

# 6th Grade Newsletter



Oster-Oakview School

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Week Of:  
Oct. 25-29

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## Technology Corner

### Officer Safety Video



Here are two links to help check your child's grade through Powerschool.

[Checking grades on Powerschool video](#)

[Powerschool App Directions](#)

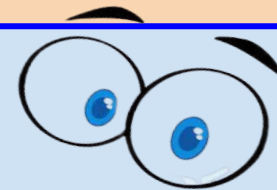
### Technology Help

If you experience any technology issues, please email

[tech-help@nlsd122.org](mailto:tech-help@nlsd122.org).

\*Sometimes just rebooting your iPad fixes small issues!

## Looking Ahead:



**Friday - October 29 10:45 dismissal**

### **Important information:**

We are looking forward to a fun filled day for students on Friday 10/29. We will be doing stations with classes throughout the day so students will be moving about the classes enjoying different activities. Students are allowed to wear their Halloween costumes to school, but we kindly ask that students do not wear face paint or cumbersome costumes. No weapons real or fake should come to school, even if they are part of the costume. All costumes should follow the dress code policy from the handbook.



### Dr. Kedzior

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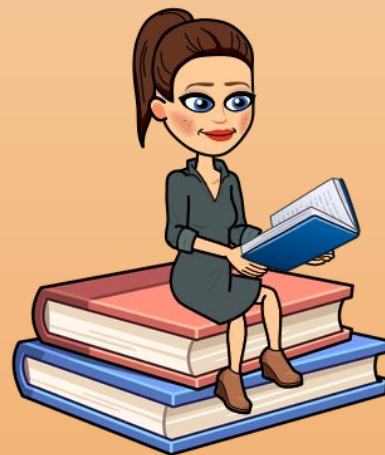
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Mr. Pacholski

Math -

Next Week - Testing out of Topic 2 (Tuesday, October 26th)

Next Week - Continue topic 2

Science-

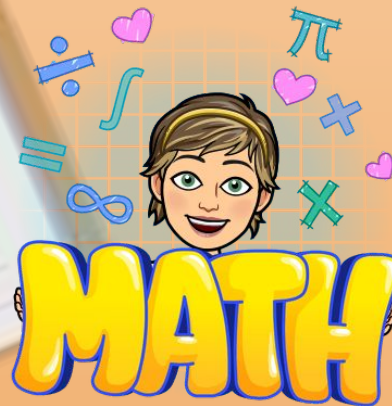
Last Week - Tested out of the scientific method.

-Scientific Method project was introduced - Project idea due Tuesday, October 26th.

Next Week - Ecosystems



Mrs. Mulder  
**Math Block 3:**  
We will continue with topic 3 covering writing and evaluating algebraic expressions.  
**Math Blocks: 1, 2, & 4:**  
We will continue working in Topic 3 covering order of operations and distributive property. A quiz over GCF, LCM, and prime factorization is scheduled for Thursday, Oct. 28.  
**Morning math club will be offered every Tuesday and Thursday beginning Tuesday, September 14 from 6:50-7:30.**  
Students have access to IXL, to practice skills at home. Please continue to check Power School as I update grades daily.



Mrs. Maguire

Science

Using Stored Energy

Upcoming Quizzes

October 28 = Unit 2-5

November 5 = Unit 2-6

Mrs. Maguire's News You Can Use October 25-29





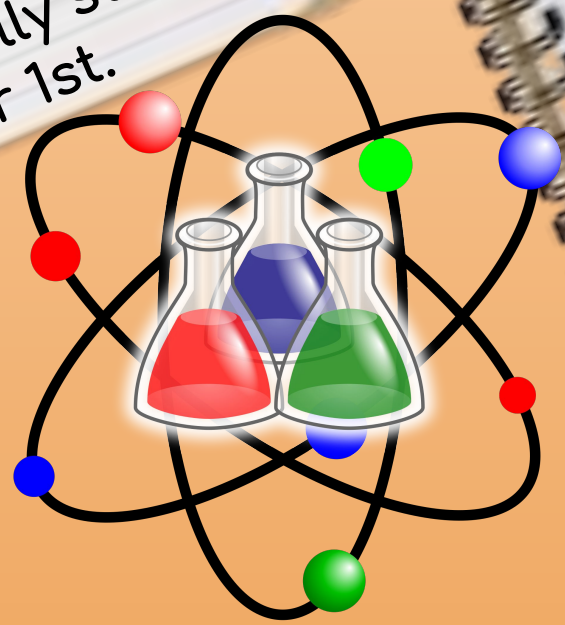
**Mrs. Berwanger's Science/Social Studies Class**

We are wrapping up Lesson 8 in Science by taking the test on Thursday. Students made a really cool hydroponic system we hope works. We'll continue to observe daily. If we have time this week we will preview the first lesson in Social Studies that will officially start November 1st.



**Mrs. Berwanger's Math Class**

We will continue to work in the Everyday Math book. Chapter 2-Whole Number Place Value and Operations. When using the student portal if you click on the app McGraw Hill you could play games and watch videos that will help understand concepts. We will be taking Chapter 2 test sometime at the end of the week. Be sure to check assignment notebooks.







## Instructional ELA

### At Home Practice and Reading

Students are able to practice their reading skills in various ways at home. They can log onto iXL through the NLSD tech portal and practice skills chosen for them from the diagnostic test. They can also use the Raz Kids app on their ipads and read stories at their personalized level with practice comprehension questions. The Oakview library also has audiobooks that they can listen to from their ipads.

### Mrs. Deckinga's Instructional ELA Class

This week we finished reading our novel Saint Louis Armstrong Beach. The students really enjoyed reading the novel. We also focused on multisyllabic word reading, fluency assessments, grammar, and brainstorming for our narrative paragraphs on our favorite personal event.