

Panther Creek High School

Fall Semester Exam Schedule*

2025-2026

Panther Creek High School will follow the schedule below for the administration of Final Exams:

Friday, January 16, 2025	Tuesday, January 20, 2025	Wednesday, January 21, 2025	Thursday, January 22, 2025	Friday, January 23, 2025
1st Period Exam 7:25 - 12:10	2nd Period Exam 7:25 - 12:10	3rd Period Exam 7:25 - 12:10	4th Period Exam 7:25 - 12:10	Make Up Exams 7:25 - 12:10
Bag Lunch Pick Up (if needed)	Bag Lunch Pick Up (if needed)	Bag Lunch Pick Up (if needed)	Bag Lunch Pick Up (if needed)	Bag Lunch Pick Up (if needed)
12:18 Bus Run	12:18 Bus Run	12:18 Bus Run	12:18 Bus Run	12:18 Bus Run

REQUIRED STATE-MANDATED EXAMS	
EOC EXAMS	CTE POST-ASSESSMENTS
Biology English II Math 1 Math 3	Accounting I Apparel and Textile Production II Business Essentials Food and Nutrition I Food and Nutrition II Health Sciences I Interior Design Fundamentals Project Management I
Questions: Contact Bobbi Faulkner: bfaulkner3@wcpss.net	Questions: Contact Maggie Wood

Final Exam General Information:

- All final exams will be administered in person on the dates listed above.
- Students taking exams must be on time for each exam AND stay for the entire exam period in order to receive credit for the exam. Students may NOT check out of school during an exam period. This includes if the student finishes the exam early AND if the entire class finishes early. Students will only be dismissed at the end of the exam period.
- Students will take exams in their typical classroom unless otherwise instructed.
- Breakfast and lunch will be made available to students on exam days.
- Students are expected to take exams according to the schedule. Any deviation from the exam schedule requires prior approval by no later than **December 19th, 2025** from:
 - Dion Mapp for Teacher-Made Exams
 - Bobbi Faulkner for EOC Exams
 - Maggie Wood for CTE State-Mandated Exams

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- **Note:** Requests for courses with state exams will require supporting documentation. These requests are reviewed by NCDPI and are likely to be denied because of state testing procedures and regulations.

Grading:

- For all courses, the final exam is worth 20% of the student's final grade. This includes End-of-Course (EOC) Exams, Career and Technical Education (CTE) State Assessments, or Teacher-Made Assessments.
- Exams can positively or negatively impact the final course grade.
- If a student does not take the exam, a zero will be averaged as 20% of the final course grade.

Electronics:

- State exams will be given using student WCPSS-issued Chromebooks. Students should bring them CHARGED and UPDATED for exams.
- Students are NOT allowed to take electronic devices into the testing room other than their WCPSS-issued Chromebooks. Students who violate this rule will be dismissed from testing and required to retake the state exam on the make-up day.

Exam Exceptions:

- Any student with a B or better AND 10 or fewer absences in a course with a teacher-made exam can be exempt from the final exam. Absences include excused and unexcused absences as well as college visits or educational absences.
- Students are NOT eligible for exam exemptions for courses with state testing requirements.
- Students can be required to complete in-class projects, which will act as a final exam.
- All students in a CTE course must have a POL (proof of learning) - they are NOT exempt. The CTE teacher will provide more detail.
- AP Computer Science Principles and AP Computer Science A courses follow the school AP guidelines for exemptions.

Teacher-Made Exams:

- Teachers giving teacher-made assessments have the option of assessing students through a traditional exam or through a project-based assessment. For teacher-made testing questions or if your course is not listed below, please contact your teacher directly for assistance.

Attendance/Make-Ups:

- Students are not required to be here on days they do not have an exam scheduled. Students who are on campus on a date for which they do not have an exam will report to their assigned classroom for that class period; in place of an exam, there will be a study hall.

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- Students MAY be required by their teacher to attend on a day they do not have an exam for remediation purposes. Students can use this opportunity to complete missing work.
- Make-up EOC and CTE State exams will be scheduled for Friday, January 23rd by Ms. Faulkner or Ms. Wood. Make-up teacher-made exams will be administered by appointment with the teacher on Friday, January 23rd. It is the responsibility of the student to work with their teacher to schedule the make-up exam.

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