Oberlin Magnet Middle School

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Greetings Oberlin Families,

What a week we have had! Welcoming Ambassador Mophuting to Oberlin was a core memory that our students and staff will always remember! We are grateful to our Trailblazer community for showcasing their learning, highlighting the importance of being informed global citizens, and demonstrating their respect for varying viewpoints and cultures. The Botswanian delegation and our WCPSS Central Services supporters shared tremendous accolades to describe their experience and learning at Oberlin! Check out social media for pictures and videos of this amazing day. The end of the school year is here, with three weeks remaining in our school year. As a school, we are committed to strong teaching and learning experiences through the last week of school, however, we look forward to building in celebrations and fun along the way. These privileges will be for students who continue to uphold appropriate behavior expectations. Thanks for reminding your student to continue to make appropriate Trailblazer choices through the last day to ensure we can have a positive conclusion to the school year!

-- Ms. Pelton, Principal

Week of May 26 - 30

Monday, May 26th - Holiday, No School

Wednesday, May 28th

- Theater Class Performances, 6:30 7:30pm
- Flag Football Practice for Participating Students in 7th and 8th grades

Thursday, May 29th

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Celebrate Oberlin Teachers through (optional) Oberlin PTA Gift Crowd

Collection - Looking for a way to thank the amazing staff at Oberlin for a wonderful school year? The PTA will be collecting contributions, via GiftCrowd, until 5:00pm on Thursday, June 12th through this link. Every faculty member is listed for you on GiftCrowd so you can easily send a gift to administration, office staff, student services, custodial staff, elective teachers, classroom teachers and more! Please contact Blair Miller (blairmiller27@gmail.com) with any questions!

Eighth Grade End of Year Activities - Eighth grade students will enjoy the traditional Eighth Grade Picnic on Thursday, June 12, 2025 at 11:30AM. Eighth grade parents have traditionally collected funds from parents to combine with the funds allocated to the 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 to volunteer here.

Broughton Athletics Physical Night - Come get your pre-participation sports physical done with Raleigh Orthopedics! When: Wednesday May 28th 2025, 6pm - 8pm (last check in at 7:30pm,) In the Holliday Gym at Broughton -- Bring a completed NCHSAA Health

History Form (found on Dragonfly) - COST: \$20 Card, Cash, or Check - Made Out to BROUGHTON ATHLETICS - More information found here.

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.

Eighth Grade Dance - **Friday, June 6, 2025** - 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 6, 2025 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. This event is for Oberlin 8th grade students ONLY. (There is no cost for this event.)

Oberlin Magnet Middle School EOG / EOC Spring Testing Schedule

| | Monday, June 2 | Tuesday, June 3 | Wednesday, June 4 | Thursday, June 5 | Friday, June 6 – Thursday, June 12 |
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| 6th | | Reading EOG | Math EOG | Math I EOC | Make-ups |
| 7th | Reading EOG | Math EOG | | Math I EOC | Make-ups |
| 8th | Science EOG | Science EOG Make-ups | Reading EOG | Math EOG Math I EOC | Make-ups |

This schedule reflects our current plan for 2025 EOG / EOC testing. The possibility exists, due to circumstances beyond our control, that adjustments to these dates may happen. Please know that if a change needs to be made, we will communicate it as

soon as possible to our families. Please reach out to our Testing Coordinator, Susan Cherry, with any questions (scherry@wcpss.net).

Team Newsletters

Sixth Grade: Astros Rockets Voyagers

Seventh Grade: <u>Dragons</u> <u>Embers</u> <u>Phoenix</u>

Eighth Grade: Globetrotters Mountaineers Rangers

PTA Updates

Join the PTA here PTA Linktree - linktr.ee/OberlinPTA

A copy of all Weekly Family Communications can be found on our <u>website</u> (https://www.wcpss.net/oberlinms). Follow us on **Social Media**: **@oberlinmiddle** on Twitter, **OberlinMiddle** on Instagram, **oberlinmagnetmiddleschool** on Facebook, Oberlin PTA: linktr.ee/OberlinPTA.