



## HOME OF THE VIKINGS

**District Mission:** Toledo Public Schools' mission is to produce competitive college and career ready graduates through a rigorous curriculum across all grade levels by implementing Ohio's New Learning Standards with fidelity.

**District Vision:** Toledo Public Schools strives to be an 'A-rated' school district whose graduates are college and career ready.

### Oakdale Elementary

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Title 1 School

November 2023

### DAILY HEALTH ASSESSMENT



- Families are being asked to perform a daily health assessment, which includes whether the student has any of the following:
- Fever (100 degrees or higher), chills, fatigue, muscle or body aches, headache, sore throat, congestion or runny nose, nausea or vomiting, diarrhea, cough, shortness of breath, difficulty breathing, new olfactory disorder, and new taste disorder.
- If the student is sick, the parents please keep the student home. **If the students begin to exhibit any signs or symptoms of COVID19 they will be sent home immediately.**

### Arrival and Dismissal

**Arrival**-Grades K-2 arrive at the Milroy Street Doors

Grades 3-5 arrive at the front doors

Grades 6-8 arrive at the teaching parking lot doors

**Dismissal**-All grades dismiss out of the front doors

### Assistant Principal's News



### ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL

Dear Parents:

Happy Thanksgiving to you and your family! May you make great memories this year with your loved ones during this holiday. I am very thankful to work with your child/children here at Oakdale!

### NO SCHOOL



**Tuesday, November 7<sup>th</sup> Election Day**  
**Monday-Friday November 20<sup>th</sup> - 24<sup>th</sup>**  
**Thanksgiving Break**

### NO MORE RECESS



Recess will end Friday, November 17, 2023.

Recess will resume in March.

### Fresh Fruits and Vegetables



Fresh fruits and vegetables program has begun and the students are enjoying them.

**Nurse's News**

The American Academy of Pediatrics recommends all children ages 6 months and older be vaccinated for influenza this fall, as vaccines remain the best way to prevent severe illness and keep kids in classrooms.

Any questions please call me at 419-671-7350.  
Nurse Marcy

**When Your Child Is Absent...**

Call the school attendance line at 419-671-7351 to report your child will not be in attendance. Please speak slowly and clearly. Please include your name, your child's name, your child's teacher or room number, the date, and the reason for the absence. If the school does not receive a note upon your child's return to school, the absence will be unexcused. Please send any medical documentation along with the note. More than **10** absences require a doctor's note.

**Messages for Students**

Please communicate with your child/children all after school pick up information, who to go home with, etc. before they leave for school in the morning.

The office gets very busy during the day, and the secretary does not have a lot of time to forward messages to students. There are the cases when a real emergency arises, and that is totally acceptable.

Please try and make doctor appointments outside of school hours if possible. Students are arriving later and later to school and are missing instructional time in class.

**Welcome to Mrs. Howard's Counselor Corner**

Please read my letter about "**Positive Relationships Build Character**" that is attached to this newsletter. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me. TPS PROUD!!! (see attachment)

**Walking Club**

Walking Club will be every Tuesday and Thursday from 8:30-8:45 in the gymnasium. Remember the more you walk, the more incentives you can earn!

**PTO**

Big Ticket Savings Card originally was \$20, but are now on sale for **\$10** while supplies last.

"**Goodies with Grown-Ups**" will be coming up in November. More information to come.

Penguin Patch will be December 4-December 8.

**Oakdale Clubs**

**YWOE/YMOE**-November 2

**Baseball and Softball**-November 6 and 8

**Art**-November 7 and 14

**Chess**-November 7 and 14

**Visitors**

Visitors to the building are discouraged and are encouraged to make an appointment. We have a new visitor identification system that will require all visitors to the building to present a state/federal ID. Please understand that this is a new district policy. No exceptions will be given.

**Safety**

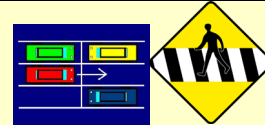
Parents please demonstrate proper ways to cross the street so that our students can see good role models in that process. We have cars that do not adhere to the 20 mile and hour speed limit for school zones and when students do not cross at the crosswalk, they are in jeopardy of being hit by a moving vehicle.

**OSU vs. Michigan Canned Food Drive**

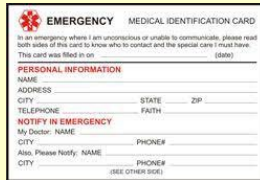
Please bring in can goods and dry foods for the food drive. November 1-16, 2023.  
A letter will be sent home with students for more details.

**OSU vs. Michigan Dress Down Day**

On November 17, 2023, please wear your favorite team colors or jersey to support your team (GO BLUE!)

**Parking Lot and Crosswalk**

The parking lot patrol is out there to assist you at school arrival and dismissal time. The same traffic pattern and drop off/pick up areas are being maintained. Your cooperation and kind words are always appreciated. They are always looking for volunteers to help out. Parents waiting for students must wait outside the building and in the designated waiting area behind the cones. Please refrain from early pick up of students between 3:00-3:15 p.m. This is very disrupting to the teachers as they prepare the students for dismissal.

**Emergency Medical Cards (EMC)**


**EMERGENCY MEDICAL IDENTIFICATION CARD**

In an emergency where I am unconscious or unable to communicate, please read both sides of this card to know who to contact and the special care I must have. This card was filed in on: (date)

**PERSONAL INFORMATION**

NAME \_\_\_\_\_  
 ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_  
 CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_  
 TELEPHONE \_\_\_\_\_ FAX \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTIFY IN EMERGENCY**

My Doctor: NAME \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE# \_\_\_\_\_  
 Also, Please Notify: NAME \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE# \_\_\_\_\_  
 CITY \_\_\_\_\_ (SEE OTHER SIDE)

**If you have not filled out an EMC, please do so ASAP and return to the office.**

Emergencies happen and we must have current information to get in contact with you. It is essential for your child's safety! No students will be allowed to go on field trip without an EMC.



Dear Parent/Guardian:

If your child needs to be picked up for an appointment a parent/guardian can **ONLY** pick up the child. If parent/guardian cannot pick up the child, the parent/guardian must provide a written note with name of person picking up the child and person must have their ID AND be on the emergency contact list.

**Dates to Remember**

# GO VIKINGS!



**11/7-Election Day-No School**

**11/1-11/16-Ohio State vs. Michigan Canned Food Drive**

**11/17-OSU vs. Michigan Dress Down Day**

**11/20-11/24-Thanksgiving Break**

**12/4-12/8-The Santa Shop**