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Message from Ms. Walbeck

Thank you so much for being patient as we work through the kinks in our parking lot procedures. I hope you've noticed an ease in getting in and out of the parking lot, **with the increased safety for students**. We still required some additional help as follows: please ensure the thru lane is to exit the premises or park and walk your students to and from your car only. We appreciate your continued support as we increase safe parking lot operations.

This year we've introduced a new positive behavior interventions tracking system. Students earn points for following our school and classroom expectations. These points accumulate so our students can purchase items from the school store, events, and tokens for our book vending machine (coming soon!). This week we will hold our first school store on Friday during lunch and are excited to reward the students for their positive behavior.



OAKDALE CALENDAR

DATES TO REMEMBER:

06 SEPTEMBER LABOR DAY - NO SCHOOL

> 09 SEPTEMBER SCC MEETING

17 SEPTEMBER CEO AWARDS ASSEMBLY (TEACHERS WILL NOTIFY PARENTS IF YOUR STUDENT IS RECEIVING AN AWARD)

22 & 23 SEPTEMBER PARENT TEACHER CONFERENCES (MORE INFORMATION COMING SOON)

24 SEPTEMBER NO SCHOOL -COMPENSATION FOR PARENT TEACHER CONFERENCES



Parent Teacher Conferences

It's that time of year - Parent Teacher Conferences will be held on Sept 22nd and 23rd. The window to sign-up is from September 8-15, 2021. Wednesday, September 22 will be the virtual conferences similar to last year, with Thursday, September 23 as our in person conferences. Below are the directions on how to schedule an appointment:

- Login to your Skyward Family Access If you have more than 1 student in Canyons School District Schools, choose All Students
 - 1. On the left side click the Conferences tab

Note:

- Only one appointment can be scheduled per teacher, per student;
- If guardians maintain separate households, they must login separately to schedule individual conference times for their student(s);
- If you have more than one student, the system will allow you to schedule them at the same time with two different teachers, however a warning will appear because this will double book you;
- 2. Click on "All Conferences" next to the student's name you wish to schedule a conference for;
- 3. Click on "Select a Time";
- 4. Choose the time you want and click "Select" next to that time (Status for that time slot must be open or select option will not appear);
- 5. A window appears showing the appointment information, click "Save";
- 6. You will receive a confirmation email. You will also receive a reminder email five days before, and two days before your scheduled appointment.



Emergency Substitutes

Even in years without COVID, it takes a village to raise the next generation of entrepreneurs, scientists, artists, and leaders. But now, more than ever, Canyons District is relying on members of the community to help all of its 50 schools and programs to continue to operate smoothly.

While the corps of certified substitutes in Canyons is strong, the demand for substitute teachers who can step into the classroom at a moment's notice is growing by the day as CSD starts the 2021-2022 school year in earnest.

Members of the community who want to be a substitute are asked to go to canyonsdistrict.org.



Teacher High-Fives!

Our teachers do such an amazing job supporting our students at Oakdale. If you would like to give a high five, please click on the following link, <u>Teacher High Fives!</u>

Ms. Bishop:

Thank you for helping students see their potential and encouraging them to do their very best.

Mrs. Despain:

Weekly parent emails are super helpful! Thanks for keeping us informed about what is going on.

Mrs. Muller:

Mrs M. took the time to talk to me about my son's first few days in school! Her communication with me was so appreciated and I felt like a real team had been formed!! Thank you for being responsive and flexible!!

Thank you for keeping us in the loop with our daughter via email. We appreciate knowing how things are going at school and we are so grateful for all the work you do!

Ms. Yates:

Thanks for making my last year online student feel welcome in your class this year!



Canyons Announce: Dates and Times for SALTA Testing

Does your child have a strong sense of curiosity, a need to explore subjects in surprising depth, and ability to quickly learn complex information? If so, your student might be a candidate for Canyons District's SALTA magnet program for advanced learners — and the time for applying to test into the program for the 2022-2023 school year is coming soon.

SALTA – Supporting Advanced Learners Toward Achievement – serves students who demonstrate significantly high cognitive and academic abilities in comparison to peers. Students in kindergarten through the seventh grade can apply online to test into the program starting Tuesday, Sept. 7. The deadline for applying is midnight Friday, Oct. 1. Unfortunately, we are not able to accept late applications.



Orders placed before August 30, 2021 will be delivered to students on or before September 13, 2021 Orders placed between August 30-September 30, 2021 will be delivered on or before October 14, 2021

JOIN OUR OAKDALE PTA

Joining PTA is a great way to support students and activities within our Oakdale community. Your membership will support programs like field trips, Road to Success, Field Day, Teacher Appreciation, School Shirts, Reflections, Book Vending Machine, and so much more. Registration is only \$10 per family, to join go to

https://oakdaleschool.memberhub. com/store

Follow our PTA on Instagram @PTAOAKDALE.



VOLUNTEERING IN THE SCHOOL

We appreciate all those who volunteer in our Oakdale school community. All supervised volunteers, (whether with the PTA or not) in all Canyons District Schools need to complete and submit a new VolunteerApplicationannually. Once approved by the District, you will login using the laptop in the front office to get your volunteer sticker. This sticker identifies you as an approved volunteer for Oakdale. Click here to sign up and/or renew your application:

https://volunteer.canyonsdistrict.org/ volunteersystem/#!/application/volunteer//

Teachers and grade level teams will reach out to you with any volunteer opportunities.

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