

OVERBROOK

ATTENDANCE CENTER

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To: Dr. Steve Pegram and BOE
From: David, OAC Principal
Date: September 6, 2016
Subject: Opening of School Report

Once again the beginning of the year has been going great at Overbrook. We had quite a few changes in our building over the summer, but now everyone is settling in.

Enrollment

The table below lists the enrollment headcount as of September 2, 2016.

Grade Level	Students
Kindergarten	67
1 st Grade	80
2 nd Grade	85
3 rd Grade	75
Total	307

This number is hard to compare to last year, due to the changes of grade levels in the building. Comparing the grade levels that were in OAC last year to this year, we have two more students. These numbers do change during the school year, but we have some nice class sizes right now. Also one of the second grade students is a part time student that is home schooled, but participates in pe, music, library and computers.

August Before-School Activities

The pre-service days were quite busy. Meetings included: opening staff meeting, training on Google, a visit from Dr. Watson, Kansas Commissioner of education, and training on Social Emotional and Character Development Standards.

We had a good turnout for open house on August 23th. Students were able to bring in classroom supplies and meet their teachers, along with parents getting to see their child's new classroom.

Morning and Afternoon Transportation Routines

We followed the same routine as the last few years, which was placing the colored wristbands on backpacks when students came to Open House. We wrote the student's name and an emergency number on the band. I also put together an online form to be filled out by parents for transportation. We also called about 30 families to confirm transportation plans before school started. We had a little confusion from a few new students the first day, but things overall ran very smoothly.

Lexia and Moby Max

All of our students have been assessed on Lexia and Moby Max in the past week. So far it has been going really well. The first step is to be assessed on both programs. After the assessment students then log on to the program throughout the week and work

on both math and reading skills. Both programs offer us a lot of data, which the staff will share with the parents at conference time.

Upcoming Activities

The big event coming up at OAC is the picnic on the playground. It is scheduled for Friday, September 23th. In place of Grandparents day, we will have a picnic on the playground. We have asked students to invite people that are special to them to the picnic. This can include grandparents, family members, or even a family friend. We did a picnic last year with great success, so we are trying it again this year.