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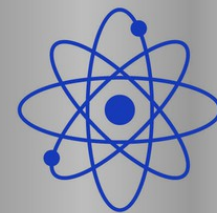
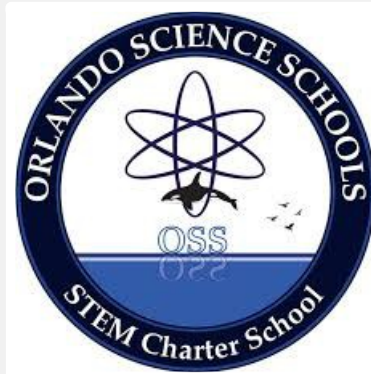
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OSSES Core Values

Ownership For My Actions
Respect Myself And Others
Caring For My Community
Appreciate Differences
Strive For Excellence



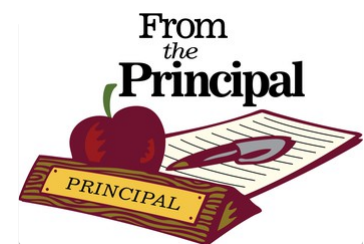
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WEEK ENDING IN 1/22/2021

Welcome back OSSES Orcas!



SCHOOL PHOTOS ARE NOW AVAILABLE! IF YOU ORDERED PICTURES,
PLEASE COME TO THE FRONT DESK BETWEEN 8AM-4PM TO PICK THEM UP.

SATURDAY LEADERSHIP ACADEMY

Dear OSS Family Members,

Saturday Leadership Academy (SLA) is a tradition at Orlando Science Technology Campus that helps prepare our students for the upcoming state testing. Beginning Saturday, February 6th, students in grades 3-6 are invited to attend SLA for additional support for the upcoming FSA. On each of the designated Saturdays, students will have a chance to get more in-depth instruction with standards they are struggling with and take several practice tests/quizzes in preparation for FSA.

This year, there are two different ways to attend SLA. Students can sign up to attend on campus or virtually. It does not have to be the same learning model that students attend during the week.

COVID-19 protocols will be the same as they are during the school week. Students and staff will be socially distanced and required to wear masks while on campus. Sanitation stations are also available around the school. For more information on the school's Health and Safety prevention measures, please contact the school.

For our students that attend on campus, complimentary snacks will be offered during their break and pizza will be provided for lunch. Students may also dress casually on these days.


SLA hours (virtually and on campus) are from 9:00am – 12:00pm in Building 2. Students may be dropped off between 8:30 - 9:00 a.m. and picked up between 12:00 - 12:30 p.m. from the Building 2 Cafeteria. Code of Conduct must be followed. Any violations of these policies may result in your student's dismissal from the program.

Use the following link to sign up for Saturday Leadership Academy and return the attached waiver by February 1st. <http://bit.ly/OSESSLA2021>

The BELOW SLA Waiver that must be filled out by all families who have students participating in SLA (one waiver per student).



2020-2021 SLA Waiver.pdf

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UPCOMING EVENTS

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 OSS Technology Campus Testing Calendar 		
Florida Standards Assessments (FSA) and Next Generation Sunshine State Standards (NGSSS)		
Dates	FSA English Language Arts (ELA)	Grades
Apr. 8	FSA ELA-Writing Component	Grades 4-6
Apr. 6	FSA ELA- Reading Session 1	Grade 3
Apr. 7	FSA ELA- Reading Session 2	Grade 3
Apr.7-Apr.16	Make-ups & Accommodations*	Grades 3-6
May 3	FSA ELA- Reading Session 1	Grades 4-6
May 4	FSA ELA- Reading Session 2	Grades 4-6
May 4-May 14	Make-ups & Accommodations*	Grades 4-6
Dates	FSA Mathematics	Grades
May 6	FSA Mathematics Session 1	Grades 3-8**
May 7	FSA Mathematics Session 2 (and 3 for 6th grade)**	Grades 3-8**
May 7-May 14	Make-ups & Accommodations*	Grades 3-8**
Dates	NGSSS Science	Grades
May 10	Science Session 1	Grade 5
May 11	Science Session 2	Grade 5
May 11-May 21	Make-ups & Accommodations*	Grade 5
* Students with state testing accommodations may be scheduled during the make-up window due to accommodation room availability. Families of students with state testing accommodations will be notified on which day their student will test.		
**6th grade students taking Pre-Algebra will take the 8th grade FSA Math assessment. All other 6th graders will take the 6th grade math FSA.		

