

BOE OCTOBER NEWSLETTER

OVERBROOK ATTENDANCE CENTER



PRINCIPAL - MRS. LORLE BOLT

A MESSAGE FROM OUR PRINCIPAL

Dear Charger Families,

I want to take a moment to thank those who attended our K-5 math night at CAC. We had a wonderful turn out where students had the opportunity to show their parents mathematical practices they are learning in the classroom. Additionally, families were able to hear an update from the math committee regarding the math pilot.



Some families might have received a Title letter for reading or math. We are very excited to offer these services to our students. Previously, students might have attended WIN or Title over the last three years. This year, WIN has merged under the Title umbrella for services. We are able to assist students in small areas of academic need based on their assessments. Students will work in small groups on targeted skills for 15-30minutes with a certified teacher or highly qualified para.

COUNSELORS CORNER

Accessibility

High Contrast Mode

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What we are learning?

In our classes we are finishing up learning about our emotions and some strategies to regulate them. This is important because it also follows our Habit 1: Being Proactive. It is important to be able to regulate your own emotions and that is one of our goals at this level.

We are moving into our lessons about bullying. This is required among all schools. Our kids will focus on what bullying is and how they can handle conflict. We talk about Stop, Walk and Talk. Being able to tell someone to stop being unkind, walk away from them and tell or talk to an adult. We will practice this in class as well.

October/November also brings about Red Ribbon Week. Ms. Jackie will be working with the kids on some safety lessons that go along with this topic. At this age, sometimes it is hard for kids to completely understand what Red Ribbon Week means and why we talk about it. They will get lessons on safe choices, staying away from drugs, etc. but also we will focus on healthy choices.

We will have a spirit week from October 17th - October 21st that will focus on a healthy choice each day with some fun theme days to go with it. As always, let me know if you have any questions or if I can help you or your child!

Healthy Choices Week!!!
October 17th – October 21st



We are celebrating healthy choices for our bodies and minds. Mrs. Metsker, Ms. Jackie and classroom teachers are working hard on teaching students about safe choices and healthy choices for our bodies. Some of those discussions include healthy foods our bodies need, being drug free, exercising, positive friendships, getting plenty of rest and a positive concept of ourselves! During this week, we will have some spirit theme days to help celebrate as a school and have fun together!!

Monday, October 17th – Get Plenty of Rest

- Sleep is so important to staying healthy. Wear your PJ's to school!!

Tuesday, October 18th – Stay Active!!

- Exercise keeps our bodies strong and healthy. Wear your favorite workout gear or your favorite team jersey.

Wednesday, October 19th – Unity Day

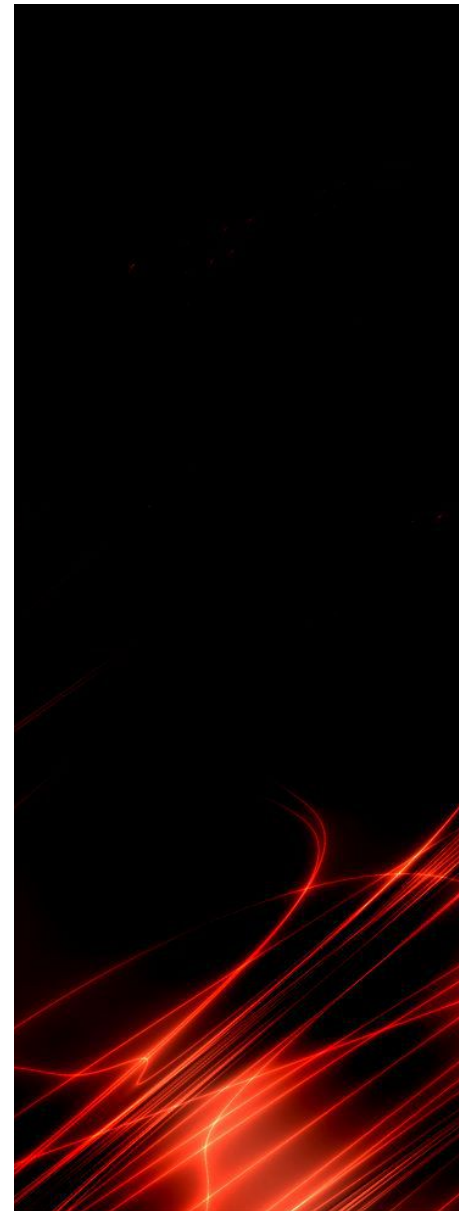
- Unity Day – This is a Nationally Celebrated Day to help encourage everyone to be kind to each other and stop bullying!! This supports positive friendships. Wear orange!!

Thursday, October 20th – Hat's off to Healthy Foods!

- Healthy foods not only help our minds but also our bodies physically. It is what charges us each day. Wear your favorite hat! We will learn about nutrition and foods that are good for us!

Friday, October 21st – Charge on!

- Wear your favorite Charger gear and "charge" someone's emotional bank account! We will be doing random acts of kindness today!



