

March BOE Newsletter

Overbrook Attendance Center



Principal - Mrs. Lorle Bolt

A message from our principal

Dear Charger Families,

Your Charger students in 3rd grade will participate in the Kansas State Assessments for ELA and Mathematics. These statewide assessments are designed to:

- Measure specific indicators within the Kansas College and Career Ready Standards (KCCRS).
- Provide information for calculating Annual Measurable Objectives (AMOs) and to provide information for state accreditation.
- Report individual student scores along with the student's performance level.
- Provide subscale and total scores that can be used with local assessment scores to assist in improving a building's or district's ELA and mathematics.



Our students will have the opportunity to take these tests online for reading and math via Chrome books. The tentative testing schedule is below and you will be notified if any changes are made. It is important that your child is present for all scheduled testing. Please avoid making appointments on these days and help us prevent unnecessary absences.

Testing Schedule for Math:

April 2nd and April 3rd (Mornings)

Testing Schedule for English Language Arts:

April 16th and April 17th (Mornings)

To help support our third grade students we will host an assessment kick off assembly. Each classroom K-2 has adopted a third grade classroom to provide motivational notes and treats! Third grade students will also be able to earn charms for testing! We encourage them to:

1. Stay quiet & Stay seated (during and after testing)
2. Take their time and use test taking skills
3. Actively participate in the test (reading questions, taking notes, using the tools or manipulatives)
4. Quietly engage in an activity after assessment is complete
5. Raise their hand to have the teacher review the end screen

Ways to help your child prepare for state assessments

Simple things that can help students do their best include:

- Getting good sleep (and rest)
- Eating healthy breakfasts (since testing is usually done first thing on testing days)
- Giving encouragement (without increasing pressure some students may already feel)
- Making sure students arrive to school on time

Upcoming Dates:

3/8: No School - Teacher Prep

3/11-3/15: No School - Spring Break

3/18: OAC Fundraiser Begins

3/20: 6pm BOE Mtg @ DAC

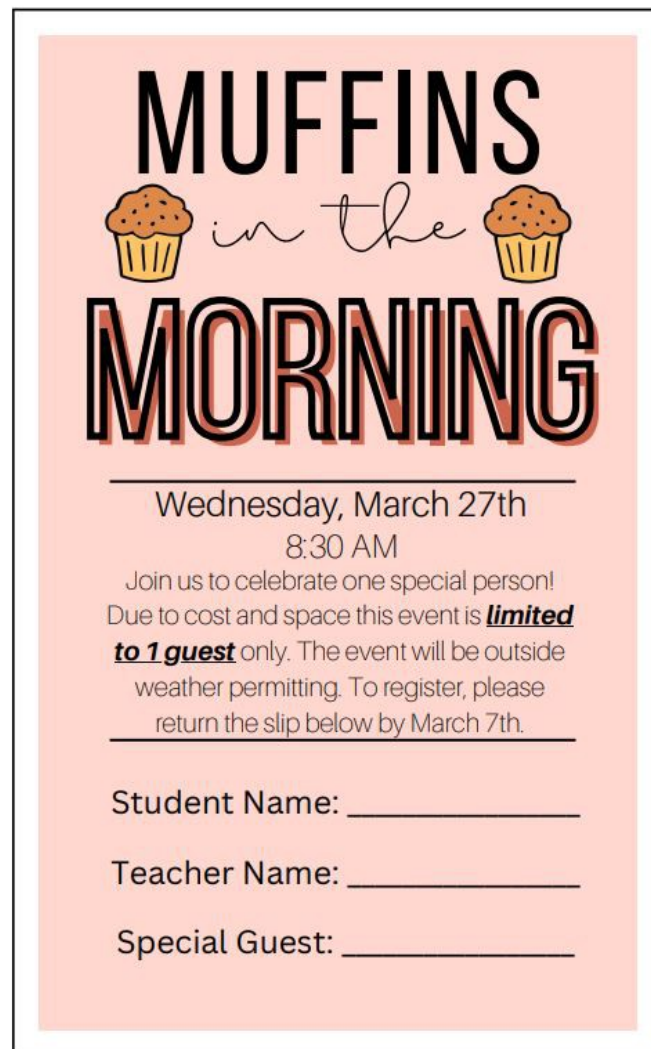


3/27: Muffins in the Morning @ 8:30am

3/29 :Make Up Snow Day - School in Session
First Grade Field Trip - Science City

4/1: OAC Fundraiser Ends

Spring Pictures



Yearbook Orders

Yearbook orders will be due Friday, March 20th. You may order a yearbook utilizing the envelope that was sent home or you may order online. Visit: inter-state.com/order and enter the code 82176P

OAC Fundraiser

Students are raising funds for school related events and activities. We utilize these funds for reward assemblies, field trips, and student rewards. Our school fundraiser occurs March 18-April 1st. Attached you will find the brochure of the goods that we are selling. These items will ship directly to the buyer within two business days after purchasing. More information will be sent home regarding the fundraiser as it becomes available. The school can receive up to 40% of sales. We do ask if you choose to make a direct donation you do it through the school versus online as they keep 30% of the donation.

