

May Newsletter

BOE REPORT



Principal - Mrs. Lorle Bolt

A message from our principal

Dear Charger Families,

Letters regarding unpaid fees will be coming home with your child for the 2025-2026 school year. We understand that various circumstances can cause delays in payments throughout the year. Before the last day of school we kindly request you pay these fees. Timely fee payment ensures

smooth operations and helps us uphold the standard of education at Overbrook Attendance Center. We encourage you to kindly disregard this reminder if you have recently made a payment.

Once fees are paid, report cards and class placements will be mailed to families on Friday, June 5th. Kindergarten class lists will be created and shared in August before school starts and CAC will share their 4th grade lists with families when schedules are created.

Thank you,
Mrs. Bolt



Upcoming Dates:

5/8: Field Day @ SFTHS

- K/1: 9-11am
- 2/3: 12:30-2:30pm

5/11: All Library Books Due

5/19: Last day of School

Field Day Rain Plan

If it rains on Field Day or we experience inclement weather, we will move activities indoors at OAC throughout the building. Unfortunately, we had a scheduling conflict with our designated rain date. We will notify you by 8:00 AM via email and text if this change is necessary. Please note that due to limited space in the building, if Field Day is held indoors at OAC, only volunteers and staff will be permitted to attend to ensure adequate space for games and students. We will not have parents in attendance if hosted inside.

KinderCamp

I'm pleased to announce that Overbrook Attendance Center will offer KinderCamp to incoming students who turn five on or before August 31, 2026. KinderCamp is specially designed to prepare children for entering school in the fall. Students are engaged in school-day routines, small-group instruction, hands-on centers and activities to further develop fine motor and social skills.

Program Schedule:

KinderCamp

4 days; Tuesday-Friday, 8:00am-11:30am

Dates:

July 28-July 31

Lost and Found

All items from the lost and found will be in the front hallway by the main entrance. If your child is missing any items please come take a peek and see if their items are in the lost and found. After the last day of school all items in the lost and found will be donated.

Important Update: 2026-2027 Enrollment is Now Open!

Dear Santa Fe Trail Families,

We are excited to announce that we are streamlining our enrollment process for the upcoming 2026-2027 school year! To make things easier for families and more efficient for our district, we are splitting enrollment into two simple phases.

Phase 1: Enrollment (Already Started)

We are asking all returning and new in-district families to complete their core enrollment forms now while you are still in 'school mode.' For new in-district students, please know proof of residence will be required to include the parent or legal guardian's name on one of the following documents: a lease agreement, mortgage statement, recent utility bill, or property tax receipt.

- Where: Log in to your [PowerSchool Parent Portal](#), click the Forms link, and complete all forms on that page.
- Why Now? It's easier to remember passwords and details while school is still in session. Plus, your early response helps the district plan more accurately for next year's staffing and resources.
- Good News: We've listened to your feedback! We reviewed every single question and removed anything unnecessary. This year's forms are considerably shorter and faster to complete.

Need Help?

- For simple fixes (like password resets): Email enrollment@usd434.us.
- For additional support: Please contact your child's school office to schedule an in-person appointment.

Phase 2: Fees & Final Updates (Coming early July)

In early July, we will send out a follow-up communication regarding the second half of the process.

This will include:

- Free and Reduced Lunch applications.
- Fee information and payment links.
- Updated handbooks and district policies.
- Information Updates: If your address, phone number, or transportation needs change over the summer, you will be able to resubmit your forms at this time.

District Note: By completing Part 1 today, you ensure that Santa Fe Trail Schools have the most accurate data possible to prepare for your student's return in the fall.

Thank you for your continued support and for being a part of the Charger family!

Teacher Appreciation Week



Join us in thanking our teachers during teacher appreciation week.
May 4th - May 8th!

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1. Achievements of Students and Staff

Students demonstrated strong effort and perseverance during state assessments this year, and we are eager to review and celebrate their results. Additionally, our staff successfully completed their LETRS training—a rigorous two-year commitment required to earn the Seal of Literacy on their licensure. This was a significant accomplishment, and the knowledge gained will continue to positively impact our instruction and student outcomes.

2. Areas of Change

We remain committed to continuously reviewing our instructional resources to ensure we are effectively meeting student needs. This year, we began implementing UFLI in grades K–2 as part of our MTSS framework and are excited to expand and strengthen its use in the coming year. We are also preparing for several operational changes to successfully welcome our Pre-K team. Planning is already underway, with additional work to continue throughout the summer months.

3. Administrative Goals and Vision for the Next School Year

Moving forward, we will continue to align our work with Board of Education goals while maintaining a strong focus on academic growth. A key priority will be ensuring a smooth and successful transition for our incoming Pre-K program. Additionally, this year I introduced intentional time for staff connection and bonding in the mornings, which was well received. I look forward to continuing and building on this practice in the upcoming school year.



Lorle Bolt

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