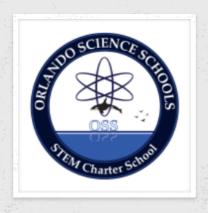
# TECHNOLOGY CAMPUS CHRONICLE

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PRINCIPAL'S CORNER

#### **THE WEEK ENDING 5-3-19**

Dear OSS Technology Campus Families,

May 7th is Gallery Night, Come see all of the amazing art work created this year and participate in hands on art. Cost is \$5 per family. Students who participate will receive 2 dress down passes.

Don't forget to purchase your yearbooks! The current price is \$20. Please see Ms. Martinez for additional details.

Please remember that there is no pick up or drop off at the front desk during dismissal. If you need to make special arrangements please call the office ahead of time.

This Sunday May 5th, our Girls on The Run Team will be participating in the programs culminating 5K! It is being held in Baldwin Park. The 5K begins promptly at 8:30 am on Sunday! If any of you live in the area and are free to come support OUR AMAZING GIRLS, they would really appreciate all the cheering and encouragement from the sidelines.

Next week is Teacher Appreciation Week. Each day there will be a theme, however students can show their appreciate anyway they would like. A flyer of the themes was sent our via email and is also posted below.

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, May 13th.

#### SUPPORT YOUR SCHOOL

#### **SCIENCE OLYMPIAD**

OSS is heading to Nationals, and we need your help to get us there!

We are proud to announce that the Orlando Science Middle School Science Olympiad Team is heading to Nationals this May to represent the state of Florida. After taking home a 1st place prize at the State Competition, held at the University of Central Florida, their sights are now set on the National Competition in Ithaca, New York.

In order to make this dream a reality, the school is looking for dedicated individuals interested in "Sponsoring a Student." The sponsorship program will assist in costs associated with the travel, accommodations, and additional necessities for the team of 15.

Donations and sponsorship benefit details can be found through the links below. All donation processing will be made through Orlando Science's School Pay Account. Please feel free to review our fundraising site at your convenience. The deadline for donation will be **Friday, May**31st.

If you have additional questions or concerns, please feel free to contact the school with your inquiries at <a href="mailto:oSMSEnrollment@orlandoscience.org">OSMSEnrollment@orlandoscience.org</a>.

### **SPONSOR A STUDENT**

#### **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-toschool/5percent/

OSES School Code: 70228302 OSS School Code: 70218341



#### **TEACHERS PAY TEACHERS**

Many of our teachers use Teachers Pay Teachers for engaging and inquiry-based lessons. There is a schoolwide Teachers Pay Teachers (TpT) account. Parents and community members may donate to the TpT fund by sending in TpT gift cards. Gift cards can be purchased online:



https://www.teacherspayteachers.com/Gift-Card. Parents can send in a gift card for their teacher or for the whole school account.

#### **FALL FESTIVAL 2019 FUNDRAISER**



The Orlando Science Schools PVO Committee representing the Elementary, Middle, and High School are holding the 3rd Annual Fall Festival to raise funds for our schools!

> Annual OSS Fall Festival Fundraiser will be held on Saturday, November 2, 2019

#### Please support our efforts by becoming a Sponsor

Family Sponsorship starting at \$100

If you would like to become an individual, family, business sponsor, or know of anyone that would be willing to support OSS, please contact us at <a href="https://oss.pvo.oss.pv

Thank you!!! With your help, we can reach this year's goal! Visit our webpage for one stop shop for festival information: www.OrlandoScience.org/Fall-Festival-2019





SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			Talent Show at the 1 Orlando science center	2	3	4
 5	Middle school sports banquet 6-7:30PM	7	8	2nd grade field trip to Sea World	10 DRESS DOWN DAY! SSYRA Ice Cream party	11
	TE	ACHER APP	RECIATION	WEEK!		
MOTHERS DAY	K-3 AR glor party 13	4-6 AR glow party 14	k-1 field day	16 2-3 field day	17 4-5 field day	18
19	20	21	22 5TH Grade Graduation 6PM	5th grade Field Trip to Animal Kingdom	24	25
26	MEMORIAL DAY NO SCHOOL!	28	29 LAST DAY OF SCHOOL!		MMER B	REAK

Fi	Florida Standards Assessments (FSA) and				
Next G	Next Generation Sunshine State Standards (NGSSS)				
<u>Dates</u>	FSA English Language Arts (ELA)	<u>Grades</u>			
April 2	FSA ELA - Writing Component	Grades 4-6			
April 2	FSA ELA - Reading Session 1	Grade 3			
April 3	FSA ELA - Reading Session 2	Grade 3			
April 3-12	Make Ups and Accommodations*	Grades 3-6			
May 1	FSA ELA - Reading Session 1	Grades 4-6			
May 2	FSA ELA - Reading Session 2	Grades 4-6			
May 3-14	Make Ups and Accommodations*	Grades 4-6			
Dates	FSA Mathematics	Grades			
May 6	FSA Math Session 1	Grades 3-8**			
May 7	FSA Math Session 2 (and 3 for 6th graders)	Grades 3-8**			
May 8-14	Make Ups and Accommodations*	Grades 3-8**			
Dates	NGSSS Science	<u>Grades</u>			
May 8	Science Session 1	Grade 5			
May 9	Science Session 2	Grade 5			
May 10-14	Make Ups and Accommodations*	Grade 5			



