

Friday, December 3, 2021



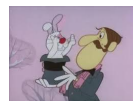
# 5th Grade Newsletter

Oster-Oakview School

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Busy, Busy, Busy



## Monday, December 6

Wear an ugly sweater, holiday shirt, snowflake shirt or something shiny and shimmery!

## Wednesday, December 8

Do a Random Act of Kindness for someone this week!

## Friday, December 10

Wear something **GREEN** today!

## Monday, December 13

Candy Cane Day - Wear Something **RED** and **WHITE** today!

## Tuesday, December 14

Kindness Spirit Wear Orders Due:

[https://palosshirts.com/oakview\\_kindness\\_apparel/shop/home](https://palosshirts.com/oakview_kindness_apparel/shop/home)

## Wednesday, December 15

Wear your **PAJAMAS**! Bring those stuffies, pillows, blankets, and/or slippers!

***Yearbook Contest Entries DUE - NO EXCEPTIONS!***

## Thursday, December 16

Coding Fun with Your Principals!

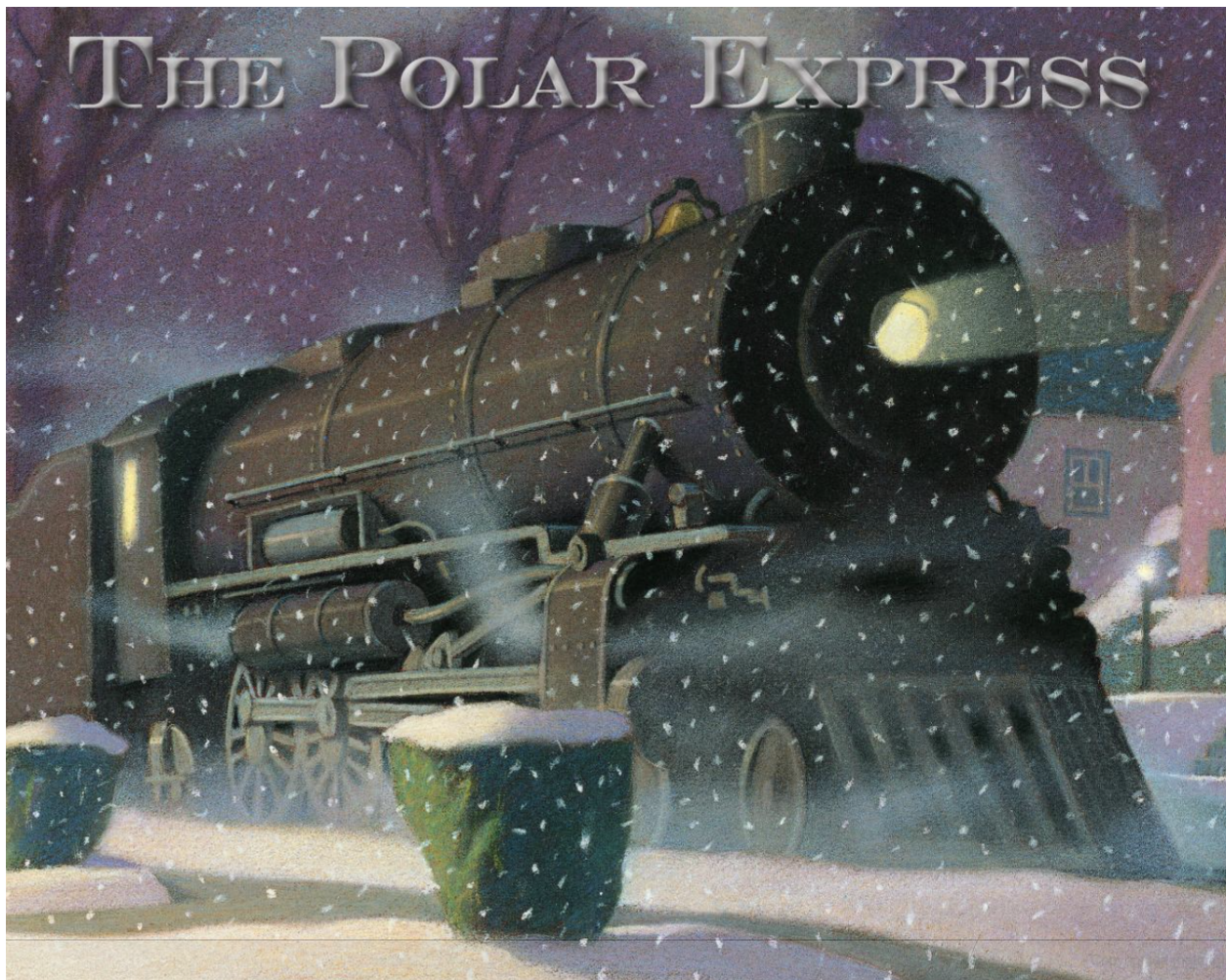
## Friday, December 17

Chill with a good book! (DEAR and a frozen treat)

Wear a holiday outfit!

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The Polar Express is coming to Oakview! Students can earn a ticket from their LA teachers if they are caught being good, helping a friend, turning in an assignment on time, etc. They will turn in their "ticket" on Wednesday, December 15 as we read the book, The Polar Express by Chris Van Allsburg, watch the movie, and do fun activities. Students should wear their PJs that day for a fun photo op!