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Fundraiser Prizes

Students will have the opportunity to earn prizes for participating in the fundraiser. The top selling grade level will also earn a pizza party.

Prize Extravaganza Online Better Rewards, Bigger Results! **BIG! FUNDRAISING IDEAS**

LEVEL A - Sell 6-11 Items
Light-Up Metal YoYo

LEVEL B - Sell 12-17 Items
Light-Up Cyclone Spinner

LEVEL C - Sell 18-23 Items
Plush Monster Hat

LEVEL D - Sell 24-29 Items
2-in-1 Table Top Game

Prizes do not accumulate. Seller receives one prize based on number of items sold. Prize substitutions may apply without notice.

Prize Extravaganza Online

Better Rewards, Bigger Results!



LEVEL E - Sell 30-35 Items
3.5" Mini Induction Orbital Drone



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LEVEL F - Sell 36-47 Items
HD Action Sports Camera Set



LEVEL G - Sell 48-59 items
Tornado Lamp (Color may Vary)

Prizes do not accumulate. Seller receives one prize based on number of items sold. Prize substitutions may apply without notice.

Prize Extravaganza Online

Better Rewards, Bigger Results!



LEVEL H - Sell 60-71 items
Light Up Mood-Changing
Inflatable Chair



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LEVEL I - Sell 72-95 items
40" Plush Sea Turtle



LEVEL J - Sell 96+ items
White Slide Smart Watch 600

Counselor's Corner

We are finishing up problem solving and conflict resolution. We worked on the size of the problem and how to work through a problem with a friend. We are moving into empathy and understanding others points of view next.

Kindergarten Parents: Mark your Calendars

K Parents Only: There will be no school for kindergarten students on April 5, 2024.

This allows the incoming preschoolers who will be kindergarten students in the 2024-2025 to experience kindergarten round-up! All other students (1st - 3rd) will have school that day as regularly scheduled.

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Kindergarten Roundup

Please join us to come and visit the Kindergarten classrooms and meet
the Kindergarten teachers.

When: Friday, April 5, 2024

Who: Incoming students who will turn 5 on or before August 31, 2024.

**Where: Overbrook Attendance Center
202 West 7th Overbrook, KS 66524**

**Session 1: 8:30-10:05
Session 2: 10:30-12:05**

**To register your child please call 1-800-836-9525
Ext. 2
by Wednesday, April 3, 2024
Session registration is first come, first serve
and will close when they are full.**



BOE Goal: Community Involvement

Engagement Activities: Inviting Families Into the Building

Student Led Leadership Assemblies

Muffins in the Morning

Donuts with a Grownup

Kindergarten Round-Up

Holiday Meals w/families

Field Day

Additionally OAC has a building goal dedicated to communication with families. Please read the information below.

Goal and Action Plans

SEL GOAL 1 - Communication - BOE Goal 1 1.4 Communicate through a variety of modes

GOAL

Our goal is to strengthen authentic family partnerships by increasing positive communication. Families and school staff have regular and meaningful opportunities to build positive relationships to support students' social, emotional, and academic development. 100% of teachers will communicate with their families 5 times throughout the year, the first two being in quarter 1. (outside of school conferences and your weekly academic communication). These may be any form of communication. PE, Music, Admin, STREAM, and Counselor will make 20 positive contacts each quarter. SPED and Title will make 1 positive contact with their assigned students per quarter.

Action Steps	Responsible Party	Timeline	RESOURCES	DESIRED OUTCOME	Measurement
Track communication in the quarterly log document	All Certified Staff	Year-long	Quarterly communication log	Improved communication and relationships	Quarterly Log documentation
Review data quarterly as a staff; share ideas for communication	All Certified Staff	Year-long	Quarterly communication log Collaboration Notes	Improved communication and relationships	Quarterly log documentation
Share ideas for communication amongst staff	All Certified Staff	Year-long	Folder on shared drive	Improved goal achievement	Documented items within the folder



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