

TECHNOLOGY CAMPUS CHRONICLE

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PRINCIPAL'S CORNER

THE WEEK ENDING 1/24/20

Dear OSES Technology Campus Families,

Congratulations to the following students who are finalists for the Orange County STEM Fair:

Sarina Shah-Engineering

Rita Bennani Sanchez- Engineering

Anum Ali- Behavioral and Social Sciences

Emily Armao- Plant Sciences

Zara Serrano Diaz-Biomedical & Health Sciences

Moonish Badaloo-Earth & Environmental Sciences

Shrey Trivedi- Earth & Environmental Sciences

Sophia Hosein-Environmental Engineering

Monish Saravana Kumar Divya Sundari-Physics & Astronomy

Shiva Patel- Biomedical & Health Sciences

Sincerely,
Michael Singleton

LOST AND FOUND!

Dear Families,

All lost and found items will be placed at the front desk in building 2 next week. If your child is missing any items, please come in and look at what we have. Any items that aren't claimed by the end of the week will be donated.



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, February 3rd

save the date

JANUARY '20

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
29	30	31	1	2	3	4
			Winter Break ----->			
5	6 Teacher work day, No school!	7	8	9	10	11 Open House 10-12:30PM
12	13	14	15	16 2nd grade field trip	17	18
19	20 NO SCHOOL! MLK	21	22	23 STEAM Night 5:30-7:30PM	24	25
26 Lottery 10AM	27 ORCA Day!	28	29	30	31	1

School Lunch



27 Mon	28 Tue	29 Wed	30 Thu	31 Fri
Entree (Choice of one) WW French Bread Cheese Pizza	Entree (Choice of one) Fiesta Taco Bowl	Entree (Choice of one) Mac & Cheese and Chicken Nuggets (HS)	Entree (Choice of one) Gooey BBQ Grilled Chicken Sandwich (MS/HS)	Entree (Choice of one) Mandarin Chicken Wings or Jerk "Basta" Chicken Wings with
Vegetable (Choice of One or Two) Marinara Sauce Potatoes Seasoned Fries	Vegetable (Choice of One or Two) Lettuce & Tomato Pico De Gallo W/ Cucumber Pico De Gallo	Mac & Cheese and Chicken Nuggets (MS) Mac N Cheese (ES)	Grilled Chicken Sandwich (ES) Vegetable (Choice of One or Two)	Pineapple Brown Rice (MS/ES) Pineapple Brown Rice HS
Fruit (Choice of One or Two) Mixed Fruit Fruit Juice	Fruit (Choice of One or Two) Applesauce Strawberry Cup	Vegetable (Choice of One or Two) Coleslaw Garlic Spinach	Tomato Cucumber Salad Carrot Dippers with Lite Ranch Dressing or Carrots with Hummus Garlic Spinach	Vegetable (Choice of One or Two) Sweet Plantains Island Beans
		Fruit (Choice of One or Two) Grapes Fruit Juice	Fruit (Choice of One or Two) Orange Wedges Frozen Mixed Berry Fruit	Fruit (Choice of One or Two) Red Apples Apple Golden Fruit Pears

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



After School Clubs

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

After-School Club Signup 2019-2020

Below are details for each club. If you are interested in signing up for a club, please click on the appropriate link. Space for these clubs are limited and signups will be done on a first come, first served basis. If you are interested in a club, please contact the club leader.

Please email the club leader with your interest in the club and a link to this page for more information on club signups. The club leader will contact you by email or phone. Changes may occur. We will also keep a copy on our website and attach these details.

You may only sign up for one club per term.

*Required

Email address:
Your email






[After-School Club Signup 2019-...](#)

forms.gle

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

STEM FAIR

All students at our school are completed a STEM Fair project this year.

Kindergarteners and first graders turned in their trifolds on Monday. The **second graders** will turn in their trifolds on **Monday, January 27th**. All of the STEM Fair files are available online: <http://bit.ly/stemfair1920>. The second grade trifolds will be scored with the checklist. We look forward to seeing all of the projects!



The **fourth graders** are required to turn in a tri-fold as well as a digital notebook for their experiment. The checklist attached is an example of how a project will be graded. More information may be found in the attached file.

