# TECHNOLOGY CAMPUS CHRONICLE

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#### **CHECK OUT OUR WEBSITE**





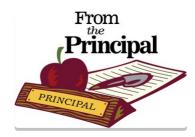


#### PRINCIPAL'S CORNER

#### **WEEK ENDING IN 1/29/2021**

Welcome back OSES Orcas!

OSES will celebrate Black History Month starting Monday, January 27th and throughout the month of February. Black History Month is an annual celebration of achievements by African Americans and a time for recognizing their central role in U.S. history.



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. <u>Any violations of these policies may result in your student's dismissal from the program.</u>

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

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



**UPCOMING EVENTS** 



#### **FSA TESTING DATES**



# OSS Technology Campus Testing Calendar



#### Florida Standards Assessments (FSA) and Next Generation Sunshine State Standards (NGSSS)

At Generation Sunsinine State Standards (NGSSS)	
FSA English Language Arts (ELA)	Grades
FSA ELA-Writing Component	Grades 4-6
FSA ELA- Reading Session 1	Grade 3
FSA ELA- Reading Session 2	Grade 3
Make-ups & Accommodations*	Grades 3-6
FSA ELA- Reading Session 1	Grades 4-6
FSA ELA- Reading Session 2	Grades 4-6
Make-ups & Accommodations*	Grades 4-6
FSA Mathematics	<u>Grades</u>
FSA Mathematics Session 1	Grades 3-8**
FSA Mathematics Session 2 (and 3 for 6th grade)**	Grades 3-8**
Make-ups & Accommodations*	Grades 3-8**
NGSSS Science	<u>Grades</u>
Science Session 1	Grade 5
Science Session 2	Grade 5
Make-ups & Accommodations*	Grade 5
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<sup>\*</sup> 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.

#### **FSA PARENT WEBINAR**

This webinar will focus on details and what to expect for the upcoming Florida Standards Assessment (FSA).

There will be a comprehensive presentation about the FSA Test and test taking strategies. There will also be time to answer any questions regarding FSA.

<sup>\*\*6</sup>th grade students taking Pre-Algebra will take the 8th grade FSA Math assessment. All other 6th graders will take the 6th grade math FSA.

What: FSA Parent Information Webinar Presentation

When: Wednesday, February 10th (Pick 1 Session to attend at the link below)

Where: Online

Presented by: Heather Wence and Alicia Greene

Who: Parents of 3rd-6th Grade Students

Please use the following link to register for one of the sessions. After registering, you will receive a

confirmation email containing information about joining the webinar.

Session 1: 12:00 pm-1:00 pm

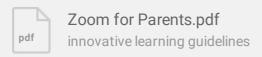
https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\_WEJRZXY-QcGTuHVG6GUPAg

Session 2: 5:30 pm- 6:30 pm

https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\_SAvcFYHIS-SHfc0o6MNbSA

#### ONLINE LEARNING INFORMATION

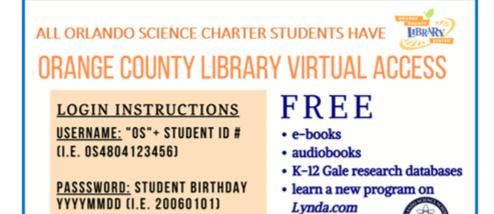
#### INNOVATIVE LEARNING GUIDELINES





#### STUDENT VIRTUAL LIBRARY CARD

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



www.ocls.info

LIVE tutoring

#### FROM YOUR TEACHERS

#### KINDERGARTEN

#### **FIRST**

#### **SECOND**

#### **THIRD**

This week in third grade, we are learning how to classify animals! Students are finishing up their study of basic fractions, and will move to comparing and equivalent fractions next.

Ms. Knight's class read about different museums located in the United States, and did some virtual field trips to see each one.

Don't forget to take an AR test each week and score an 80. January 31st is the last day to qualify with 11 points for this month's AR celebration!

#### **FOURTH**

#### **FIFTH**

#### **SIXTH**

In World History we are wrapping up our study of Ancient Greece and their contributions. Keep an eye out for some neat projects including some Greek Mosaics and recruitment posters for the war between Athens and Sparta!

In Mrs. Gajus' Pre-Algebra classes, students completed their unit covering Object Transformations on the Coordinate Plane. They learned how to move objects around a graph using a variety of mathematical rules. 6th grade advanced classes finished their unit covering Area of Shapes and began learning about Surface Area. They learned about how area and surface area are related, as well as how to identify 3-dimensional objects. 6th grade classes finished their unit on Simplifying Expressions and began learning about Equations and Inequalities. They learned the differences between expressions and equations, as well as how to solve 1-step equations using addition and subtraction. Progress reports come out next week. Please make sure to be checking your child's grades on OSES Connect to help them stay on top of their assignments.

#### **SPECIALS**

#### **STAR READERS**





Star Readers Jan 18-24.pdf





Star Readers Jan 11-17.pdf



#### 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



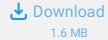
Read the full policy on www.ocps.net



#### **HEALTH AND SAFETY**



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



#### 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 <a href="schoolpay.com">schoolpay.com</a> 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 have any problems using the School Pay system please call 1 888-88-MYPAY



Questions about your student's school pay account can be directed to <u>Ms. Centenera</u> at <u>cristina.centenera@orlandoscience.org</u>

## INTERESTED IN BECOMING AN OSES VOLUNTEER?





#### **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.



<u>Stella.waton@orlandoscience.org</u> <u>Taylor.watson@Orlandoscience.org</u>

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.



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drive.google.com

#### MATH OLYMPIAD

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



www.orlandomathcircle.org

#### **AFTERCARE**

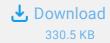
If you are interested in signing up for aftercare, please fill out the forms below and hand them into the front desk.

If you have any questions regarding aftercare, please email Ms Centenera at <a href="mailto:cristina.centenera@orlandoscience.org">cristina.centenera@orlandoscience.org</a>





2020-2021 ASCP Handbook OSS.pdf





2020-2021 ASCP Registration Form OSS Fillable.pdf





2020-2021 Credit Card Authorization Form OSS Fillable.pdf



#### **FORTIFY-FL**

FortifyFL is a suspicious activity reporting tool that allows you to instantly relay information to appropriate law enforcement agencies and school officials.

For more information, please click on the link below.



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FortifyFL.pdf

