

Oberlin Magnet Middle School

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Greetings Oberlin Families,

Students have done a great job showing best effort as we have begun EOG / EOG testing this week. Thanks for everyone's efforts to ensure that students are well rested, arrive on time, and have a charged chromebook. Following our end of grade testing, staff have planned culminating learning experiences that allow students to apply their learning in a global context. Thanks to our families for supporting these learning experiences with supplies and materials. Here's to a wonderful last full week of the school year!

– Ms. Pelton, Principal

Week of June 3rd - 7th

Monday, June 3rd - EOG Testing, Details Below

Tuesday, June 4th - EOG Testing, Details Below

Wednesday, June 5th

- 6th Grade Team Celebrations (See team newsletters for details)

Thursday, June 6th

- 7th Grade Team Celebrations (See team newsletters for details)
- Mountaineers Team Promotional Ceremony - June 6, 2024 at 8:45am
- Rangers Team Promotional Ceremony - June 6, 2024 at 10:15am

Friday, June 7th

- Globetrotters Team Promotional Ceremony - June 7, 2024 at 8:45am
- Eighth Grade Dance, 5:30 - 7:30, Details Below

Late Arrival / Early Check Out During EOG / EOC Testing - Students arriving late to school on EOG / EOC testing days may not be admitted to a testing classroom once the test has begun. Please plan accordingly to arrive on time to avoid having to test on a make up day.

When a classroom is engaged with EOG / EOC testing, we will not call the classroom or visit the classroom to get a student for early check out as this disrupts the testing setting. **Families will have to wait until testing concludes in the classroom to check out a student early from school.** Please plan accordingly so an early check out is not needed during testing.

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End of Year Testing Schedule – 2024

	<u>Thursday</u> May 30	Friday May 31	Monday June 3	Tuesday June 4	Tuesday, June 5 – Tuesday, June 11
6th		Reading EOG	Math EOG	Math I EOC	Make-ups
7th	Reading EOG	Math EOG		Math I EOC	Make-ups
8th	Science EOG	<i>Science EOG Make-ups</i>	Reading EOG	Math EOG Math I EOC	Make-ups

Chromebooks End of Year - Eighth grade families, please note that we will collect student chromebooks on Friday, June 7th. Eighth grade students will be issued a new chromebook as ninth graders, during the beginning of their ninth grade school year at their high school. (Any eighth grade student who does not turn in their chromebook will not be issued a new chromebook in ninth grade.) Sixth and seventh graders will keep their chromebooks over the summer for use in the upcoming school year.

PTA Update (Optional) End of Year Staff Gifts -

Looking for ways to say THANK YOU to all the wonderful people who have had an impact on your child's education this year? If so, then GiftCrowd is here to make things easy! With GiftCrowd, you are able to donate any amount to staff members of your choice and they get a gift they enjoy — because they choose their own gifts from hundreds of online and physical stores. Please note - The GiftCrowd option will end at 2pm on June 12th. Visit this Link to donate now!

<https://app.giftcrowd.com/app/join-event/pSCYW0Or8C>

EOG Remediation / Readministration -

If your student passes their English Language Arts, Mathematics, or Science (8th grade only,) class, but is non-proficient for their EOG / EOG, your student will be invited to remediation and a test readministration on June 12th and 13th. Should your child meet the criteria for our EOG / EOC Remediation and Readministration program you will receive an invitation for your child to attend the program after the EOG testing window closes for our school. For your planning purposes, the program dates for the end of the school year are: June 13 and June 14. Transportation will be provided, and breakfast and lunch will be available. Participating students are allowed to be “picked up” by parents at the conclusion of the readministration. More information to come for eligible students.

Athletics - If your rising seventh or rising eighth grade student is interested in trying out and /or participation in athletics, please plan ahead. All students must have an up to date physical, within one year of the athletic season for the sport they are trying out for, along with all completed forms in DragonFly. Additionally, students must be in good academic standing passing three of four core classes, with no more than 14 absences during the previous semester of school. More information here: [Oberlin Athletics](#)



Rising Sixth Grade Orientation 24 - 25 - Help us spread the word to incoming sixth grade students as we will host Trailblazer Orientation for rising sixth grade students on Friday, August 23rd. Assigned times will be shared with families in mid August!

Eighth Grade End of Year Promotional Ceremonies - This year with input from parents and our Oberlin School Improvement Team, we are hosting a promotional ceremony for each of our teams, and families are invited to join. Each student will be individually recognized and will receive a promotional certificate. While we will make every effort to honor these times, the possibility does exist that changes may occur.

Students will attend their 8th grade promotion ceremony by homeroom (1st period). Homerooms are listed below.

Mountaineers Team Promotional Ceremony - June 6, 2024 at 8:45am

- Homerooms: Savo, Papile, Williams, McClellan

Rangers Team Promotional Ceremony - June 6, 2024 at 10:15am

- Homerooms: Allen, Kowaleski, Gravley, Genovese, Cherry

Globetrotters Team Promotional Ceremony - June 7, 2024 at 8:45am

- Homerooms: Barto, Upton, Rucker, Evensen, Spicer, Richter, Kruse

Eighth Grade Dance - Friday, June 7, 2024 - The Eighth Grade Dance is a fun part of celebrating and ending your 8th grade year. At the 8th grade dance, you get to dance, hang out with your friends, and take memorable pictures. You want to dress your best, aligned with the dress code, but above all be comfortable and have fun. Our Eighth Grade Dance will take place on Friday, June 7, 2024 beginning at 5:30 pm. The dress is semi formal, and outfit options include (but are not limited to) button-down shirts, dress pants, and dress shoes, and jumpsuits, tea dresses, and knee-length dresses. Students should be dropped off in the “mini loop” near our cafeteria entrance and should be picked up by 7:30 pm. (There is no cost for this event.)

Eighth Grade Picnic - Eighth grade students will enjoy the traditional Eighth Grade Picnic on June 10, 2024. Eighth grade parents have traditionally collected funds from

parents to combine with the funds allocated to 8th grade picnic from the Oberlin PTA to be able to pay for picnic activities. If you are able to contribute, the recommended donation amount is **\$40 per student**. If you are unable to contribute, please do not worry. If you would like to contribute on behalf of someone who is unable to do so, please add whatever additional amount you would like to your contribution. Contribute to 8th Grade Activities [here](#). There are lots of opportunities for parent participation at the picnic, and we would love to have you there! If you are able to volunteer at the picnic, please sign up at this [link](#).

Eighth Grade Families - Check out all eighth grade “end of year” dates at this [link](#). New updates added for collecting donations for the Eighth Grade Picnic and seeking parent volunteers to support these events.

Team Newsletters

6th Grade - [Astros](#) [Rockets](#) [Voyagers](#)
7th Grade - [Dragons](#) [Embers](#) [Phoenix](#)
8th Grade - [Globetrotters](#) [Mountaineers](#) [Rangers](#)

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