

# TECHNOLOGY CAMPUS CHRONICLE

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## PRINCIPAL'S CORNER

### THE WEEK ENDING 2/21/20

Dear OSES Technology Campus Families,

Yearbooks are now on sale and can be purchased online for \$20.00. More information can be found in the school newsletter, or see Ms. Martinez for further details.

Congratulations to the students that built and presented projects at the SECME Regionals at UCF on February 15th. For the first year, our campus entered the following competitions: Essay and Vision Board, Banner, Mousetrap Cars, and Glider. They added to the other competitions, including Codecraft, Math, Poster, and Water Rocketry. Thank you to all of the club teachers, parents, and students for their hard work!

**Friday, February 28th** is our OSES PVO sponsored move night. Please join us for either Detective Pikachu or Avengers Endgame. The cost is \$5 and includes pizza, drinks, and snacks. Students who RSVP will receive two dress down passes.

Sincerely,  
Michael Singleton

## NEWSLETTER QUIZ

The Technology Campus is incredibly thankful for all of our faithful readers, and for that we would like to reward our families. Moving forward we will have a [NEWSLETTER QUIZ](#) located under the Principal's corner.

Dress down passes will be rewarded to the students who receive a 100% on the quiz for that week!

We hope that you have fun, and enjoy reading this week's edition! Entries are due the morning of Monday, March 2nd







# February



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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2	3	4 parent teacher conferences k-3,6th	5 Geo Bee	6 Parent teacher Conferences 4-6th	7	8
9	10 Spelling Bee	11	12	13	14 VALENTINES DAY!	15 DRESS DOWN DAY! ←
16	17 Presidents Day, NO SCHOOL!	18	19	20 Black History Night 5:30PM	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28 Movie Night! PVO Sponsored dress down day \$1	29

ORLANDO SCIENCE ELEMENTARY

## TALENT SHOW AUDITIONS

K-3 AUDITIONS WILL TAKE PLACE  
ON MARCH 2ND AND 3RD  
[BIT.LY/K-3TALENT](https://bit.ly/k-3talent)

4-6 AUDITIONS WILL TAKE PLACE  
ON MARCH 3RD AND 4TH  
[BIT.LY/4-6TALENT](https://bit.ly/4-6talent)

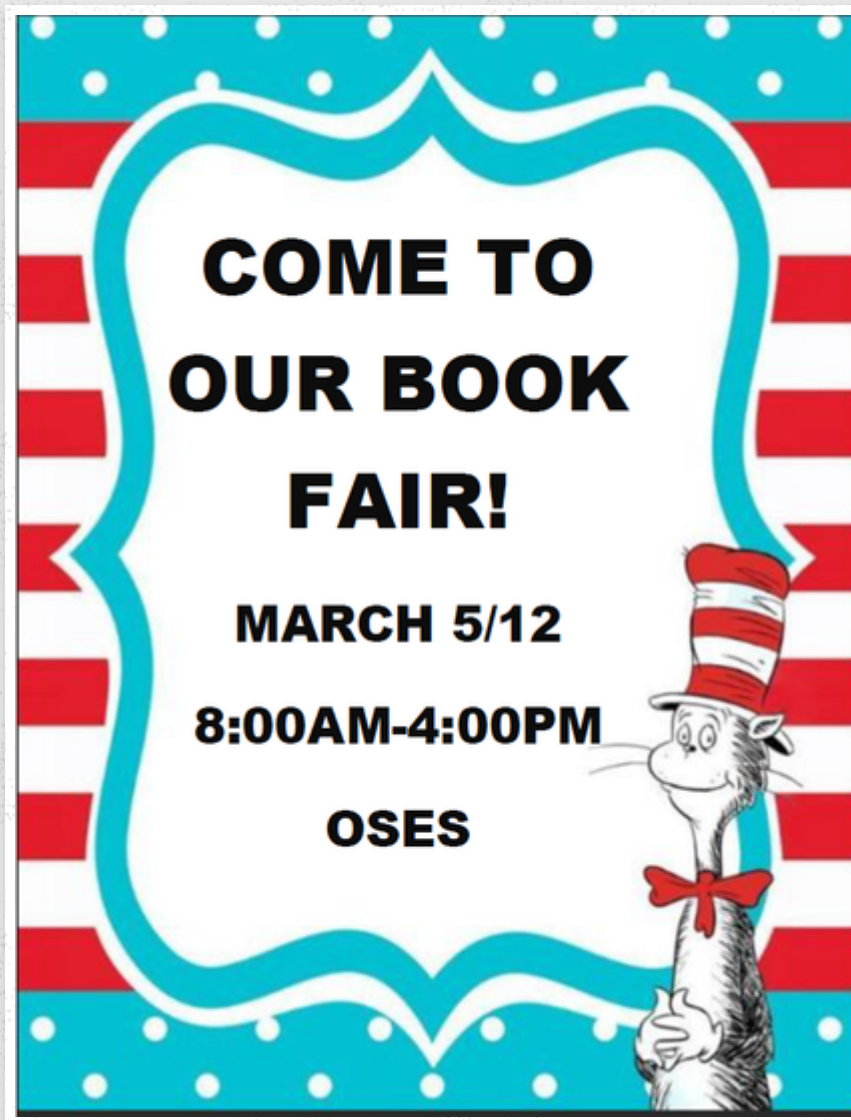
Please sign up for a time slot by Feb. 27th  
using the Google Form link in the newsletter.

