

5th Grade Newsletter

Oster-Oakview School

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News You Can Use

Cleaning out those closets and toy rooms? <u>Lego Club</u> would love donations of <u>LEGOS</u>. If you have any sets missing parts, bulk legos you don't use, or sets that don't get played with anymore, we will take them and use them for years to come! Thank you!



Headphones - Please make sure students have a working pair to bring to school.

iPads should be coming to school every day - charged. Please help your child remember to plug in their iPad at night.

Upcoming Events:

Next week: Terra Nova retakes, if necessary

Friday, February 18 - Teacher Institute - No School

Monday, February 21 - President's Day - No School

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Oakview Eagles are Respectful. Responsible. Safe. Kind.

Inspirational Quote: You have to expect things of yourself before you can do them. - Michael Jordan

What's Happening in Our Classrooms

Mr. Balderman: Science/SS

Social Studies: We finished up King Philip's War this week and will be moving on to Lesson 7 which will compare the early colonies in North America. We will have a quiz on lesson 6 and 7 on Friday 2/4. Students received a study guide on Google Classroom on Wednesday 1/26.

Grades for the Unit 2 project were sent home today and are in Powerschool.

Please check powerschool for missing work and grades.

Ms. Goad: Math

We will be continuing Unit 5.

Topics: Multiplying Fractions & Fractions by a Whole Number, +/- Fraction Word Problems, Plotting Points.

Students should be using IXL to review topics.

Mrs. Brost: ELA

<u>Reading: Pale Male</u> in the Text Collection book. Unit 1B. Study vocab on the Learning A-Z app on iPads.

Skill: Research Brochure/ Paper

<u>Foundational Skill</u>: Words from French and Spanish

<u>Grammar</u>: Degrees of Comparison. Grammar notes are in the virtual binder in Google Classroom.

Spellina: List 19. Suffixes -ible, -able

Quarantine Students- Check email*

Assignments are posted daily in the ELA google classroom under "Assignment Book."

Ms. Midlock: Science/SS/Math

SOCIAL STUDIES: We finished lesson 6 and will be continuing lesson 7 this week. Our topics in social studies include King Philip's War and looking at the original colonies.

Please check PowerSchool for missing assignments. It is up to date!!

MATH: We wrapped up Unit 4 this week by learning how to add and subtract with decimals. Our Unit 4 test will be on Thursday, February 3. Topics on the test will be decimal place value, rounding decimals, comparing decimals, graphing on a coordinate grid, and adding and subtracting decimals. Students received a study guide at school today, and we will continue to review up until the test.

Mrs. Sieger: ELA

After a successful week of Terra Nova testing, we will return to ReadyGEN and the book Road to Freedom. Our focus skill is word choice and using evidence to support an opinion. Our grammar skill is prepositions and pronouns. Spelling List is #19 Suffixes. (-ible, -able) The test for that will be on Friday, Feb. 4.

**Please check that your child has working headphones. We use them almost everyday. Thank you!

Mrs. Worden: ELA

Homeroom wars was a lot of fun and Terra Nova is in our rear view window now. We will be starting our research projects for real this week! We will continue reading <u>Insignificant Events in the Life of a Cactus</u>. We will begin Pale Male in ReadyGen. We will be on List 19 for Spelling. Words will have -ible and -able suffixes. Students will have to memorize the difference. Flashcards are a good strategy for studying. Our test will be Friday, February 4. We will continue words from Spanish and French in Foundational Skills.



ValenKINDS Week

Spread the love during the week of February 14th-18th

Monday

Wear your KIND IS
THE NEW COOL
spiritwear or the color
red to kick off the
week!

Tuesday

Bring a canned food item to donate to the Food Pantry.

Drop off in the Green Screen Room

Wednesday

Complete your COLOR A
SMILE sheet and turn it
in to Ms. Justice.
Go to colorasmile.org
to participate
at home

Thursday

Watch the following video and make your own list!

How to Change the World
With Kindness

Friday

No School- complete a random act of kindness at home! Check out this list for ideas:

Seringer Lies



- 1. Chalk a kind message on your sidewalk/drive-way
 - 2. Do a chore without being asked
- 3. Leave a thank you note in your mailbox for your postal carrier
 - 4. Make a be kind poster and display it in your window
- 5. Email your sports coach and tell them what they mean to you
 - 6. Help wash your family car
 - 7. Make a simple bird feeder
- 8. Ask your local nursing home if someone might like a letter
 - 9. Show an interest in a family members hobby
 - 10. Make everyone's bed for them
 - 11. Draw a picture for someone you miss
- 12. Start a dinner time conversation telling everyone your favorite thing about them
 - 13. Send a thank you message to your teacher
 - 14. Help empty the dishwasher
 - 15. Find a positive quote and make a sign to put on your fridge
 - 16. Start a food box collection for a food bank
- 17. Write inspiring words on stones (like calm, breathe, and peace) and leave them around your neighborhood
 - 18. Give your pet a big cuddle
 - 19. Give someone an unexpected compliment
 - 20. Make a thank you note to your parents/guardians
 - 21. Help make dinner
 - 22. Offer to read to someone
 - 23. Bake a cake for your family
 - 24. Play a game you know your sibling loves
 - 25. Ask someone how their day was and really listen to the answer
 - 26. Smile at someone who needs it
 - 27. Tell someone why you like them
 - 28. Plant something
 - 29. Have a no complaining day
 - 30. Call a friend and ask them how they are