September 2023 PACE Homeschool Newsletter

Date to Remember

Sept 4th All PACE offices closed for holiday

Enrollment is in full swing and appointments are filling up fast. Please schedule your SLP appointment to complete enrollment as soon as possible to avoid delays with curriculum orders.

Completing enrollment before the end of September ensures you receive full allotment, so don't delay.

Enroll today!

ENROLLMENT OPEN

New Families

go to www.paceschool.net, click on the ENROLL button and sign in as a guest to get started.

Returning Families

please sign in to your MyPACE account and click on the Reenroll button at the bottom of the screen.

Once you have completed the online enrollment we will contact you to set up your Student Learning Plan (SLP) appointment.

Enrollment must be completed by September 30th to receive full allotment. We must receive all signed paperwork by this date.



Routines: Setting Up a Successful Year

By Christina Woodward and Jen Whicker

- Map out your curriculum
 - Online courses usually have a pacing guide; check for this and adapt for you
 - Paper-based courses often have a guide or planner as well
 - Separate by subject
 - Break down by unit (how many units in the year, break down by month/week)
 - What HAS to get done and by when?
 - This will help you see what needs to be done each week to meet your goals
- What are your prior commitments each week? Month?
 - Fill those in first and calendar in around the non-negotiables.
- What Field Trips do you want to do?
 - Have the kids make a bucket list and then schedule in what you can when you can
- What times of day work best for you and your child or children?
 - For example, we're morning people so we do our more challenging subjects first when we have the most energy and brain power. We save the easier, or more independent activities, for the afternoon.
- How do you want to break up the subject materials?
 - Do you want to do each subject every day?
 - Block work and do a specific subject M/W and another T/TR?
- Experiment! Try your schedule for a week or two
 - What did you like? What changes do you need to make?
- Make time for friends
 - Look for activities that include other homeschooling families. You never know who you'll meet!
- Make time for you
 - Early in the morning? At the end of the day? Read, sit in silence, work out, do what YOU need to take care of you!
- Balance looks differently for everyone on every day, but try and work in time for school, time for play, and time for rest each day!