Questions? Contact

lauren.adcock@orlandoscience.org or  
cassandra.riiska@orlandoscience.org

**K-3 AUDITIONS**

**4-6 AUDITIONS**





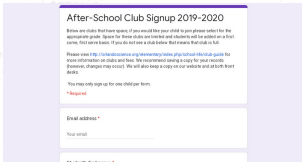


24 Mon	25 Tue	26 Wed	27 Thu	28 Fri
<b>Entree (Choice of one)</b>	<b>Entree (Choice of one)</b>	<b>Entree (Choice of one)</b>	<b>Entree (Choice of one)</b>	<b>Entree (Choice of one)</b>
VW French Bread Cheese Pizza	Turkey & American Croissant	Shepherd's Pie w/ Dinner Roll HS	Cheeseburger	Mandarin Chicken Wings or Jerk "Rasta" Chicken Wings with
<b>Vegetable (Choice of One or Two)</b>	<b>Vegetable (Choice of One or Two)</b>	<b>Vegetable (Choice of One or Two)</b>	<b>Vegetable (Choice of One or Two)</b>	<b>Vegetable (Choice of One or Two)</b>
Marinara Sauce	Cucumber salad	Shepherd's Pie w/ Dinner Roll HS	Garlic Spinach	Pineapple Brown Rice (MS/ES)
Potatoes Seasoned Fries	Asian Carrot Slaw Pico De Gallo	Vegetable (Choice of One or Two)	Lettuce & Tomato	Pineapple Brown Rice HS
<b>Fruit (Choice of One or Two)</b>	<b>Fruit (Choice of One or Two)</b>	<b>Fruit (Choice of One or Two)</b>	<b>Fruit (Choice of One or Two)</b>	<b>Fruit (Choice of One or Two)</b>
Mixed Fruit	Peach Cup	Peach Cup	Red Apples or Apple Golden	Sweet Plantains
Fruit Juice	Fruit Juice	Strawberry Cup	Frozen Mixed Berry Fruit	Inland Beans
				<b>Fruit (Choice of One or Two)</b>
				Pineapple Tidbits
				Fruit Pearls

[CLICK HERE TO VIEW THE FEBRUARY LUNCH MENU!](#)








Please click the link below to view our available clubs that have space



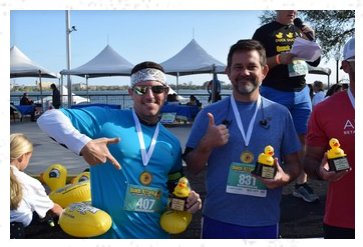
## 2019-2020 CLUB GUIDE

please save for your records

MIDDLE SCHOOL TUTORING SCHEDULE				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
				
Science	Music/ PE/ Languages	Language Arts	Mathematics	Social Studies

## QUACK ATTACK

This passed weekend staff participated in the 7th annual quack attack 5k. The goal of this community-based event is to raise funds and awareness for the nonprofit United Against Poverty Orlando whose mission is to inspire and empower people living in poverty to lift themselves and their families to economic self-sufficiency.







