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## Dates to Remember

- Oct. 28 Boys' Basketball Game at OAA 5:00 PM
- Oct. 30 Girls' Basketball Game at OAA 4:00 PM  
Boys' Basketball Game at OAA 5:00 PM
- Nov. 8 Education Sabbath at Gentry SDA Church
- Nov. 17-21 Fall Week of Prayer
- Nov. 18 Thanksgiving Music Program – all students
- Nov. 19 Thanksgiving Lunch Students/Staff Free
- Nov. 20 Fall Festival
- Nov. 24-28 Thanksgiving Break NO SCHOOL



## Pre-K

Mrs. Joanna Davis



Our Bible story this week was about Joshua and the battle of Jericho.

Thank you to all the parents who attended the parent-teacher conference. I love showing you how much your kids are growing.

We had a blast on our field trip to Farmland Adventures.

This week, we are reviewing our 'At' words, our letters, and numbers. Next week, we are going to start learning 'An' words.



**Kindergarten**  
Mrs. Yossy Castillo

Thank you for joining us at Farmland Adventures! The children really enjoyed it!

Don't forget to read with your children every day — even 15 minutes can make a big difference!

Have a wonderful weekend!

**1<sup>st</sup> Grade**  
Mrs. Bonny Baldrige



This week in phonics, we are learning about the /th/ sounds: the **voiced /th/ sound** as heard in words like *that*, *them*, and *then*. We are also covering the **unvoiced /th/ sound** as in *bath*, *moth*, and *path*. You can support your child at home by listening for these sounds in books and conversations together!

Our **Memory Verse** for this week is: "I love the Lord, because he hears my voice and my prayer for mercy. Because he bends down to listen, I will pray as long as I have breath." *Psalm 116:1,2 (NLT)*

Thank you for your continued support in your child's learning journey!

**2<sup>nd</sup> Grade**  
Mrs. Jamie Short



It was great to be able to meet with everyone this week. Between Parent/Teacher





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conferences and our field trip, we didn't have our usual time to get work done. Here are some of the things we did .

In Phonics, we began reviewing the Bossy-R spellings (ar and er). Due to the shortened week, we did not do a spelling test. We will combine some of this week's Bossy-R words with next week's words.

In our shared reading, the students practiced reading their decodable text with a partner, and in reading workshop, we practiced finding the main idea of a text or paragraph.

In Math, we investigated a few subtraction strategies. In the end, however, we decided that sometimes you can't beat the good old-fashioned stacking and borrowing. We spent the remaining time practicing this strategy.

In Bible, we tried to put ourselves in the Israelites' shoes and think about how they must have felt as slaves for so many years. We also learned that when God makes a promise, He always keeps it.

process paragraph projects. Keep an eye out for your child's story recount coming home soon!

In Bible, we are wrapping up our unit on King Saul, and in Social Studies, we're learning all about our government and how it works to make America strong!

and based on their results, their spelling list is determined. We take a pretest on Thursdays and send home your child's list in their Friday folder.



Please scan the barcode to access the spelling list and to practice with the online tutor. Select the diamond, square or circle depending on the list your child is assigned. **(The shape will appear on the list sent home)**

### Bible MV Verse:

But my people have stubborn and rebellious hearts. They have turned away and abandoned me. They do not say from the heart, 'Let us live in awe of the Lord our God, for he gives us rain each spring and fall, assuring us of a harvest when the time is right.'" Jeremiah 5:23, 24 NLT


## 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> Grades Mrs. Tania Miller



Dear Parents/Guardians,

I enjoyed meeting with all of you for parent-teacher conferences. Thank you for coming!

Looking ahead, Education Sabbath is right around the corner, November 8th. It will be at Gentry SDA Church. This is a great opportunity for the students to share their talents at church. Sabbath School starts at 9:30 and all are welcome to attend. Please have your child wear regular church clothing and arrive no later than 10:00 AM. Hope to see you all there!

 Our next book report is due October 31st, so please encourage your child to read! Also, it is a new quarter, and students need to earn their 10 AR reading points by the end of the 2nd quarter.

### Spelling:

Our spelling program individualizes student learning. The students take a pre-test online at [myzbportal.com](http://myzbportal.com),

## 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Grades Mrs. Hayli Enochs



Classroom News

We had a nice, easy week with Monday off and a fun field trip on Thursday—lots of excitement and great memories! As we head toward the end of the month, we'll be working hard to finish our writing

## 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> Grades Mr. Ethan Reid



Hey everyone,

Even though it was a short week with no school Monday and our big field trip on Thursday, we still made





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the most of our time in the classroom!

In Bible, we've had some great conversations lately — the kind where you can tell the students are really thinking. We've been diving into some deeper topics, including the end times, and it's been awesome to see how mature and thoughtful their questions have been. I'm proud of how they've handled these discussions with both curiosity and respect. Even with the shortened week, the kids stayed focused and kept up the momentum in their other subjects. I've been impressed with their effort and positive attitudes, especially with all the schedule changes this week. Thanks as always for staying involved and encouraging your kids — it really makes a difference.

We've got some fun things coming up, so stay tuned for next week's update! Have a restful weekend! –

Mr. Reid

Our new date for the **Fall Fest** is Thursday night, November 20. Save the date! More details are coming!



## OAS STEAM TEAM

**From the Dinobots:** This week, we got all the slides ready to print and finished our script. We researched two clothing brands, and we hope to team up with them. Next week, we hope to focus on the robot game table and finish our missions.

**From Indiana Bones:** What's up, fellow readers? Our innovation project is going great. We have gotten so much done. All we have to do is print out our papers for our board. We have also coded many missions on the game table.



## OAS SPORTS

### Soccer

Grades: 3-8

Dates: 10/10-11/14

Fridays 12:15-1:45 PM



### Boys' basketball

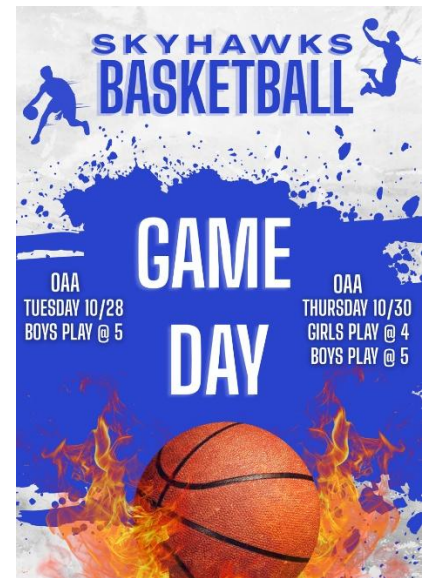
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Thurs., 10/30 Game at OAA, 5:00PM

### Girls' basketball

Tues., Oct. 28 practice 6:00-7:30PM

Thurs., Oct. 30 Game at OAA, 4 PM



**Gymnastics:** Monday & Wednesday, 3:15-4:15 at the OAA gym.



## LIBRARY

Mrs. Crystal Beierle



Mrs. Crystal has been gone this week, so there are no AR points to report. See you next week!

## OAS HOME & SCHOOL



Our **GLOW RIDE** is postponed until further notice due to weather.

## COOKIE DAY

You can order cookies to be delivered to your friends, children, teachers, etc. They are \$.50 each, and order forms are available in the side hallways. This is a fundraiser for OAA. The next delivery date will be Nov. 13.





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