The **4th grade** digital books are due on **February 3rd**. The trifolds are due on **February 10th**. Please turn the board in to your teacher. Please upload the digital notebook here:

<http://bit.ly/stemfairnotebooks>

Please let me know if you have any questions about the STEM Fair project.

Does your display board include:	Yes	No
Title	Yes	No
Problem	Yes	No
Question	Yes	No
Scientific Background Research	Yes	No
Hypothesis	Yes	No
Variables	Yes	No
Experiment Materials	Yes	No
Experimental Procedure	Yes	No
Data is in a table or graph	Yes	No
Three or more trials are evident	Yes	No
Conclusion	Yes	No
Bibliography	Yes	No
Are the sections on your display board organized so they are easy to follow?	Yes	No
Is the graph or table created on the computer?	Yes	No
Is everything typed?	Yes	No
Is the text font large enough to be read easily (at least 16 points)?	Yes	No
Does the title catch people's attention, and is the title font large enough to be read from across the room?	Yes	No
Did you use pictures and diagrams to effectively convey information about your science fair project?	Yes	No
Have you constructed your display board as neatly as possible?	Yes	No
Did you proofread your display board?	Yes	No
Are all faces covered in pictures?	Yes	No
Is your name, grade, and teacher name on the back of the board?	Yes	No



K6 STEM Fair 1920.pdf

please click for more information on this years stem fair

[Download](#)
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KINDERGARTEN

This week in Kindergarten we took a journey through the galaxies!!! We explored how planets were formed, what they are made of and if there are planets that are habitable. We wrote about life would be like on another planet, how long it would take for us to get to this planet and if aliens are real.

We had a great time jumping through galaxies with space numbers!! We hope to return to our home planet soon!

FIRST GRADE

We enjoyed learning about the great contributions that Martin Luther King Jr. made to help change our country for the better. We thought about how we can make our country a better place to live in the future. We have been enjoying the STEM projects and sharing everything we learned. Coming up is the **101st day of school** next week as well as ORCA Day on Monday.

SECOND GRADE

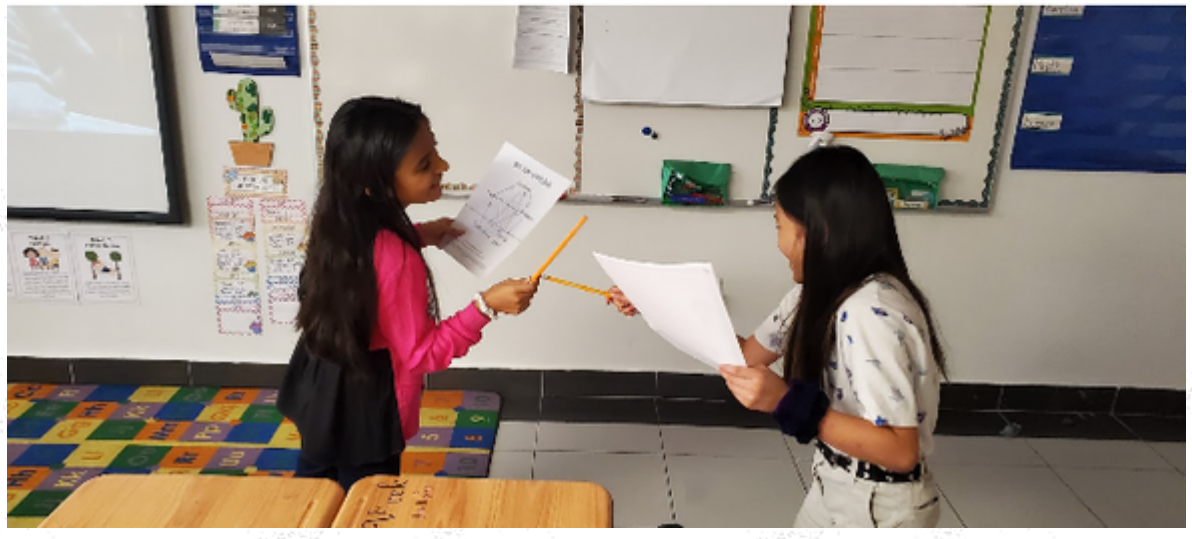
In Mrs. Waugh's class, students are finishing up their first fraction unit. They are researching Ellis Island in Social Studies and will be using what they find to write diary entries and immigrants and make a video presentation. In Science, they have been busy identifying physical and chemical changes. In ELA, students have been reading about trees, identifying text features, and even writing poetry about trees. They also started to participate in a kindness challenge for the character trait of the month.