## KINDERGARTEN

We had a great work learning about our Presidents and Black History!! We really loved learning our most current black authors, inventors and people in STEM.

We also enjoyed learning funny facts about our favorite presidents. Make sure to ask us what some of our favorite facts are!!

## FIRST GRADE

We had such a great time seeing some of our first graders at Black History Night.

## SECOND GRADE

Living Wax Museum presentations











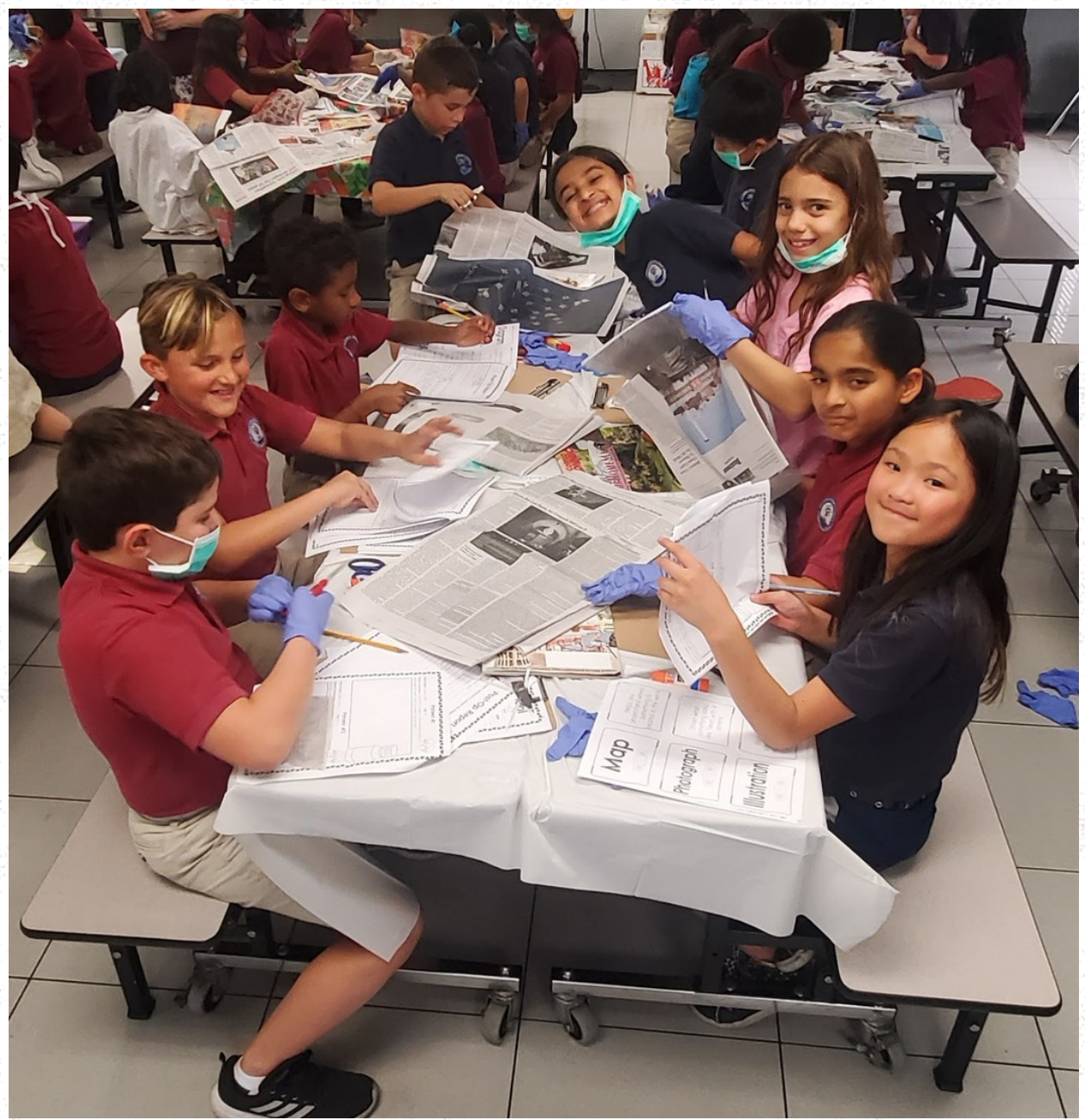


## THIRD GRADE

Third grade had a blast doing text feature surgery! Thank you to all our families that helped.











