

# SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

Policy/Legislation/District Updates

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# DISTRICT HIGHLIGHTS

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Senior Career Day - April 15th - City Central

## More Community Connection for Kids

Log 10, Century Livestock, SCL Business, Rusty Barrel, WT Architecture

## Life Skills

Managing Stress, Resume, Interviews, Study Skills

## Keynote Speakers

PCDA, PCPS, Chamber, Financial Leaders



# LEGISLATIVE UPDATE

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## Budget Deal

- \$2000 minimum pay increase
- \$100 million to the education formula
- (Does not include administrators or support)



## School Calendars

- Raising teaching days from 166 to 173 (P/T conf and PD days can count)

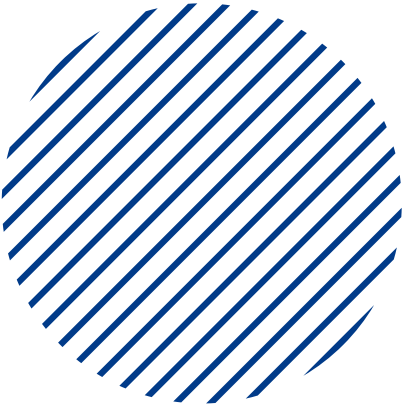
## Property Taxes

- SJR 39 lowers the the cap from 3% to 1.75% on annual increases.
- SB 227 by Julie Daniels gives property tax exemptions to property subject to gross production tax

## Other bills

- Literacy - retention, screeners, summer reading
- Time per day - recess, math, PE
- Testing - moving to the last four weeks of school





# PONCA CITY TEACHER EMPOWERMENT

Based off the Oklahoma Teacher Empowerment Program (OTEP)

**Stipends for the top 10% of Certified Teachers (25 -30)**

- \$3,000 (5 days)
- \$5,000 (10 days)
- \$10,000 (15 days)

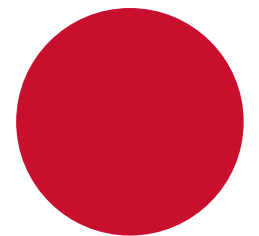
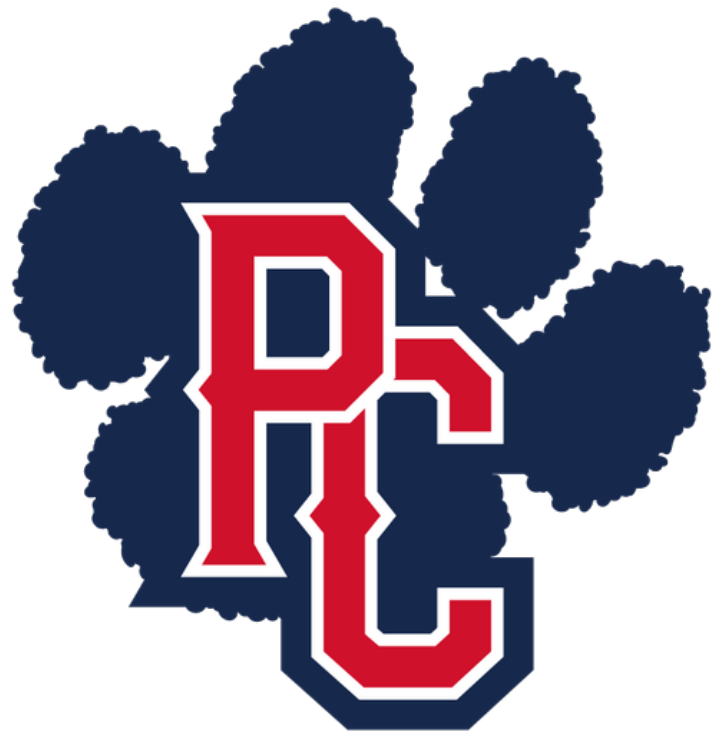
**Levels**

1. Advanced
2. Lead
3. Master

**Rubric**

1. Teacher Leadership
2. Professional Development
3. Awards/Recognitions
4. Additional Personal Growth
5. Student Performance
6. Attendance (bonus)

PCPS intends to apply pending BOE approval in May to begin in August



# POLICY UPDATES

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Three proposed changes - will require BOE motion and vote for changes



## Section 1 - The School Board

- Updating Ward 1 to reflect the term 2026-2031 and Ward 4 to reflect the term 2024-2029

Housekeeping

## 1.3-1.0 School Board Meetings

- Page 12, changing the time our BOE meets from 6pm to 5pm

Gives Administration time to attend Monday events (hopefully)

## 5.2 -4.0 Employee Travel Expense

- Under “Approval for Travel” propose adding “the business office can purchase refundable accommodations.”

Many hotels require a one nights hold on the credit card for reservations