provided to all students on first day of school and information is shared on Talking Points after the event.
Liberty	8/23/2023	5-7	Passport to Learning - Families will receive their passport and travel around Liberty reviving stamps at the needed locations then will be admitted to the final destination once they receive the necessary stamps.	Pitt, Boys and Girls Club, LEDP, LEAF, Earthen Vessels	Email, mailing, Facebook, Talking Points	Email, Facebook and sent home with child
Lincoln	8/23/2023	4-6	Partner info, registration, hair cuts, hair do, book bag, food, meet the teachers and staff, sign up for afterschool programs	HCV, Antione Dion, RIF, Maker's clubhouse, Boy Scouts, lots more	Black board, talking points	First day of school, or call the office

Linden	8/23/2023	5:00-6:30 P.M.	<p>The event is being held outside on Linden's playground. Families will meet the teachers and receive important back to school information, from teachers, regarding classroom routines and expectations. The principal will provide families with pertinent information about the upcoming school year. Additionally, complimentary hamburgers and hotdogs will be provided and Kona Ice will be at the event. Finally, there will be games, activities, and free haircuts for the students and families.</p>	Nurses In Action, Greater Valley Community, Minor Victories Tutoring,	The families have been informed via Talking Points, email blast, and Linden's Facebook Page.	Families that miss the event will obtain the information being shared via Linden's weekly newsletter, an email blast, and documents will be sent home with students on the first day of school.
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Manchester	8/23/2023	4-6p	Grill - hot dogs and hamburgers, music, tables for each grade level with a preview of instructional materials and student forms, stuffed bookbag giveaways, and meet the principal	Tree Pittsburgh, Project Destiny, Urban Impact, Emily Sawyer PAC Rep, Eastern End Conference Ministry (maybe), Education Partnership (maybe)	Talking Points, school Facebook page, flyer in the student mailer	Information will be sent via Talking Points and a letter sent home with students on the first day of school.
Mifflin	8/23/2023	5:30-7:30	Meeting teachers, scavenger hunt around building, food, raffles	Boy Scouts of America, Church of Nazarene	Facebook, Talking Points, Remind, Mailer, Robocall	Homeroom teachers
Miller	8/31/2023	3:30-5:00 p.m.	Miller staff will welcome students and families to the school year. Students will show families to their classrooms and community partners will meet with families to share resources.	Expected to be in attendance: Resilience Project, Macedonia FACE, Carnegie Library, Chuck Cooper Foundation,	Parent Mailing, Robocall, Social Media Platforms	Back Pack express
Milliones (UPREP)	8/31/2023	4 pm - 6 pm	Building Walk Through, meet and greet with staff, visit classrooms. We are doing a larger parent event Saturday, Sept. 16 from 1-4 on Centre Avenue in the Hill district. This will be a school block party.	Pittsburgh Promise	Talking Points Flyer, robo call home, social media posts.	School Website - https://www.uprepmilliones.com/

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Minadeo	8/23/2023	5:00-7:00	Meet the teachers, handout packets Title 1 meeting and materials dispensed	Boy Scouts of America	RObo Call, handout, email, and Facebook	Send home with students
Montessori	8/23/2023	5 to 6:30	Visit classrooms, meet leadership, meet classroom teacher, PTA presentation, community flyers...	Before and after school program, and working on some others.	Newsletter, PTA, posting etc. teachers informing...	Through teacher newsletters, school wide newsletters..PSCC meeting..
Morrow	08/23/23	4:00-6:00	Meet and greet with staff. Students will receive their schedules	AYD, Urban Impact, Carnegie Library, Early Childhood, Infinite Solutions, Project Destiny	Facebook, Robo call	Folders will be in the main office
Obama	8/24/2023	5-7pm	Band and cheer performance, refreshments (grilled hot dogs, fruit, water)meet and greet teachers, photos for bus ID	Duolingo	Social media, summer mailing, robocall	Summer mailing
Online Academy (POA)	8/29/2023	5:00 pm	Welcome Back night will consist of parent orientation. Parents will engage with POA staff and complete a 30 minute virtual simulation of a "day in the life of a Pittsburgh Online Academy" student.	None at this time	Mailing	2nd event scheduled for mid September

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Perry High Schools	8/24/2023	5:30-7:30	Meet and greet with teachers and staff, tours of the building and students will receive schedules	Urban impact, Manchester Guild, Science Center,	Fliers, Mailing, E-mail and Personal Calls	Mailing and E-mail
Phillips	8/23/2023	4:00 pm - 6:00 pm	Meet the staff, informational, Falcon Familia, outside providers, technology station	Ormsby, Little Explorers CitiParks, Library	mailing and TP flyer	Information will also be shared via homeroom meetings
Pioneer	8/23/2023	4:30 PM- 6:30 PM	Meet new staff and see classrooms	None attending but will have information from them to hand out	Facebook, Robo calls, staff calling parents	FACE BOOK
Roosevelt	8/23/2023	5-7 Grades First-Fifth 4-6 Kindergarten	Meet and Greet with teachers, annual Title I meeting, supply give away and clothing give away. T-Shirt Sale	NLA, Carnegie Library, Carrick Community Council, Carrick Athletic Association, Therapets	Flyer mailed to families and social media	Information will be posted for families