Congratulations to Anaya for earning 200 AR points. She enjoyed a donut party as her reward.



## FIFTH GRADE

Fifth grade has been working on projects on Abolition/Civil War. The projects were presented in class on Thursday and featured during Black History Night that evening. Thank you to everyone that was able to come out and see their hard work!



## SCIENCE BENCHMARK

There will be a science benchmark test in March before Spring Break. It will cover a lot of standards. Please review the study guide with your 5th grade student so they are prepared for the test. Students are encouraged to complete at least two Gimkit sessions at home. The Gimkit session has questions from all of the standards that will be tested. Parents, siblings, teachers, and friends can also join in. Practice 5th grade science on Gimkit:

<http://bit.ly/sciencebypass>. Prizes will be given to the students with the highest percentage correct on the Gimkit assignment.



Fill in the Blank 5th Grade Big Idea Study Guides.pdf



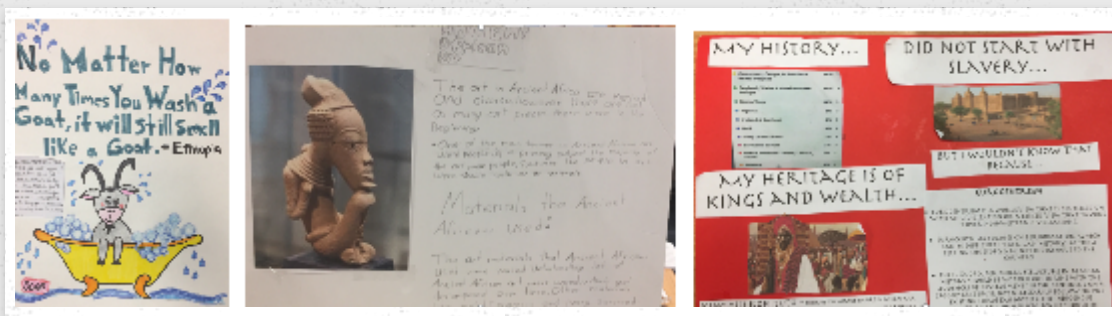
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## SIXTH GRADE

In World History this week, we continue our examination of the government of the Roman Republic and how their separation of powers was a model for our own. SPQR - no more kings!

We also had some really neat submissions for Black History Night



## SPECIALS

### STEM

The Curtis Rising Stars Science Challenge is an entry level STEM competition for students in grades Kindergarten – 5th. The purpose of this program is to prepare and inspire younger elementary students for science competitions later on in their academic careers. The Science Center challenges young elementary student teams of 2 – 5 students (grades K-5) to practice skills in their classroom and apply them via a competition, with the support of their teachers and caregivers, at the Orlando Science Center.

The challenges were presented in a short written description. A facilitator in each room read the challenge aloud initially. Educators and an adult chaperone per group were able to reread

the card to students, acting as a coach, but adults do not participate in solving the problem. Students worked independently to see what creative solutions they could dream up. On **February 1st**, our K-2nd students competed at this event. We had several students compete, but one group won Most Innovative for grade bands 1st-2nd.

Robo Ocras  
Donovan Corriette  
Avni Patel  
Aiden Nguyen  
Bayaan Lahrech

On **February 15th**, our 3rd-5th grade students competed. One of our groups won Most Innovative for grade bands 3rd-4th. Congrats to all and Thank you!

Green Ocras  
Pehel Anand  
Armaan Khokhar  
Christian Giraldo  
Anaya Sheth  
Lucky Masimukku  
Aarit Moolchandani

TIME FLIES WHEN A PROJECT IS DUE!

ARE YOU READY FOR THE DEADLINE?



**February 21**  
FRIDAY

Spend an awesome weekend with the family.

"I think I know what my project's about. I'll work on it later."



**February 24 - 27**  
MONDAY - THURSDAY

Homework, Club, Family

"What project?"



**February 28th**  
FRIDAY

Enjoy the PVO Movie Night with Family! Only \$5  
Sign up at [bit.ly/OSSFamilyNight](http://bit.ly/OSSFamilyNight)



**March 2nd**  
MONDAY

"Mom...Dad...My Art Project is due tomorrow."



