

ODEM INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

OIS Mission:

To unite our school and community by communicating, establishing routines, promoting positive parent involvement in an academically enriched and safe environment.

Principal's Notes: We are so proud of the strides our students have made this school year. Parents, you play a crucial role in helping your child excel to the potential we know they are capable of; this is our time to shine! In the days leading up to our last round of STAAR testing, please encourage and reassure your child that you too know they will do well. Also stress the importance of taking their time and not rushing through the test. Our teachers have armed our students with the knowledge and the strategies needed to ensure their success. Thank you for your support and partnership throughout this school year. We hope everyone has a safe and enjoyable summer!

OIS Student Spotlights



Name: Vicente Rodriguez
Grade: 3rd Grade
Homeroom Teacher: Ms. B. Sorrells
 Vicente comes to class ready to learn each day. He is always willing to help others. He puts amazing effort into everything he does. We hope he keeps reaching for the stars!
Future Plans: He wants to be a Storm Chaser.



Name: Derek Huerta
Grade: 4th Grade
Homeroom Teacher: Mrs. C. Sorrells
 Derek is an outstanding student who works hard on everything he does. He is an awesome leader and role model to his peers.
Future Plans: Derek wants to be a veterinarian when he grows up.



Name: Alexandra Huerta
Grade: 5th Grade
Homeroom Teacher: Mr. K
 Alexandra always comes to class ready to learn with a positive attitude, and a determined mindset. Keep rocking it!
Future Plans: When Alexandra grows up, she wants to be a Professional Basketball player or an Esthetician.

Name: Aubrielle Candela
Grade: 3rd Grade
Homeroom Teacher: Mrs. Boehme
 Abrielle is a light in the classroom. She comes each day ready to learn and with a smile on her face. Abrielle is always willing to help her teachers and her peers. We have enjoyed watching her love for learning grow, and can't wait to see what her future holds. Keep being awesome Abrielle!
Future Plans: She wants to be a teacher.

Name: Emily Ferguson
Grade: 4th Grade
Homeroom Teacher: Mrs. Veliz
 Emily always works hard in all of her classes. She is determined to do her very best in all she does. Emily is also a great friend and leader to all of her peers.
Future Plans: Emily wants to be a musician and play the guitar when she grows up.

Name: Dleyen Gonzales
Grade: 5th Grade
Homeroom Teacher: Ms. Pena
 Dleyen always shows up to class ready to work hard and support his fellow peers with encouraging words. Thanks for being a team player!
Future Plans: Dleyen wants to own and work in his own restaurant, serving others.

Top AR Readers for the 5th Six Weeks



3rd Grade: Olivia Alfaro, Aysia Barrera, & Layla Monreal



4th Grade: Cullen Gehris, Camila Ruiz, & Evan Schlotter



5th Grade: Jeremiah Parraz, Jordan Salinas, & Julian George

Upcoming Dates:

- ◇ April 23rd– School Bus Driver Appreciation Day
- ◇ April 23rd– Science STAAR Grade 5
- ◇ April 24th– Administrative Assistant Appreciation Day
- ◇ April 30th– Math STAAR, Grades 3-5
- ◇ May 3rd: School Lunch Hero Day
- ◇ May 6th-May 10th: Teacher Appreciation Week
- ◇ May 10th– Mommy and Son Dance– OIS/OJH Cafetorium @ 6:30 pm
- ◇ May 14th– 3rd Grade Pool Party (am)
- ◇ May 15h– 3rd and 4th Grade Awards Assembly @ 9:30 am, OIS/OJH Cafetorium; 5th Grade @ 5:30 pm
- ◇ May 16th– 4th Grade Pool Party (am)
- ◇ May 17th– 5th Grade Pool Party (am)

Field Day

When: May 3rd
 Where: Owl Stadium

Time: 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

To ensure a successful and fun day for our students, we would like to share the following important details:

- All visitors will be required to sign in prior to entering the football field. There will be a sign in table and staff members will be there to assist with this process.
- For safety reasons, students are required to always remain with their classes. Parents are welcome to sit near their child's grade level.
- Students will not be allowed to leave from the stadium unless checked out by a parent. You may check your child out with his/her homeroom teacher.
- Don't forget to bring the following items: hats/caps, sunscreen, water, or Gatorade.
- Gum or sunflower seeds are not allowed into the stadium.