

Oberlin Magnet Middle School

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Week of: February 15th - 19th

District Updates

What Week Is It: **In Person Learning Cohort B / Cohort 2**

WCPSS District Family Email [Update](#)

District Calendar: [Second Semester Traditional Middle School Calendars](#)

Calendar Reminders for This Week:

- **Monday, February 15th and Tuesday, February 16th** are “non instructional days for students.” **There will be no virtual meets and no asynchronous learning activities for these days.**

WCPSS District Updates Wake County Board of Education approved a plan on February 2nd calling for students not enrolled in the Virtual Academy to begin returning to schools the week of February 15 with **Cohort B / Cohort 2**. The plan calls for the following:

- **Pre-K through third grade:** Daily in-person instruction
- **Grades 4 and 5:** Three-week rotations
- **Middle and High School:** Three-week rotations
- **Special Education Regional Programs, K-12:** Daily in-person instruction

Oberlin Return to Campus Guide - Cohort students returning to the building should review the [OMMS Return to Campus Family Guide](#) and [How to Videos](#) to help students familiarize themselves with expectations and protocols.

Athletic Skill Development Clinics Beginning Soon - Interested in improving a skill and connecting with coaches and friends . . . then learn more about Skill Development Clinics. All information including who can participate, schedules, registration information, and health / safety guidelines can be found here. Key forms that are needed for registration are linked below.

- **Survey to participate in athletics**
- **Covid 19 Form** (this needs to be printed, signed, and brought to the first day of workouts or emailed to svidalis@wcpss.net)
- **Online Athletic Registration**

Limited English Proficiency Students and Families - LEP students will be taking the ACCESS during the period of February 22nd through April 23rd. Teachers will reach out with details for how / when Virtual Academy LEP students will be able to take the ACCESS exam.

WCPSS Young Women's Summit - Enjoy a day for 7th - 12th grade young women to be mentored, supported, and celebrated by strong women in our community. This event is supported by WCPSS and the WCPSS Office of Equity Affairs. More details and registration information can be found [here](#).

Yearbook Seeking Trailblazers who are Serving Their

Community - This school year is one that has come with new challenges, incredible learning experiences, and amazing opportunities for us to grow as a community. Here at Oberlin Magnet Middle School, we understand the struggles and challenges that our families may be facing. There are many in our community that need our support. We would like to encourage our Oberlin families to blaze the trail in outreach and service and share it with us! This outreach can be service of any kind, so let's show that Trailblazer spirit! [OBERLIN OUTREACH](#)

Support Oberlin by Signing Up for Meal Benefits - Parents, please apply for meal benefits by Feb 26. For every student that turns in the free and reduced lunch application and qualifies, the school receives federal funds that benefit the students and teachers at the school. These funds provide additional teachers and staff for the school which means more services for students, especially students that are struggling in reading or math. These funds also are used for materials and supplies for students and teachers. These are valuable resources that teachers can use to improve student achievement. [Help Oberlin continue to receive this funding](#) by completing an application online at MySchoolApps.com. Paper applications can be requested by calling 919-588-3535.

Arrival Carpool - Carpool does not begin until 7:45. Drivers should enter the campus from Oberlin Road or Sanderson Street and follow the [designated route](#) to drop off your child. As you approach dropoff, roll down your child's window to allow our staff member to complete the required health screening. Please do not allow your child to exit the vehicle until an OMMS staff member has completed the required health screening. If a carpooler fails the health screening, the driver will need to take the student home. Carpoolers should enter the campus at the Stadium/Gym entrance and move either to the cafeteria for breakfast or their first period class where they will await

the start of the school day. Carpoolers may ride with other families as long as they have a carpool tag for use during dismissal. Carpool will end at 8:15. Students who arrive after 8:15 must come to the main office to secure a tardy pass. Parents must accompany their child to the main entrance where an OMMS staff will administer the health screening. The parent may not leave until the student passes the health screening.

Walkers - Students who walk to school will enter the campus at the cafe/gym lobby entrance where they will complete the health screening. If a walker fails the health screening, an OMMS staff member will accompany the student to the Care Center where their parents will be called to come take them home. If a walker passes the health screening, he/she will either go to the cafeteria for breakfast or to their first period class to await the start of the school day. Screening begins at 7:45am.

Carpool Tag - Families of students returning to in person instruction must secure a “carpool tag” from the main office during the week of February 8 anytime from 8am-3:30pm. Please share the assigned number with your child to expedite afternoon carpool.

8th grade Families- Link for High School Registration

Timeline and Information - There is a link/QR code for a virtual bulletin board at the bottom of the timeline. Open house Information/Curriculum Fairs for high schools will be posted on the bulletin board. [Link](#)

Oberlin PTA Updates

Oberlin PTA Family Directory -- The Oberlin PTA is creating a directory for families to support families with connecting with one another. Oberlin Magnet Middle School is NOT allowed to share families contact information, as this information is confidential. Families wishing to participate in this optional collection can submit their contact information using the following [link](#). Please note, families are submitting this contact information directly to the Oberlin PTA, (not the school.) Expectations for privacy and confidentiality afforded from the school will not be upheld as this is an optional collection of family contact information organized and compiled by our PTA for use connecting families in our school community.

A copy of all Weekly Family Communications can be found on our [website](#) (<https://www.wcpss.net/oberlinms>). Follow us on Twitter for daily updates: [@oberlinmiddle](#)