**March 3**  
TUESDAY

Art Projects for 2nd - 4th grade due!



**March 9**  
MONDAY

Art Projects for 5th - 6th grade due!

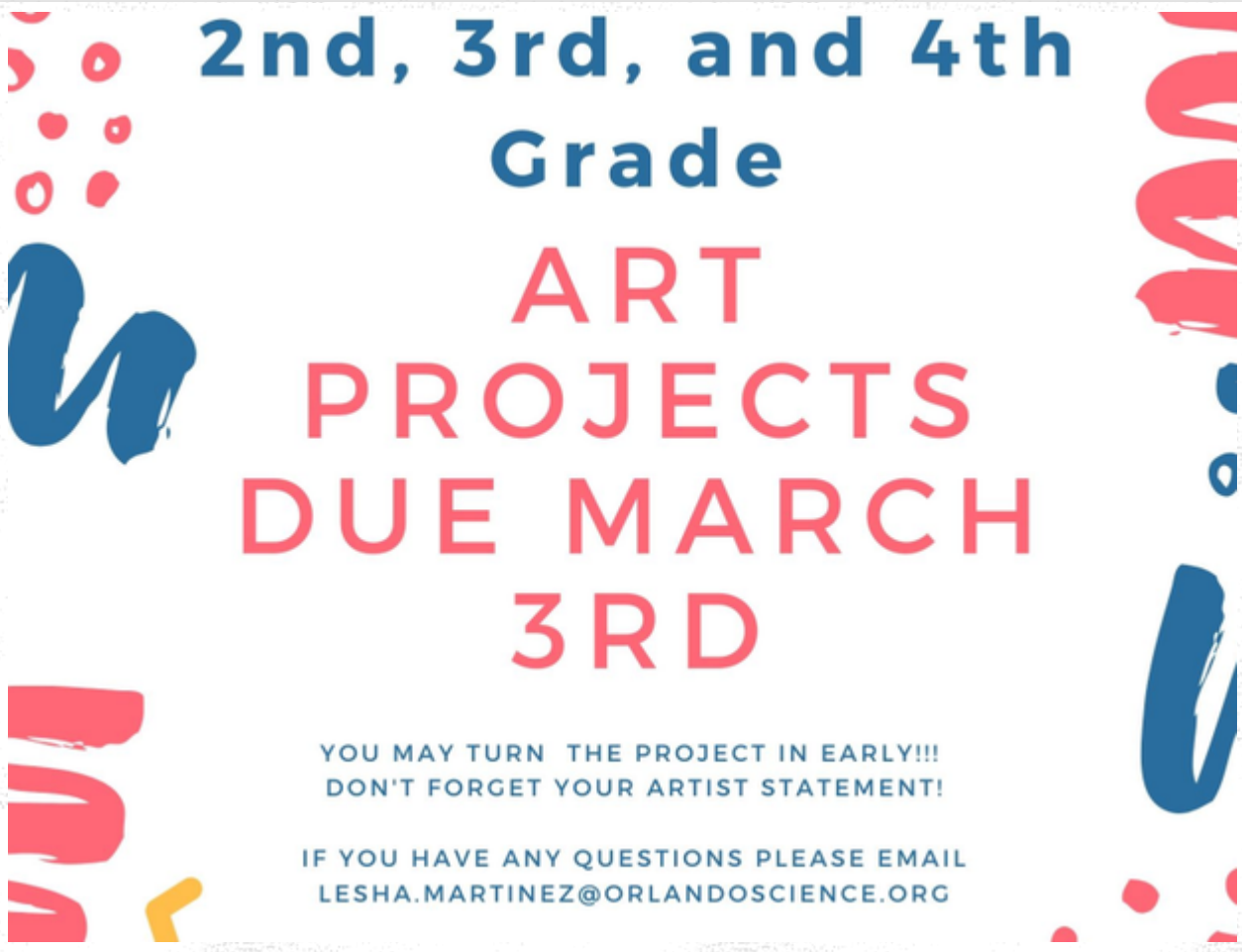


**Is your art project done?**  
INCLUDING THE ARTIST STATEMENT?  
[bit.ly/OSSArtistStatement](http://bit.ly/OSSArtistStatement)  
Remember link is case sensitive!