Please see the end of the newsletter for attached PDFs about Kindness Spirit Wear orders, Holiday fun, and the Yearbook Contest! Thank You!!

What's Happening in Our Classrooms	
<p><b>Mr. Balderman: Science/SS</b></p> <p>Science: We are continuing Unit Two and Earth's systems and how they interact.</p> <p>Please check powerschool for missing work and grades.</p>	<p><b>Mrs. Brost: ELA</b></p> <p><u>Reading</u>: Washed Up! P34-48 Test on Friday. Study vocab on the Learning A-Z app on iPads.</p> <p><u>Skill</u>: Sequence of Events, Theme</p> <p><u>Foundational Skill</u>: homonyms, homophones, and homographs</p> <p><u>Grammar</u>: verb sequences, Modal Auxiliary Verbs. Grammar notes are in the virtual binder in Google Classroom.</p> <p><u>Spelling</u>: Unit 15 Prefixes un-, de-, dis-. Test on Friday.</p> <p>Assignments are posted daily in the ELA google classroom under "Assignment Book."</p>
<p><b>Ms. Goad: Math</b></p> <p>Test on Friday, December 10.</p> <p>Test Topics include: +/- Fractions, Reading &amp; Writing Decimals, Comparing Decimals</p> <p>Students have a review guide to study as well as notes in their math spiral and on our Math Google Classroom.</p> <p>Please make sure that you are looking in your child's portfolio to review their graded assessments with them. Graded assessments should be kept in the portfolio to use as review guides.</p> <p>Have a great weekend!!</p>	<p><b>Ms. Midlock: Science/SS/Math</b></p> <p><b>SCIENCE</b>: We began Unit 2 this week on the spheres of the Earth. We discussed the atmosphere, hydrosphere, and atmosphere. Next week, we will continue Unit 2 and discuss the water cycle and the geosphere.</p> <p><b>MATH</b>: This week we started a new topic, adding and subtracting fractions with UNLIKE denominators. Students are really grasping this concept! We will have a quiz on Wednesday, December 8. Students can review adding fractions on IXL and in Frax if they need more practice!</p>
<p><b>Mrs. Sieger: ELA</b></p> <p>Next week in ReadyGEN, we will continue to read Rain Forest Food Chain. We are working on word analysis and verb consistency. Our spelling list is #15, Prefixes un-, de-, and dis. That test will be on Friday, Dec. 10th. We have also started a lesson on ecosystems and will begin an informative essay.</p> <p><b>**Please check that your child has working headphones. We use them almost everyday. Thank you!</b></p>	<p><b>Mrs. Worden: ELA</b></p> <p>We will be finishing Washed Up this week and having our selection test on Friday, December 10. We will be on words with prefixes, List 15 for spelling, with our spelling test on Friday, December 10.</p> <p><u>Homeroom only</u>: Students have organized a secret Santa activity within the homeroom class. Students were assigned a student to buy a gift for. We are doing the exchange on Thursday, December 16. I told them around \$5-10 is an appropriate amount. If you have questions or concerns, please let me know. Thank you! This was their idea and I love the comradery!</p>
<p><b>Mrs. Berwanger: Science/Social Studies</b></p> <p>We will take Lesson 3: American Indian Cultural Regions on Tuesday. Books may be used. Read over notes taken throughout the lesson. We will start Lesson 4 and hopefully get through it by the end of the week.</p>	<p><b>Mr. Mitrovic: ELA/Math</b></p> <p><b>ELA</b>: We started our next book through iLit starring Tiki and Ronde Barber. The students are really enjoying the football themed biography. This novel will serve as a guide as we begin working on our own narrative writing.</p> <p><b>MATH</b>: Order of Operations is helping us get our math organized! Students have been demonstrating strong skills when solving these multi-step operation problems and following the rules of Order of Operations.</p>

# Countdown to Winter Break!

## Student Edition

DECEMBER	2021	1	2	3
			Bundle up for a 15 minute extra recess! 6th 10:25--10:40 5th 9:50-10:05 4th 7:40-7:55	
6	7	8	9	10
Bedazzle your outfit! Wear an ugly holiday shirt, snowflake shirt or something shiny or glittery!		Do a Random Act of kindness for someone this week!		Green day- Wear some Oakview green today!
13	14	15	16	17
Candy Cane day- Wear something Red and White today!		Snuggle up and wear a favorite pair of pajamas today!	Coding fun with your principals! Learn how to code using an app on your ipad!	Chill with a good book in your lunch location! Students can preorder TCBY or Johnny pops for our drop everything and read activity! 9:30-9:50 6th grade 10:00-10:20 5th grade 10:30-10:50 4th grade



## Oster-Oakview Yearbook Cover Contest 2021-2022

Showcase your artistic abilities and creativity by designing this year's yearbook cover! Yearbook covers must contain the following to be considered for winning. No exceptions can be made. 1 front cover winner will be chosen and up to 9 back cover winners.

- Full Color
- Must include Oakview School and our theme of "Be the hero in your own story" written somewhere on it
- Must include 2020-2021 written on it
- Must be PORTRAIT and NOT LANDSCAPE
- Must be 8 1/2 by 11 paper with no lines
- Your name must be included on the back of the paper and not the front
- Must contain no spelling/grammar errors
- All entries due by December 15th. No late entries.



# Yearbook



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