

Oberlin Magnet Middle School

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Week of: October 8th - 12th

We are grateful to our Oberlin students and staff for engaging in our first “Trailblazer Time.” We appreciated our students sharing insights around school culture, and we look forward to responding to these ideas and continuing the conversation.

Upcoming Events

- **Monday, October 11th - Teacher Workday, No School for Students**
- Wednesday, October 13th - Home Volleyball and Soccer Game against East Garner AT OBERLIN
- Thursday, October 14th - Home Football / Cheer against East Garner AT OBERLIN

Interim Reports - Paper copies of interim reports were sent home to families during the previous week of school. If you did not receive the interim, please check PowerSchool or contact your child’s teacher.

Parent Portal Accounts - As of last week, we have fulfilled all requests for Parent Portal Accounts. We are grateful to our families for their patience as we worked to complete such a large number of requests. If you did not receive notice of your account or if you are having challenges, please reach out to Ms. Rose Mary Rivera at rmrivera@wcpss.net.

Eighth Grade Families - Magnet High Schools and Early College Application Schools

Early College and Career Academies in Wake County will begin their application period on **October 15th and continue until December 14th.**

The Virtual Early College Fair is on **Saturday, October 16th at 9:00.** The Virtual Magnet, Early College & Year-Round Fair on **Saturday, November 6th.**

[Wake Young Women's Leadership Academy](#)

- Tour sign-ups on school website

[Wake Young Men's Leadership Academy](#)

- Tour sign-ups and 10/28 Open House sign-up on school website

[North Wake College and Career Academy](#)

- Tours every Wednesday at 9 am. Open House 10/14 at 6 PM. Please sign-up on school website

[Wake STEM Early College](#)

- Virtual Information Sessions and Open House sign-ups on website

[Wake Early College of Health Sciences](#)

- Virtual Information Sessions and Open House sign-ups on website

[Research Triangle Park Early College](#)

- Information on Wake County Early College website

[Vernon Malone College and Career Academy](#)

- Tour sign-ups from 10/20 - 12/9 on website

[Broughton Magnet High School](#)

- Global Studies and Language Immersion Tours and Open House Information

[Enloe Magnet High School](#)

- Virtual Tours and Information sessions on website

[Southeast Raleigh Magnet High School](#)

- Tours and information found on website

PTA Updates

Register to receive PTA Communications - Use this [link](https://oberlin.memberhub.com/join/4cd0b5) to register to receive PTA communications. We encourage all families to take advantage of joining the PTA and staying abreast of all PTA happenings! (Link URL: <https://oberlin.memberhub.com/join/4cd0b5>)

Health and Safety Guidelines

Lunch - In accordance with updated guidance from WCPSS, we shifted the majority of classes outside for lunch. Only two classes per lunch block remain in the cafeteria, and these students are seated with spacing to the extent possible, facing the same direction, and masks are only removed while students are actively eating or drinking.

Face Masks - All students and staff will wear face coverings while indoors at school. The requirement also applies to school buses and vendor transportation. *Correctly wearing face masks may prevent a student from having to quarantine if in contact with a student who is presumed positive for COVID.* Please stress the importance of correctly wearing face coverings with your student so that we can ensure safety and maintain students' in person participation at school.

Water Bottles - Water fountains will continue to be closed to help prevent the spread of COVID. Please send your student to school each day with a water bottle. We do provide students without a water bottle with a plastic cup. Providing these cups is expensive, and we would be grateful for any donations. [Link](#) to example of cups that can be shipped directly to Oberlin.

A copy of all Weekly Family Communications can be found on our [website](#) (<https://www.wcpss.net/oberlinms>). Follow us on **Social Media**: **@oberlinmiddle** on Twitter, **OberlinMiddle** on Instagram, and **oberlinmagnetmiddleschool** on Facebook.