YAY! THE ART PROJECT IS OVER! NOW FOR THE JUDGING!

IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN JUDGING A GRADE LEVEL, PLEASE  
EMAIL [LESLA.MARTINEZ@ORLANDOSCIENCE.ORG](mailto:LESLA.MARTINEZ@ORLANDOSCIENCE.ORG).





**2nd, 3rd, and 4th  
Grade**

**ART  
PROJECTS  
DUE MARCH  
3RD**

YOU MAY TURN THE PROJECT IN EARLY!!!  
DON'T FORGET YOUR ARTIST STATEMENT!

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS PLEASE EMAIL  
[LESHA.MARTINEZ@ORLANDOSCIENCE.ORG](mailto:LESHA.MARTINEZ@ORLANDOSCIENCE.ORG)



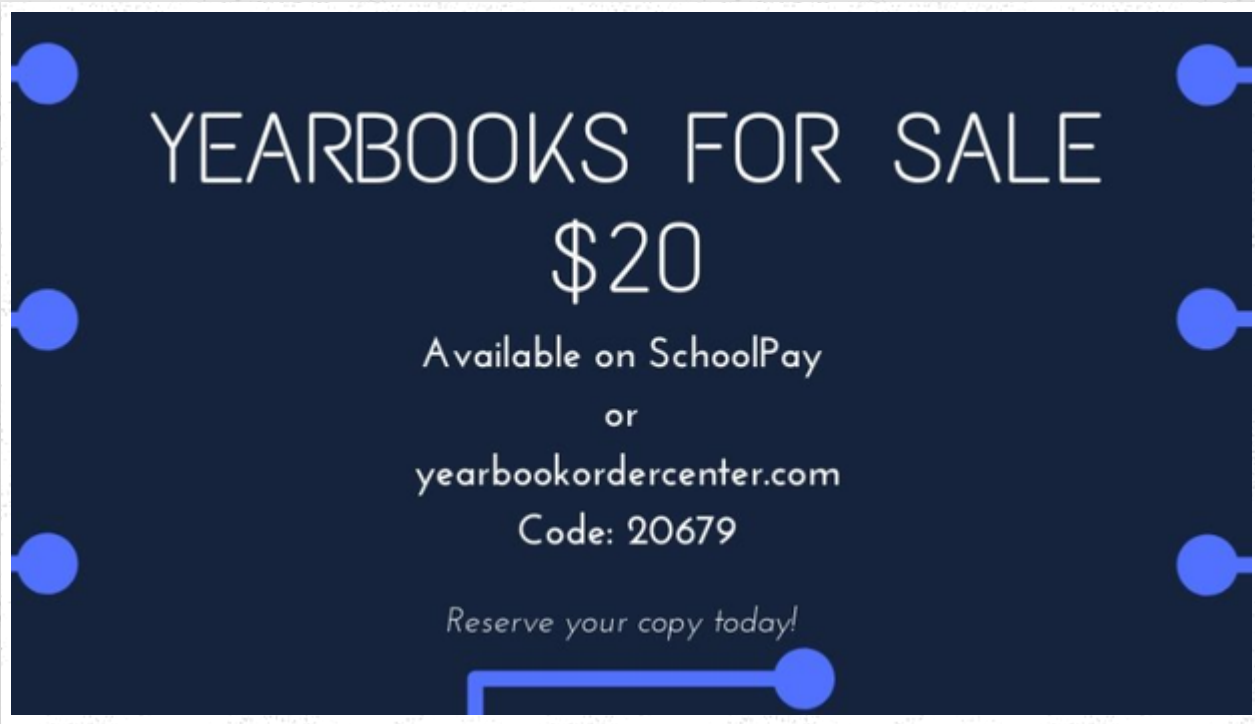
**5TH & 6TH GRADE**

**ART CONTEST  
DUE MARCH  
9TH**

You can turn in the project early!

Don't forget your artist statement!

QUESTIONS? EMAIL  
[LESHA.MARTINEZ@ORLANDOSCIENCE.ORG](mailto:LESHA.MARTINEZ@ORLANDOSCIENCE.ORG)



## OSS STUDENT WRITING

A collection of work from students and teachers will be published during Spring Break. If you would like to contribute to the book, please contact Mrs. Trujillo. We can't wait to see our students' work published! At least one book will be purchased and added to the library so students can check it out.