THIRD GRADE

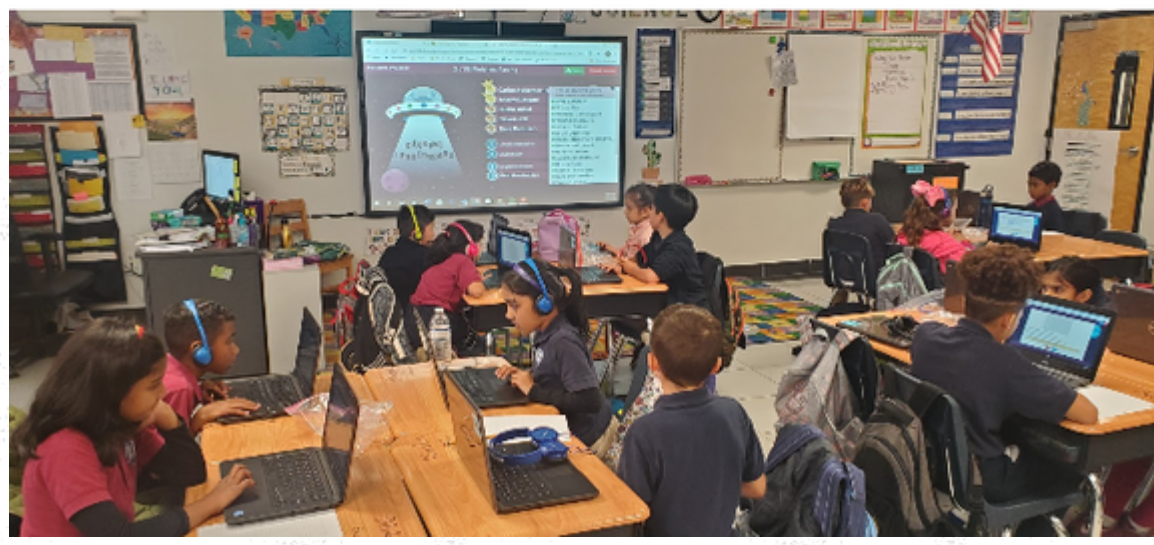
Mrs. Sokoloff's class has worked very hard on our early explorer project. We are continuing to work on our informative essays with our writing buddies.

Please remember to register for Saturday Leadership Academy

Third grade had an awesome time celebrating our students that made their AR goal on **January 10th**. The Harry Potter room was a huge success!



Ms. Hurley's class is excited about their new unit on plants. They are hoping that all their beans grow! We have also enjoyed using Study Island group session and nearpod to help us review for our tests.



FOURTH GRADE

Fourth Grade has had a productive week this week! Mrs. Michaud's class has been hard at work comparing literature to multimedia productions, learning about customary measurement conversions, algebraic equations, or the Pythagorean Theorem in Math, classifying minerals in Science, and transportation in post-Reconstruction Florida in Social Studies. In addition, Mrs. Michaud's class has also started a fun unit on solving Rubik's cubes in class this week!

Don't forget, to celebrate having 80 more days until 5th grade, 4th grade is having a 1980s Dress Down Day on **Monday (January 27)**! We can't wait to see all of the creative, colorful outfits!

Lastly, invitations for Saturday Leadership Academy were sent out. SLA is a great way to help your child prepare for FSA through a targeted review of tough standards! Please remember to register if you received an invitation for your child.

FIFTH GRADE

SIXTH GRADE



This week, World History took a break from our study of Ancient Greece and discussed the American Civil Rights movement as we listened to Dr. Martin Luther King's "I Have a Dream" speech. The classes engaged in some interesting discussions.

