JAGUAR NEWS

September 2020

Important Dates

8/27-9/18
Galileo Testing (3-5)
8/31-9/18
Acadience Testing (K-2)
9/4
Learning Materials Pickup
Progress Reports
9/7
Labor Day
NO SCHOOL!
9/18
Learning Materials Pickup

COLLEGE AND CAREER READY!!

Class of 2034 Showcase: Each month we will showcase one grade level. This month we will focus on the Class of 2034 (Preschool). As our youngest Jaguars, these students are learning how to "do school". This means learning how to wait in line, taking turns and working together as a team. Our Class of 2034 team (Mrs. Ibarra, Mrs. Sells and Mrs. Solis) do a wonderful job of helping our Jaguars learn through play. These ladies focus on the social emotional and academic skills needed to be ready for kindergarten. Class of 2034 in the house !!

Class Dojo: Please make sure that you check your Dojo daily in order to stay up to date on what is happening here at OCJ. Your child's teacher and Mrs. Logan shares messages, stories and important information on Dojo. Please reach out to your teacher if you have not connected yet.

STEAM Challenges: Each Monday afternoon Mrs. Logan will read a book on Class Dojo. She will then present a STEAM challenge for the week based on that book. Prizes will be sent out to some participants each week. These challenges are meant to encourage creativity, problem solving and a love for learning. Please encourage your students to participate in this school wide activity each week.

Testing: Kiner-2nd grade students will be participating in the Acadience test. This assessment must be given in person. If you have not signed up for a time for your student, please refer to the sign up genius sent out through Dojo. 3rd-5th grade students will be taking Galileo tests online. While the test is not new to these students, the process of taking it at home is. Please read the following statement in regards to testing: We ask that you commit to allowing your student to work on each test independently. Remember, this is a pretest. The results provide teachers with data that helps pinpoint each student's strengths and areas of need. This data helps teachers plan instruction to meet the needs of your student and all students.

Kids at Hope: Every Jaguar is a KID AT HOPE. Ask them to recite the pledge to remind them of this important fact:

" I am a Kid at Hope. I am talented, smart and capable of success. I have dreams for the future and I will climb to reach those goals and dreams every day. All kids are capable of success, NO EXCEPTIONS!!"

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