## LUNCH BUNCH

### **Monday Math Munchies**

This is open to 4th and 5th graders that are interested in math games, magic (math) tricks, puzzles, and math challenges.

4th Graders: Monday Math Munchies:

<http://bit.ly/4thmathmunchies>

5th Graders: Monday Math Munchies:

<http://bit.ly/5thmathmunchies>

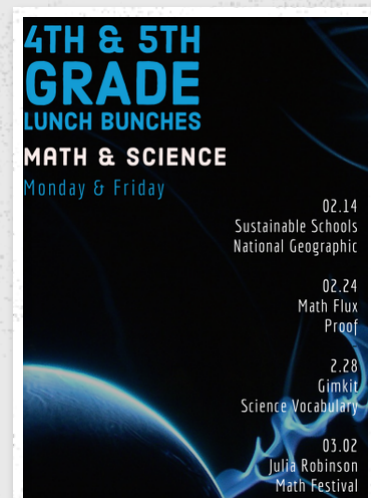
### **Friday Science Lunch Bunch**

This is open to 4th and 5th graders that are interested in experiments, Citizen Scientists, guest speakers, and science games.

4th Graders: Friday Science Lunch Bunch:

<http://bit.ly/4thsciencelunch>

5th Graders: Friday Science Lunch Bunch: <http://bit.ly/5thsciencelunch>





## SECME REGIONALS

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## CITIZEN SCIENTIST

How sustainable is our school?  
How sustainable is your neighborhood?

Now is your chance to share your input (and data) with the world!

1. Visit the Sustainable Schools website.

<http://bit.ly/osskidsscience>

2. Find the school by pressing the Locate Me button or typing in 2611 Technology Drive.



3. Drop pins on the map where you find sustainable items like recycling bins.
4. Drop pins on the map for where we need to add sustainable items.
5. You can do the same with parks and shopping areas in your neighborhood.
6. Share your experience on Social Media and tag the school: @OSSK6Campus #kidscience

## HEALTH AND WELLNESS

For the health and safety of all our students, please keep your child home when any of the following signs/symptoms are noted, and seek medical attention as needed. The following signs and symptoms may indicate the beginning of a communicable disease:

- \*sore throat \* red eye(s) - itchy, crusty, yellow discharge
- \*headache \* nausea
- \*diarrhea (two or more times) \* vomiting (two or more times)
- \*fever (100.5 degrees F or more) \* coughing/wheezing
- \*balding/flaky area with/without patches \* chills
- \*red, swollen areas

Parents of child in school with any of the above symptoms will be notified. In order to prevent illness from being spread to other children in the school, students can **only return to school when symptoms are resolved and has been fever free for 24 hours *without* the use of fever medication as per OCPS policy.**

\*If your child needs to take any medication throughout the day, it **MUST** be checked into the clinic first. Students may not carry medicine in their backpack unless approved by Ms. Toro.





# I Need to Stay Home if...



I have a <b>Fever</b>	I am <b>Vomiting</b>	I have <b>Diarrhea</b>	I have a <b>Rash</b>	I have <b>Head Lice</b>	I have an <b>Eye Infection</b>	I have been in the <b>Hospital</b>
Temperature of 100°F or higher	Within the past 24 hours	Within the past 24 hours	Body rash with itching or fever	Itchy head, active head lice	Redness, itching, and/or "crusty" discharge from eyes	Hospital stay and/or ER visit

# I am Ready to Go Back to School When I am...

Fever free for 24 hours without the use of fever reducing medication.	Free from vomiting for at least 2 solid meals without the use of medications.	Free from diarrhea for at least 24 hours without the use of medications.	Free from rash itching or fever and evaluated by doctor if needed.	Treated with appropriate lice treatment at home and proof is provided to nurse.	Eye has returned to normal or have a note from doctor to return to school.	Released by my medical provider to return to school.
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## SUPPORT YOUR SCHOOL

### AMAZON

A great way to help raise money for Orlando Science Schools is to use the links below when shopping from **Amazon** or **Office Depot/Office Max**.