ONLINE LEARNING INFORMATION

INNOVATIVE LEARNING GUIDELINES



Zoom for Parents.pdf
innovative learning guidelines

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STUDENT VIRTUAL LIBRARY CARD

check out books, get audio and ebooks from the library using the information below

ALL ORLANDO SCIENCE CHARTER STUDENTS HAVE



ORANGE COUNTY LIBRARY VIRTUAL ACCESS

LOGIN INSTRUCTIONS

USERNAME: "OS"+ STUDENT ID #
(I.E. OS4804123456)

PASSWORD: STUDENT BIRTHDAY
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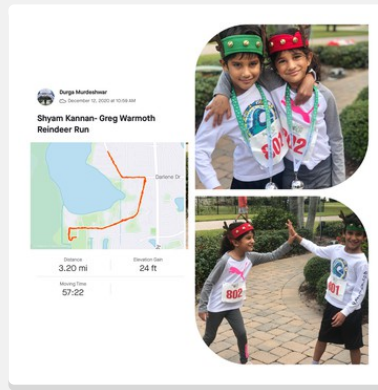
WINTER BREAK

Karim H went to the caves in Virginia and the Science Museum in Virginia. "Union Station of Richmond" and had a picture with the Kugel ball fountain.



Shyam and Kannan Garg from Mrs Kladiva's class had a fun family winter break.

They made salt dough ornaments, pottery, origami and holiday art with their older brother. They were most excited about their first 5K walk for the 'Greg Warmoth Reindeer Run' by Advent health for Children. They visited the beach and Universal studios. They played with their neighbors and watched an outdoor movie 'Elf'



Justin (6th), Jayden (3rd), and Jordan (K) had fun baking cookies with their friends this Winter Break



We visited a horse ranch where we could feed the horses and ride them.
Then we tried out some soap making techniques.
We played frisbee golf.
Finally we went to a ropes course with ziplines.
Ryla and the Sommer family.



Ms. Taylor Visited Memphis, Tennessee over Winter Break



Ms. Stella walked around Winter Garden to look at Christmas lights and baked cookies with her family over break.





FROM YOUR TEACHERS

KINDERGARTEN

This week Kindergarten turned 100 years old!!! We celebrated our aging by dressing like we were from the olden times, we grew gray hair, needed walkers, and wore some funny clothes.

We also worked on counting to 100, sequencing with cheerios or fruit loops, and long vowel sounds.

We also had "A Bad Case of Stripes" by David Shannon and enjoyed learning about being unique, striving to be our best and stepping out of the box!!!!;)

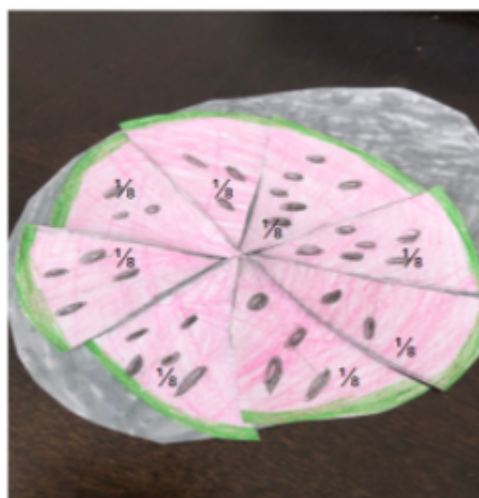
FIRST

We had a great time Friday celebrating the 101th day of school! We all dressed as Dalmations and enjoyed spending the day counting to 101.

SECOND

Second grade is hard at work on my projects including area and perimeter houses, animal reports, fraction word problems, and salt dough maps.

- 1.) I ate 3 pieces of watermelon, what fraction of watermelon is left?
- 2.) How many slices of watermelon have 3 seeds on them?
- 3.) If I ate 4 pieces of watermelon, what fraction of the watermelon is left?



- 1.) If I ate 4 pieces of a chocolate bar what fraction of the chocolate is left?
- 2.) If I ate 12 pieces of a chocolate bar and my friend ate 12 pieces of chocolate bar, what fraction of chocolate is left?
- 3.) If I gave 10 pieces of chocolate bar to MS.Waugh and I ate 5 pieces of a chocolate bar, How much fraction of the chocolate bar did me and Ms. Waugh ate together?



THIRD

This week in Social Studies, third graders learned more about man made and natural landmarks found in the United States. In Math, students are working on fractional parts and will now learn about equivalent fractions. Students were also able to watch part of the inauguration and learn more about the process.

Third graders love learning about constellations! They were even able to make their own constellation and name it!

Don't forget to take an AR test each week, which is part of your Reading grade AND will help you make your goal of 11 points by January 31st!

