

OVERBROOK

ATTENDANCE CENTER

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To: Dr. Steve Pegram and Board of Education

From: David Fernkopf, OAC Principal

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Subject: April Report

Kindergarten Round-Up

We have kindergarten round up scheduled for April 24th for 8:30-10:30. At the round-up parents will learn what kindergarten will be like for their child, and the children will learn about school. The nurse and the PTO will also talk to the parents. I am not sure of how many will attend, but we are expecting about seventy.

Field Trips

April is once again the month for field trips. On Tuesday, April 21st the first grade will be going to TPAC to watch a performance.

On Thursday, April 23rd the kindergarten will be attending Deanna Rose Children's Farmstead in Overland Park. The students are very excited about the field trip to see the farmstead. Also on Thursday, April 23rd the second grade will be going to the combat museum, and will visit the Topeka Capital building.

2nd Grade Orientation

The 2nd grade students will travel to SAC on Friday, April 24th to see what school is going to be like for them next year. The students really seem excited about the trip. The students will arrive at SAC around 8:45 and will stay for about two hours.

Parent Teacher Conferences

Teachers are preparing for the conferences which are April 13th and April 16th from 4-7 pm. Teachers will be sharing student data and growth with parents along with answering any parent questions.

Discipline Report

Below is a summary of disciplinary actions for Overbrook Attendance Center as of 4/1/15

	1st Quarter	2nd Quarter	3rd Quarter	4th Quarter	14/15 Totals
Total Number of Office Referrals for Discipline	18	15	13	1	47
Total Bus Discipline Referrals	2	5	2	1	10
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This year behavior is looking really good so far.

Update on OAC Building Goals

Curriculum

We are still working on BYOC. We will be having another work day this month.

McRel

Since teacher evals have been turned in, there has not been much activity on McRel. I have been visiting classroom daily and checking in with teachers.

Communication

I am still using Facebook , doing weekly memos, and monthly school newsletters.

Developing as a Professional

This Friday teachers will be attending training on LETRS. LETRS (Language Essentials for Teachers of Reading and Spelling) professional development responds to the need for high-quality literacy educators. Developed by literacy expert Louisa C. Moats, Ed.D, LETRS provides the deep foundational knowledge necessary to understand how students learn to read, write, and spell—and why some of them struggle.

Data

We are still using Aimsweb to collect our data. We have been progress monitor our students every other week to track their progress. We also have had the students switching to different groups during tier time, to be in groups that better meet their needs.