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Schiller	8/24/2023	5:00P.M.	<p>Parents will be given Title I Information, Grade Level Folders and Directions to Grade Level Meetings. Teachers will be in classrooms to receive families and will briefly explain classroom expectations and contents of grade level folders. Folders include the following information: PBIS, HAC, Fundraising, SAP, ECF, Student Schedules, Talking Points Information, Safe2Say, etc. There will also be an ongoing Community Resources Fair and free haircuts for students.</p>	<p>Carnegie Library, BBBS, FBR, Urban Impact, Sarah Heinz House, The Caring Place, 211, Turtle Creek Valley, Saturday Light Brigade, Greater Food Bank, Buhl Foundation, CMU, Carnegie Science Center, FAME</p>	<p>Mailing, Talking Points, Blackboard</p>	<p>The folders that were created will be given to students the first day of school.</p>
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Sci-Tech	8/23/2023	5:30 pm - 7:00 pm	Title I meeting, Curriculum review, Family Survey, and School-based and Extracurricular activities shared	Caring Connections for YOUTH Hillman Academy Pittsburgh Technology Council Write Pittsburgh Assemble University of Pittsburgh Educational Outreach Center Carnegie Library of Pittsburgh Gene Team - University of Pittsburgh Steel City Squash	A flyer was mailed to families, an email was sent, and the information is published on the school website.	The information will be sent via email and shared on the website.
South Brook	8/24/2023	4:30-7:00	We will have tables set up outside with music, lawn games, school information, snacks, schedules, etc. At 6:00 we will have a student vs. alumni basketball game in our gym.	Carnegie Library, Mercy	Mailing, Talking Points, Phone message, Facebook, Instagram	Information will be provided to students first day of school. Other important info will be mailed and sent via Talking Points
Spring Hill	8/23/23	5-7	Title 1 Annual Meeting, Meet the Staff, Students can walk the building	HIS Place, Carnegie Library	Talking Points message, US Mail mailing	Information will be sent home with students at school
South Hills	8/23/2023	6:00 PM - 8:00 PM	1. Opening presentation outlining fundamentals of South Hills. 2. Self-guided tour. 3. Refreshments and snacks provided with Kona Ice featured.	None	Invite letter via Talking Point and Facebook; Blackboard Connect robo call.	Via the school's website. The presentation will be posted to it.

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Sterrett	8/23/2023	4:30-6:30	Tour of building, meeting with Administration, conversation with teachers, introduction to programs	Providers and service agencies	Post cards, facebook	Facebook, email
Sunnyside	8/22/2023	4:30-6:30	Parents will meet school staff, get free stuff, meet community partners, and enjoy activities	Mt. Aarat, Earthen Vessels, Fire Department, Good Will, Chick Fil A, Carnegie Library, Deakings, Adagio Health	Talking Points, Facebook, Mailer home	school webpage, sent home first week of school, talking points
Weil	8/31/2023	330-530	Meet & Greet, Games, Activities, Info Sessions, and Community Resource Tables	RIF, Center that Cares, Carnegie Library, Zone 2 Police & Fire, HDEC, A-Step, & Foster Grandparents Program	Talking Points, Facebook, Blackboard, Calendars, Reminder Flyer	All info will be posted on our website or available for pick up at the school.
Westinghouse	8/23/2023	11AM-5PM	Back to School Block Party: School Tours, passing out schedules, PBIS Rewards Tutorial, Food Trucks, Back Back Give Away, Face Painting, after school activities sign-ups, etc.	Homewood Children's Village, WHS4EVER, Volunteers of America,	Social Media, Talking Points, Email Blast, Robo Call	Social Media, PSSC, Talking Points, Email Blast, Website

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West Liberty	8/23/2023	5-7 pm	Parents will visit the school and see partners such as Carnegie Library and Adigio Health Activities and information, scavenger hunt, PTO sign up, Kona Ice, raffle, book bag give away	Carnegie Library and Adigio Health	parent letter, post on PTO Facebook page, post on Class Dojo, and post on Talking Points	All parents will sign in with teachers and any families that did not attend the information will be sent home the first day of school in the student's homework folders.
Westwood	8/23/2023	4:00 -6:00 pM	Family Meet and Greet	After Care Partner	Mailed Home Flyer - Will do a Talking Points Reminder	Schedules have been mailed home; teachers will send home classroom expectations with students first week of school.
Whittier	8/23/2023	5:00-6:00	Meet and Greet, Tour and Principal session with parents (Title I) Compact and Parent Engagement Policy	Carnegie Library, Mt. Washington Recreation Center	Email Blast, Whittier Website, Whittier Facebook, Letter from Principal, Newsletter	Students will take information home first week of school.
Woolslair	8/24/2023	5:00 - 7:00	Meet the teacher and see the school	NLA	Talking Points, Peach Jar, Mailing, Facebook, Email	It will be sent home with their child. Talking Points, Email