FOURTH

Fourth grade has had a busy week this week! All of the classes have enjoyed hosting the Seminole State Planetarium for a virtual field trip! It was a great look at how the Earth's motion affects the things we see in the sky!



Fourth grade has Drop Everything and Write coming up on February 2. This is our last major writing assessment before Writing FSA on April 8; to that end, it will be a full mock exam. **All students, whether IL or F2F, will be expected to complete their essay in one 2 hour block ON PAPER. Teachers will provide more details as the exam gets closer.** In the meantime, please help us by stressing the importance of building writing stamina with your children and ensuring they are giving their best effort in their writing!

Lastly, we are very excited to announce that 4th grade shirts are for sale! The cost is \$15 to be paid on SchoolPay. The proceeds will go to purchasing materials to assist with having a fun, effective FSA

review! Please see this [Google Form](#) to order one! Orders are due **Thursday, February 11, 2021.**

FIFTH

Fifth graders took their mid-year diagnostic in I-ready for math this week. In Mr. Rego's class, we compared the differences and similarities between characters in a drama. We also analyzed the poem "The Hill We Climb" by Amanda Gorman (the youngest poet laureate to speak at an inauguration), and how Gorman uses specific language to convey hope.

SIXTH

In Mr. Press's [World History](#) we are continuing to study Ancient Greece with a special focus on philosophy and the development of democracy. This month's character trait is about self-awareness. We also discussed ways to identify when we feel stress and about techniques for self-care. It's a really valuable skill and several students seemed to take to the ideas. Interestingly, several students noticed that many of the skills we were presented with match up pretty closely with some of the ideas we discussed related to Buddhism, Taoism, and also Greek philosophy too! Those ancient people knew what they were talking about!

SPECIALS

STAR READERS



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Star Readers Jan 4-10.pdf

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IMPORTANT SCHOOL INFORMATION

FACE MASK POLICY CHANGES

FACE MASK POLICY REVISIONS

Masks with an exhalation valve (respirator) are **NOT PERMITTED**



Neck gaiters and neck buffs are **NOT PERMITTED**



Read the full policy on www.ocps.net



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COVID-19 Health and Safety Manual-Orlando Science Elementary.pdf

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SCHOOL PAY

Parents can now make FREE online payments for most school expenses online with School Pay. This includes School Lunch and After Care! Simply log into your secure online School Pay Parent Center account and pay for items including **after school care fees, club fees, field trips, class fees, student fees and more**. The first step is creating your Parent Center Account at schoolpay.com Please go to "Charter Schools" tab and then choose your school name as "Orlando Science Elementary School" to complete the steps for creating your parent account. If you



Questions about your student's school pay account can be directed to [Ms. Centenera](mailto:Ms.Centenera) at cristina.centenera@orlandoscience.org

INTERESTED IN BECOMING AN OSES VOLUNTEER?

Orlando Science Families interested in volunteering at the OSES Technology Campus during the 2020-2021 School Year MUST be ADDitions approved. Below you will find the link to apply for ADDitions for the 2020-2021 school year.



[BECOME AN ADDITIONS VOLUNTEER TODAY](#)

OSes Parent Volunteer Organization

The OSES Parent Volunteer Organization would like to welcome our new and returning parents to our orca Family. We need your support by joining our PVO. Our membership is \$25 per family. The teachers and staff members need our help, and appreciation now more than ever.



Please email OSes.PVO@orlandoscience.org with any questions or compliments.

[CLICK HERE TO REGISTER](#)

ATTENDANCE

Attendance is key to the success of your student's learning. If you have any attendance concerns such as daily absences, upcoming absences, extended absences or other additional questions please contact Mrs. Stella for k-3rd grade students and Ms. Taylor for 4th-6th grade students.



Stella.watson@orlandoscience.org

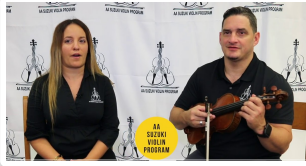
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Please note that in order for an absence to be **excused** you must turn in proper documentation (i.e a doctors note) to the front desk

CLUBS

At this time, all after school clubs for OSES have been postponed. We will notify parents with more information of when we will resume them.

If you are interested in VIRTUAL violin lessons, please see below for more information.



[AA Suzuki Virtual.m...](#)

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MATH OLYMPIAD

If anyone is interested in Math Olympiad, please contact Orlando Math Circle to sign up for the class and competition.

[Math Olympiads for ...](#)

www.orlandomathcircle.org

AFTERCARE

If you are interested in signing up for aftercare, please fill out the forms below and hand them into the front desk.

If you have any questions regarding aftercare, please email Ms Centenera at crisrina.centenera@orlandoscience.org



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