5th grade graduation
May 22, 2019
6 o'clock in the evening
Majestic Event Center





06 Mon	<b>07</b> Tue	08 Wed	09 Thu	10 Fri
Entree (Choice of one)	Entree (Choice of one)	Entree (Choice of one)	Entree (Choice of one)	Entree (Choice of one)
Homemade Chili with Honey Biscuit	Beef Hot Dog or Turkey Hot Dog	Bbg Chicken Drumstick with Cold Pasta Salad 1 cup For HS Cold Pasta Salad 1/2 cup For ES & MS	Sliders, Mini Beef with Cheese	Chicken Tenders or Fish Sticks, All with Garlic Bread
Vegetable (Choice of One or Two)	Vegetable (Choice of One or Two)	Vegetable (Choice of One or Two)	Vegetable (Choice of One or Two)	For HS add <u>Chocolate Chip Cookie</u>
Salsa	Pico De Gallo	Seasoned Cuban Black Beans	Roasted Butternut squash	Vegetable (Choice of One or Two)
Fresh Steamed Broccoli 1/2 cup	<u>Tater Tots</u>	Garden Side Salad	Lettuce & Tomato	Potatoes, Seasoned Fries
Fruit (Choice of One or Two)	Fruit (Choice of One or Two)	Fruit (Choice of One or Two)	Fruit (Choice of One or Two)	Parmesan Crusted Cauliflower
Fruit Juice	Applesauce	Fresh Peaches	Fresh Strawberries	Fruit (Choice of One or Two)
Applesauce	Fruit Juice	Strawberry Cup	Grapes	Pineapple Chunks (Fresh)
Choice of Milk	Choice of Milk	Choice of Milk	Choice of Milk	Emoji Cherry/Lime Ice Cup
Milk	Milk	Milk	Milk	Choice of Milk
		PULL		Milk

#### **CLICK HERE TO VIEW THE MAY LUNCH MENU!**

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

#### **FIELD DAY**

#### Field Day is coming up!

We are in need of volunteers and donations (or both!). Please sign up via the sign up genius links below! All details, volunteer opportunities, and donations needed are listed under each Field Day link. Any questions, please email Mrs. Scales (Stapleton) with any questions! Her email is <a href="mailto:Emiley.scales@orlandoscience.org">Emiley.scales@orlandoscience.org</a>. Thank you so much for all that you do!



#### K-1 Field Day

www.signupgenius.com

If you would like to volunteer for our K-1 Field Day on May 15th, 2019, please sign up here! You can email me at emiley.stapleton@orlandoscience.org with any questions. All parents will need to arrive no later than 7:45 AM the morning of the event to the front desk. I will have all of the information you will need that morning for the station/activity you sign up for. Please park anywhere EXCEPT for behind building 1. We need to make sure the back and side parking for building 1 isn't being used since that is where stations will be set up. Thank you!



If you would like to volunteer for our 2-3 Field Day on May 16th, 2019, please sign up here! You can email me at emiley.stapleton@orlandoscience.org with any questions. All parents will need to arrive no later than 7:45 AM the morning of the event to the front desk. I will have all of the information you will need that morning for the station/activity you sign up for. Please park anywhere EXCEPT for behind building 1. We need to make sure the back and side parking for building 1 isn't being used since that is where stations will be set up. Thank you!



#### 4-5 Field Day

www.signupgenius.com

If you would like to volunteer for our 4-5 Field Day on May 17th, 2019, please sign up here! You can email me at emiley.stapleton@orlandoscience.org with any questions. All parents will need to arrive no later than 7:45 AM the morning of the event to the front desk. I will have all of the information you will need that morning for the station/activity you sign up for. Please park anywhere EXCEPT for behind building 1. We need to make sure the back and side parking for building 1 isn't being used since that is where stations will be set up. Thank you!

#### **FSA TEST TAKING TIPS**





1. Get plenty of sleep the night before

2. Eat a good breakfast

3. be on time

4. If your child is sick please contact the school and let them know



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Prepare your students to be more effective and efficient taking tests with our top 10 test-taking tips for K-12 teachers.

### **TEACHER APPRECIATION WEEK**



Please see flyer below for more information regarding suggested themes and gestures. Thank you in advance for helping us celebrate our wonderful teachers and staff!

#### **KINDERGARTEN**

This week in Kindergarten we had a great time learning about physics and gravity with our egg drop projects! We also sailed the seven seas learning about pirates from around the world in history and present day.

