



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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Principal's News

Parents,

At last, spring has arrived! As you know, it is much harder to keep the students' focused on academics when the beautiful weather is beckoning our attention.

However, to whatever extent you can, please continue to encourage your children to be attentive to their schoolwork. The last weeks of school require great effort from students since "the end is in sight!"

The great stride students have made this year can be lost in the final weeks of school if the students lose their focus. We want to ensure that all of our students finish the school year strong and are continuing to make progress.

As always, your help is appreciated!

Sincerely,
Dr. Yenrick

9th Annual Talent Show



The talent show will be on May 3, 2024 at 1:30.

Spring Break



March 29-April 8. School resumes on April 9, 2024

Recess



Recess started on Monday, March 18. Any student that cannot follow the three R's while at recess will not go out for the remainder of the year. We have gone over rules and consequences in and out of the classroom, so students are well informed as to what will happen if they do not follow directions while at recess. Please encourage your child to do their best at recess.

Playground Safety

Playgrounds and outdoor play offer kids fresh air, friends, fun, and exercise. Be sure to teach your kids how to be safe and act responsibly at the playground. Here are just a few safety tips to remind your kids:

1. Never push or roughhouse while on the playground equipment
2. Use equipment properly ie: go down the slide never up
3. Stay a safe distance around swings

It is important to make sure unsafe behavior does not ruin the FUN.



Dates to Remember

March 29-April 8-SPRING BREAK

May 3-Talent Show at 1:30

May 22-Graduation for Kindergarten and Eighth Grade

ASSISTANT
Principal



Happy Spring! We have many great things coming for the end of the year. Kindergarten and Eighth grade graduation and our annual talent show.

I encourage students to continue showing their three R's (respect, responsible, and ready) to ensure they participate in the fun activities.

Continue turning in all your work so you can make the honor roll or principals list.

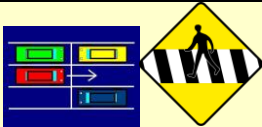
Sincerely,
Dr. Daniels

Nurse's News

Please plan now for your child's vaccinations. Kindergartener's need their shots updated. Seventh Grader's need a Tdap vaccine (per Ohio law) and meningitis shot. Make an appointment with your child's doctor or visit a Shots 4 Tots clinic near you. Do not wait to vaccinate!- Mrs. O'Shea

**Walking Club**

Walking Club meets every morning on Tuesday and Thursday in the gym from 8:30 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

Parking Lot and Crosswalk

The safety 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. NO early dismissal of students after 3:00 p.m. This is very disrupting to the teachers as they prepare the students for dismissal.

Teacher Spotlight

Mrs. Stubbins and Mrs. Booth are our featured teachers for the month of April. Stop by and read about some of the fun things about them in our hallway display. Last month, we featured **Mrs. Moulton and Mrs. Wagner.** Congratulations Ladies!

Mrs. Howard's Counselor Corner

Happy Spring Oakdale Families! Please read the attached information on:

Get Out and Get Active

Thank you,
Mrs. Howard

Fresh Fruits and Vegetables Program

Cut back on sugar and salty snacks. Limit sodas, sports drinks, candy, chips, and ice-cream-they add on extra calories, can harm your teeth, and leave you feeling tired and weak. Make healthy choices from all food groups.

P.T.O.

The PTO meeting will be on Tuesday, April 30 at 9:15 a.m. Discussion will be pertaining to the spring end of the year activities...please look for more information in the next few weeks.

*Candy sale is over, please return all money. Remember no open boxes can be returned.

*Graduation pictures (in gowns) on 4/29 by KLZ Photography (preorders only) more information to follow in the coming weeks.

*Graduation save the date-5/22.

*Food Truck Friday

4/12-O'Henry's Kitchen on Wheels (preorder available)

4/26- Los Agaves

Cell phones

Students are not allowed to use personal cell phones during school hours. If students are, sick they will be sent to the nurse and a phone call will made from the school phone. Any student using a cell phone will receive a consequence. Cell phones should be kept in their book bags until they leave school.