<https://smile.amazon.com/ch/20-3366305>

<http://www.officedepot.com/a/content/back-to-school/5percent/>

OSes School Code: 70228302

OSS School Code: 70218341



## IMPORTANT SCHOOL REMINDERS/INFORMATION

### 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](http://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 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 [Ms. Centenera](mailto:Ms.Centenera) at [cristina.centenera@orlandoscience.org](mailto:cristina.centenera@orlandoscience.org)



## INTERESTED IN VOLUNTEERING AT THE OSS TECHNOLOGY CAMPUS?

Orlando Science Families interested in volunteering at the OSS Technology Campus during the 2018-2019 School Year MUST be ADDitions approved. Below you will find the link to apply for ADDitions for the 2018-2019 School Year.



**APPLY TO BECOME AN ADDITIONS VOLUNTEER TODAY!**

## ATTENDANCE MATTERS

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 questions please contact Mrs. Stella for k-3rd grade and Ms. Taylor for 3rd-6th grade

[Stella.waton@orlandoscience.org](mailto:Stella.waton@orlandoscience.org)

[Taylor.watson@Orlandoscience.org](mailto:Taylor.watson@Orlandoscience.org)



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

If your student is absent on a day that they have club, please remember to email the club teacher so that their absence for club that day is excused.



## 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.



FortifyFL.pdf

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## DRESS CODE



OSS Middle School Dress Code Information

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OSS Elementary Dress Code Memo

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## CHARACTER EDUCATION CORNER FOR PARENTS

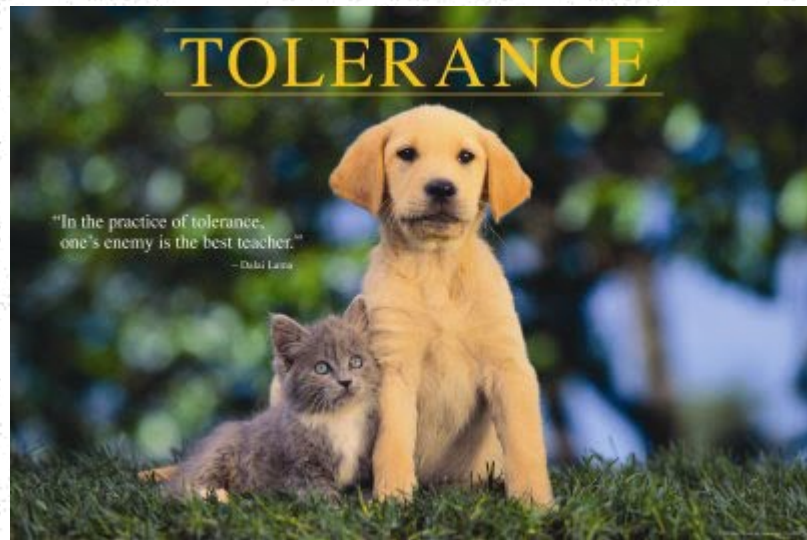


# CHARACTER TRAIT

of the Month

## TOLERANCE

"In the practice of tolerance,  
one's enemy is the best teacher."  
— Dalai Lama



WE are NOT:  
what OTHER PEOPLE  
say WE ARE  
WE ARE who WE  
KNOW ourselves  
TO BE and WE ARE  
WHAT we LOVE

LaVerne Cox



[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qPhOZzsi\\_6Q&list=PLYCIGIdhvHXal\\_JaIeH9anwXLxNw9KjxU&index=1](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qPhOZzsi_6Q&list=PLYCIGIdhvHXal_JaIeH9anwXLxNw9KjxU&index=1)



Sesame Street: Same and Different



FEBRUARY TRAIT OF THE MONTH  
[click here for more detail](#)

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**STUDENT COUPONS, DEALS, PROMOTIONS, AND  
OTHER FUN THINGS TO DO**





## El Carnaval in Lake Nona

Feb 22, 2020 | 2:00 PM | Saturday



**FUN SPOT AMERICA**  
2ND ANNUAL  
**CHILI MUSIC FESTIVAL**  
FEBRUARY 21, 2020 | 5PM-9PM



### Little Artisans

Sun., 2-23-2020

10 a.m.-1:30 p.m

Hamlin Artisan Market

5400 Hamlin Groves Trail, Winter Garden, FL 34787

Event added by Kate L.

Drop by the Hamlin Artisan Market every Sunday and enjoy a new "LITTLE ARTISANS" craft project perfect for the whole family.