Our favorite thing was having a marine biologist come and talk to us about ocean conservation, sharks and Bimini research facility in the Bahamas!

#### **FIRST GRADE**

Mrs. Beckman's class continued the Monster in the Mangroves book study and finished their math unit on 2D shapes. Thank you to all parents for keeping your children ready to go for IReady testing this week! Have a super weekend!

I'm happy to announce that Ms. DiNuzzo's whole class will be attending the SSYRA ice cream party on **Friday, May 10th!** As a class, we've read all of the Sunshine Shine State Books except one from the list (but we plan to)! Congratulations class!

I'm also happy to announce that students have shown growth on their iReady Reading.

This week in Reading, we continue to compare and contrast a variety of Cinderella stories from Chinese Cinderella, Yeh-Shen, to the male version Prince Cinders.

\*\*Don't forget these upcoming dates 1st grade:
Gallery Night May 7th
Dress Down Day May 10th
SSYRA ice cream party May 10th
Glow in the Dark AR party Monday, May 13th
K-1 Field Day Wednesday May 15th

**SECOND GRADE** 

**THIRD GRADE** 

Third graders are ready to do their best on the FSA Math test Monday, April 6 and Tuesday, April 7. Please remember to have our kids get a good night sleep, healthy breakfast the days of testing, and get to school on time!

Each class is loving our A-Z countdown for the end of the year. Many classes had international day on Wednesday. It was interesting to learn about different cultures. Some exciting days coming soon are Biome Day, Field day and our last field trip to Fun Spot.

#### **FOURTH GRADE**

#### **FIFTH GRADE**

The students in Ms. Calabrese's and Ms. Blaske's math and science classes had an awesome time practicing for the FCAT and FSA with a test prep carnival.

Students worked in groups to complete math and science questions to earn tickets. With their tickets they bought prizes and treats such as popcorn and ice cream. Thank you to all the generous parents that donated items and took the time to make the carnival a success!



Remember, the permission slips for the Animal Kingdom field trip are due **Monday, May 6th**. We are still looking for more chaperones. Please contact your child's homeroom teacher if you are interested. Thank you for your continued support!







**SIXTH GRADE** 

Orlando Science Elementary Math League Team participated in the Math League States Competition today, Saturday, April 27. Overall, the team placed third out of 17 schools. Individually, we had 7 students from grades 3-6 qualify for Nationals, which will take place on June 15th in Texas. In third grade, Huy placed in 5th place and Brayden placed in 1st place. In fourth grade, Anushka placed in 5th place and Rashed placed in 2nd place. In 5th grade, Samuel placed in 3rd place. In 6th grade, Purav placed in 7th place and Amogh places in 5th grade. All three coaches are super proud of everyone who participated in Competition Math Club this year and who made it to both states and nationals. Congratulations to everyone and good luck to the winners at nationals.















#### 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 at 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!

# PARENT VOLUNTEER ORGANIZATION

Welcome Parents!

It is time, once again, to join the Parent Volunteer Organization (PVO)!



For the latest information and events happening at our technology campus, grades K-5 and technology 6th graders, please join our Facebook page under "OSES PVO". We can also be reached at <a href="mailto:oses.pvo@orlandoscience.org">oses.pvo@orlandoscience.org</a>

# **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.





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OSS Elementary Dress Code Memo 2018 - 2019.docx





Please do not drop your students off at the front before 8:10AM. You must go through the car line and drop them off in the back. This is for the safety of the students as there is not always someone up front to let them in.

Thank You!



CLINIC REMINDER

Please do not send your child to school with medication. All medicine must be brought to the clinic by a parent. OTC medication must be SEALED/UNOPENED when brought in.

**Thank You** 

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

**BAHIA SHRINE CIRCUS** 

Welcome to the Bahia Shriners Circus, the fun way to help support the many activities of the Shriners in our communities in order to promote awareness of the Shriners Hospital for Children in Tampa.

MAY 4th and 5th

FREE child ticket with purchase of an adult ticket.



**Home** circus.bahiashrine.org

#### FAMILY WORKSHOP: MAY THE 4TH BE WITH YOU

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May the 4th be with you!If you have been looking for a fun way to spend some quality time with your kids, this is it!Celebrate Star Wars Day with this family workshop! Come and enjoy a creative workshop that is out of this world!Explore the OMA galaxy and go on an intergalactic scavenger hunt. Create a light saber sensory bottle, as well as a Jedi-styled family portrait. The first 20 families to register will receive a special Star Wars keepsake!VISITOR PRICEAdult: Free per first parent; \$15 per each additional adultChild: \$20 per first childAdditional children: \$5 per each additional childMEMBER PRICEAdult: Free per first parent; \$10 per each additional adultChild: \$18 per first childAdditional children: \$5 per each additional child

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