In our study of Ancient Greece, we spent time discussing the differences between life in Athens and Sparta. We should wrap up our study of Greece next week!

Congratulations to all our 6th grade students who are finalists for their science fair projects. Their projects were displayed at the Middle School Science Fair Lynx Campus on **Thursday, January 23rd**.

Student Finalist for the Middle School Science Fair:

Sarina Shah

Rita Bennani Sanchez

Anum Ali

Emily Armao

Zara Serrano Diaz

Moonish Badaloo

Shrey Trivedi

Cole Rasmy

Sophia Hosein

Arav Shah

Monish Saravana Kumar Divya Sundari

Gavin Tucker

Shiva Patel

*Their projects will all be displayed at the Technology Campus K-6 School Fair as well on **February 28th** along with the group class project done by Amira Dyer, Jhanvi Khan and Anuj Parekh.*

SPECIALS

Calling All Scientist!!!!!!

The Curtis Rising Stars Science Challenge introduces young students to science competitions and helps them develop teamwork skills. The competition is open to students in Grades K–5, K-2 will be on **February 1st** and 3-5 on **February 15th**. The competition starts at 9 and ends around 2:30-3.

Students are first prepared through pre-activities and prompts with their class at school. The experience culminates in the day-long competition at the Orlando Science Center, when students put their STEM skills into practice.

Parents are to stay with their student at the Orlando Science Center during the competition. At the end of the competition, your family will have access to the Science Center for the rest of the day!

We have the ability to have three groups of 4 students per grade level.

The sign up is listed below.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/tabs/53174D804AEC3EBC60-curtis>

If you have any questions please contact Ms.Coy!

SECME REGIONAL UCF

The following students will be representing Orlando Science at the SECME Regionals on **February 15th** at UCF: Soha, Mahie, Aidan, Nasser, Sanjana, Zuhair, Braylon, Srihitha, Helena, Dhruv, Nischinth, Jacoby, Parth, Aditya, Caralyn, Rita, Sai, Hamiska, Shiva, Anvesha, Monish, and Samuel. Our teams are competing in Essay/Vision Board, Codecraft, Math, Water Bottle Rocket, Mousetrap Car, Glider, and Banner. We wish them luck and can't wait to see them compete!



SECME - UCF STEM

stem.ucf.edu

STEAM NIGHT

DEAREST FAMILIES AND COMMUNITY
PARTNERS!

Thank You!

Our STEAM Night would not have been the
same without you! ✨

WITH LOVE,
ORLANDO SCIENCE CHARTER SCHOOL ✨

Families joined us for our annual STEAM night. This year we showcased different STEAM partners in our community ranging from pottery with Jack Void, mini-drones and sphero robots with CitizensScience at UCF, the Sea Turtle Preservation Society, math competitions by Mrs Trujillo, Holograms from your phone/tablet, constellation viewers, telescopes for the Astronomical Society of Central Florida, nail polish art, our SECME teams, STEM fair projects, and delicious BBQ from Shaw's Ooh Wee food truck.

One lucky student was awarded a gift bag from Microsoft priced at over \$75!



MATH COMPETITION WINNERS

Kindergarten: Eshan (1st) Sidh (2nd), Ashar (3rd)

First Grade: Nikhil (1st), Nader (2nd), Ava (3rd),

Second Grade: Giovanna (1st), Alec (2nd), Phinesse (3rd), Donovan (4th)

Third Grade: Kharem (1st), Viviene (1st), Riddhi (2nd), Peyton (3rd), Veronica (4th)

Fourth Grade: Srihitha (1st), Arshee (2nd), Akkaash (3rd)

Fifth Grade: Aditya (1st), Mahie (1st), Jordyn (2nd), Nasser (2nd), Parth (3rd)

Sixth Grade: Shiva (1st), Ricardo (2nd), Jackson (3rd), Merry (4th)

Overall Winners: Aditya and Mahie

STAFF COMMENDATIONS/STAFF CHARACTER OF THE MONTH

Do you appreciate what staff members do for our students?
Would you like to say THANK YOU to a staff member in our school?

