

Oakville Elementary School

MO Family Newsletter

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4/22/24

A Note from Dr. Ochoa

It is hard to believe we are already preparing for next school year. You will find a parent survey on yellow paper either was sent home Friday, or will be sent home today with your child. Your input on your child's education is very valuable to us. We do not honor specific requests for teachers, as I feel all teachers are highly qualified and work together as a team to provide an equitable learning opportunity for all students. However, we do want to know what experiences you have had with staff, what types of personalities your child responds well too, and what you deem most important for your child's success. Remember that not all the things included in all surveys can be honored, but we will do our best to make the best decision possible for classplacements based on what you share and what we know about your child. (Please also be aware we are still making decisions for teacher placements, so some grade levels might be composed of a different teacher from our building as we adjust.)



Dates At A Glance:

- 4/21- OES Cardinals Game
- 4/24- Half Day
- 4/24- Papa Johns Night
- 4/26- Kona Ice
- 4/23 MAP testing starts (fifth grade Science)

Award Assembly/ Kona Ice

This will be the last Awards Assembly and Kona Ice Day for the school year. Please be sure to order BEFORE Thursday at 9:00 p.m.

KONA ICE

**Oakville Elementary
Friday, April 26th!**

IS COMING!

Order by Thursday night at 9pm
by using QR Code or go to:
customer.kona-ice.com/#/F00295775

Drink Name	Price
KIDDIE	\$3
KLASSIC	\$4
COLOR CHANGING	\$5
KOLLEKTABLE	\$6

Kindergarten Registration

Kindergarten registration is underway. If you know a family who has an incoming kindergartener, please share the following information. They can attend the Kindergarten information meeting at John Cary on April 25th from 4-6. See the flier below.

Kindergarten kickoff

Thursday, April 25, 2024

4-6 p.m.

John Cary Early Childhood Center
3155 Koch Road
St. Louis, MO 63125

Translators available



This Open House event is for Parents and their children who will be attending kindergarten in Mehlville School District in 2024-2025.

- Get help enrolling your child in kindergarten.
- St. Louis County Library will offer music and free books.
- Meet other incoming kindergarten families.
- Several Mehlville Kindergarten Teachers will be offering Get Ready For Kindergarten materials.
- Food Trucks

Visit any time between 4 p.m. and 6 p.m.

Free childcare is available on site.

Free developmental screenings (DIAL-4) will be available through May, 2024. Call 314-467-5304 for an appointment.



Information on kindergarten enrollment: bit.ly/msdr9enroll



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End of the Year Events

The end of the year is busy. Please mark your calendar for the following events, so you can plan to attend accordingly.

- Live on the Lot - May 11th (11:00-3:00) More information coming shortly.
- Field Day - May 23rd (We are looking for lots of parent volunteers)
- Kindergarten Celebration- May 22 morning
- Fifth Grade Graduation- May 24 (10:00 a.m.)
- Last Day of School- May 29th



MAP Testing

No matter your opinion on standardized testing, it is the current tool the state and community utilizes to judge a school's academic success. It is important that students are in attendance on these days and ready to do their best. Thank you for supporting teachers and students in making sure the community and state know what great learning your children are doing at OES.

April

*DESE's estimated timing guidelines are in parentheses. Make-up testing will also occur through the testing window, not just on designated days.

2024

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1	2	3	4	5
8	9	10	11	12
15	16	17	18	19
22	23 5 th Grade – Science 10:00-12:00 (Session 1) (60-80 min)	24 Early Dismissal Day	25 District Science Committee Meets	26 5 th Grade – Science 10:00-12:00 (Session 2) (60-80 min)
29	30 3 rd Grade – ELA 9:00-11:15 (Session 1) (45-105 min) 4 th Grade - Math 11:00-1:00 (Session 1) (30-55 min)			

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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
		1 3 rd Grade – ELA 9:00-11:00 (Sessions 2 and 3) (40-90 min) 4 th Grade – Math 11:00-1:00 (Sessions 2 and 3) (45-85 min)	2 3 rd Grade – Math 9:00-11:00 (Session 1) (30-55 min) 5 th Grade – ELA 10:00 -12:00 (Session 1) (45-95 min)	3 3 rd Grade – Math 9:00-11:00 (Sessions 2 and 3) (45-85 min) 5 th Grade – ELA 10:00-12:00 (Sessions 2 and 3) (40-85 min)
6 MAKE-UP TESTING	7 4 th Grade – ELA 11:00-1:00 (Session 2) (40-90 min) 5 th Grade – Math 10:00-12:00 (Session 1) (35-60 min)	8 4 th Grade – ELA 11:00-1:00 (Sessions 3 and 4) (30-75 min) 5 th Grade – Math 10:00-12:00 (Sessions 2 and 3) (50-90 min)	9 4th and 5th Switch Specials 4 th Grade – ELA 10:00-1:00 – writing prompt (Session 1) (100-130 min)	10 MAKE-UP TESTING
13 MAKE-UP TESTING	14 MAKE-UP TESTING	15 MAKE-UP TESTING	16 MAKE-UP TESTING	17 MAKE-UP TESTING
20 5TH GRADE PARTY	21	22	23 FIELD DAY	24 5TH GRADE GRADUATION
27	28	29	30	31

School Supplies

It's hard to believe that the next school year is right around the corner. Want to get ahead, you can already order your supplies here. They will be delivered to your child's classroom before Meet the Teacher night in August. <http://1stdayschoolsupplies.com/kits.php?sid=60288>



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A few reminders

- For any other questions or concerns, please contact
 - The Office: 314-467-5800

- Dr. Ochoa: 314-467-5801; ochoam@msdr9.org

- I will be out of the building today. My substitute is Mrs. S. You can contact the front office to speak with her, or contact Mrs. Salters. Otherwise I will return my messages on Tuesday when I am back in the building.

Comments & Replies