FAMILY FALL FUN

Please bring a special person to celebrate this day with you! Please join us for crafts and an ice cream social. **RSVP by Friday, October 7, 2022.**

- Kindergarten & First 2:00-2:30 - Ice Cream on the blacktop (outside). 2:30-3:00 - Fall Craft in the Gym
- Second & Third 2:00-2:30 - Fall Craft in the Gym 2:30-3:00 - Ice Cream on the blacktop (outside)



UPCOMING DATES:

10/13/22
Family Fall Fun

10/14/22
No School

10/19/22
Parent Teacher Conferences 4-7pm

10/20/22
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10/28/22
1:30pm Halloween Parade Downtown Overbrook

10/31/22
No School

HALLOWEEN PARADE & DETAILS

Overbrook Attendance Center is excited to share that our students will parade in downtown Overbrook on October 28, 2022 for our annual Halloween festivities. Students will be leaving the school about 1:30pm, stopping at local businesses to share their costumes and spread some spooky fun!



Please pack your child's costume in a bag and they will change before the parade. Children will change back before they leave for the day. Keep it cute! No fake blood or weapons!!

In need of a costume? Scranton Pride will be set up in the gym during parent teacher conferences. Please feel free to shop their tables for a gently used costume. They are still taking donations at this time. Please reach out to ScrantonPride@gmail.com with questions.

TECHNOLOGY FEES – REMINDER

Santa Fe Trail USD 434 is committed to providing meaningful learning activities for all students. We view the use of electronic devices critical to the delivery of our educational programs and an essential part of our students' learning experiences. To that end, students in grades K-12 will have an electronic device assigned to them each school year. Due to the expenses that are associated with updating and maintaining devices for all students, fees are charged for technology used in the classroom

Some families have received a reminder for unpaid technology fees. In order for students to continue to have access to their electronic devices at school their technology fees need to be paid by **Friday, October 7, 2022**.

PARENT TEACHER FOOD SIGN UP FOR CONFERENCES

Please join us in providing a meal for our teachers during parent teacher conference week. We are asking parents to consider donating meal items on **Wednesday, October 19th**. Conferences occur from 4-7pm so items would need to be at school before 4pm on the 19th, or they could be sent to school beforehand on Oct. 17th-19th.

If it is a crockpot item we can assist in warming it up and preparing it beforehand if you are unable to get it to school by 4pm on the 19th. You may drop it off and we can store it/warm it up.

40 staff members will be in attendance for conferences.

Sign up Genius <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090B4FA8AA28A5FE3-parent>

OAC COLLABORATION AGENDAS

These minutes will be shared in administrative BOE reports at each monthly BOE meeting. This is a running agenda. Keep the most recent meeting minutes and agenda items at top Meeting

Details:

Date: 9/29/22

Time: 7:15-7:45am

Location: OAC Library

Attendance: Sign in Sheet

Materials to Bring: Computer

Roles & Responsibilities

Facilitator: Mrs. Bolt

Timekeeper: Ms. O

Recorder: Ms. Portlock



Data Focus: Ms. Thompson

Goal(s) of Meeting:

Data Analysis

Critical Questions:

Academic and SEL

What do we want all students to know and be able to do?

How will they learn it?

How will we respond when some students do not learn?

How will we extend the learning for students who are already proficient?

Topic(s) for Discussion and minutes

Certified Teachers: Fastbridge Data Recording Sheet - Mathematical Data and

<https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1M504exoHiNUEZ0nDguWKWMyxxADlw7NM?usp=sharing>

SPED & Specials: Jessica Nicholson's room

Collaborate regarding students with IEPs tips, tricks, modifications and accommodations. Also, specific behavior plans for students.

Conference Room: **Building Leadership Team (BLT)** brief meeting to discuss Rock Your School Orders - Mallory and Lizzy will start the meeting

Outcome(s) of Meeting:

Review Individual Teacher Data and Record T1, T2, and T3 data along with interventions to put in place

Teachers have designed instructional plans for T2 and T3 students in the lowest area of need according to FB. Staff will set up Fastbridge Progress Monitoring on Monday PLC.

Review accommodations and modifications for SPED students. Leave with a plan to address specific students

Next Meeting Plans:

Establish Action Teams

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Fastbridge Data Recording Sheet

K: [K Fastbridge Data Sheet](#)

1: [1st Fastbridge Data Sheet](#)

2-3 [2-3 Fastbridge Data Sheet](#)

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Goal(s) of Meeting:

Establish an action plan to achieve SEL Building Goals

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Homecoming Reminders: [Homecoming Coverages](#)