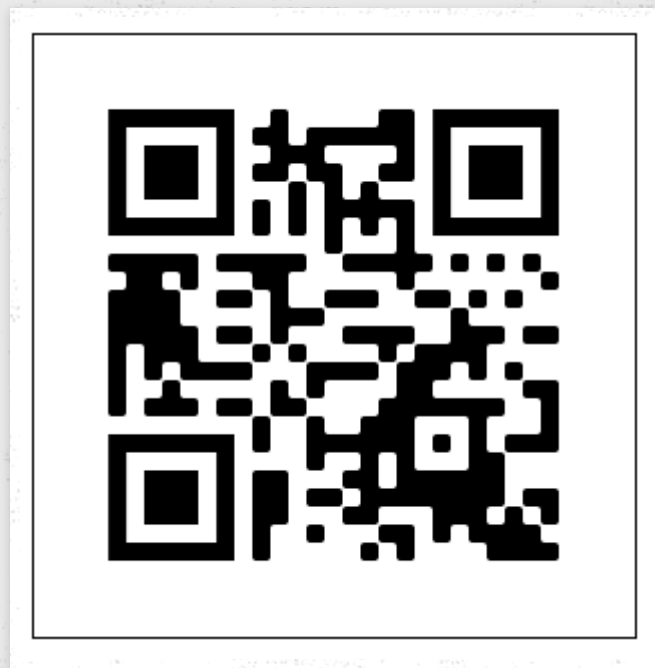


We are giving you the best way to do it!

Recognize any staff member(s) by giving them commendations using the following link. These messages can mean the world for a staff member and will help increase motivation.

Ms. Hurley and Mr. Lawrence both go out of their way to make sure that the learning that happens in their classroom is engaging and memorable. They both also are innovative and take on additional challenges in order for their students to the best year possible. Their innovative and positive spirits rub off on all the rest of us and we appreciate their contributions to our school. Orlando Science Schools would like to recognize both of them as the Staff Character of the Month for the month of OCTOBER

Would you like to recognize someone at our school? Please fill out the online form or scan the QR code: <http://bit.ly/staffawesome>.



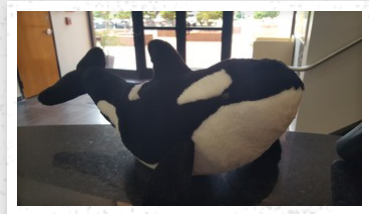
ENTER STAFF COMMENDATIONS HERE!

TRAVELING ORCA

Our traveling Orca has been slowly making his way around campus. I am hoping that he makes it back to Building 2 next week. Please check out his blog with your class. It is updated

weekly. The kids in the club would love to see some comments added to the posts! Make sure you play the Kindness theme song! It's a catchy little tune 😊

<https://orcakind2019.edublogs.org/>



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 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 crystina.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

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





In a
World
WHERE YOU CAN
be anything,
be kind.

A short story on - kindness must see



Kindness Counts: "Kindness is a Muscle" Sing-A-Long Lyric Music Video | Universal Kids



CHARACTER EDUCATION CORNER FOR PARENTS JANUARY
TRAIT OF THE MONTH_ KINDNESS.pdf

January trait of the month



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



Get in FREE on Your Birthday!*

Guests receive FREE admission within 7 days of their birthday.

Offer valid in-person only with proof of birth date, such as a driver's license or birth certificate. Can only redeem once per year.



**DISCOVER
DISNEY
TICKET**

Amazing Deal for Florida Residents



[Movie Under the Stars](#)

Featuring: Toy Story 4

Friday, January 24, 6pm-9pm

Avalon Park

FREE movie and free popcorn.

[Cops 'N Cars for Kids Car Show](#)

Saturday, January 25, 10am-4pm

Oviedo Mall

FREE event with show cars, first responder vehicles, food and kids' zone.

[Family Fun Day at WonderWorks](#)

Sunday, January 26, 9am-11pm

WonderWorks, I-Drive

Admission \$15 for Florida Residents.

[Free Girls Lacrosse Clinic](#)

Sunday, January 26, 1pm-2:30pm

Lake Highland Preparatory School, Orlando

FREE event for ages K-8th, all levels.