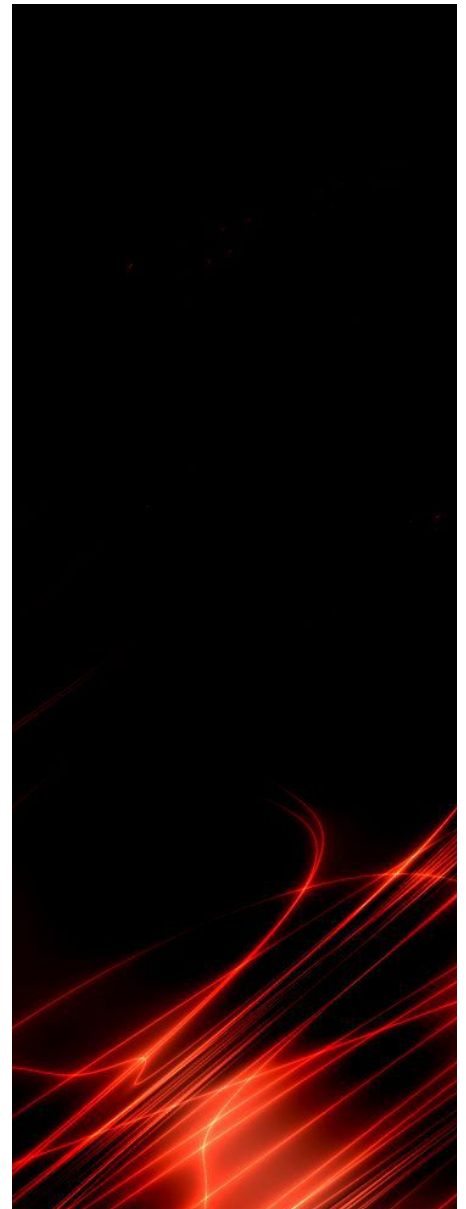
Modified Schedule: [HC Modified Scheduled](#)

Math Night: [Math Form](#)

New: [SAC Bus Dismissal](#)

Topic(s) for Discussion and minutes

- To gather some information about how we address behaviors, SEL w/LIM, and teaching practices. Please take the following survey to help establish a building baseline.
[Classroom Management Checklist](#)
- Review SEL Goal 2 in Teams and discuss action steps to achieve the goal (Sit in mixed grade level groups) Consider what we are currently doing and what do we add? Reconvene as a whole group to share ideas.
 - [22.23 OAC Goal and Action Plan](#)



Outcome(s) of Meeting:

Establish schoolwide action steps for SEL building Goal 2; BLT will finalize aspects attendance celebrations

Next Meeting Plans:

Data

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Date: 9/1/22

Time: 7:15-7:45

Location: OAC Library

Absent:

Materials to Bring: Computer

Roles & Responsibilities

Facilitator: Mrs. Bolt

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Goal(s) of Meeting:

Set Individual PDP Toolbox Goals

To Review Academic Goal 1 & 2's Action Steps and make changes as needed

To Review SEL Goal 2 in Team and set action steps

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Announcements: No Attendance at Morning Assembly in gym just do it on PS

Reminders: I noticed some of you have not logged items in the communication log! Some of you have logged lots! Don't forget to hit our goal

Enter F&P data in the intervention drive

Please fill out a [Teacher Feedback Form](#) for math before Sept 7th

Pay social dues \$20.00 certified staff

Kindergarten Teachers only: Checklist Completed for each 2022 kindergarten student

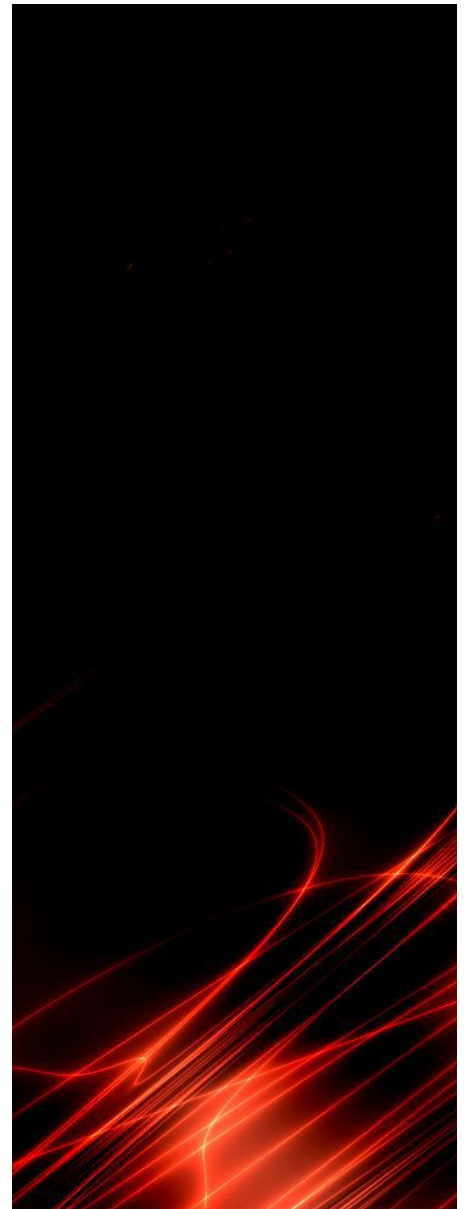
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- Set Individual PDP Toolbox Goals
 - Use team action plan notes from previous meeting to help set goals
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STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT GOAL

The BOE goal for student achievement is to improve teaching and learning through research based strategies that support students post secondary success. Overbrook Attendance Center has utilized the Fastbridge assessment along with diagnostic screeners to identify students for



title reading and title math services. Students will be receiving small group instruction in these areas from a certified staff member or a highly qualified paraprofessional. We currently have 100 students enrolled in either title reading, title math, or both.

