










# February Discovery Schedule & happenings

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>1</b> Gym Shoes Required- <i>Colby, Russell, Roberts,                      Lamb, Alonge, Grosvenor</i> PLC= Kelleher <div style="border: 1px solid black; display: inline-block; padding: 2px;"><b>B3</b></div>	<b>2</b> Gym Shoes Required- <i>Hammel, Haggard, Edwards                      Watkins, Mattoon, Quintana</i> <div style="border: 1px solid black; display: inline-block; padding: 2px;"><b>C1</b></div>	<b>3</b> Gym Shoes Required- <i>Schmitt, Hazelton, Kelleher                      Whitson, Kelly, Walker</i> PLC= Hammel <div style="border: 1px solid black; display: inline-block; padding: 2px;"><b>D2</b></div>	<b>4</b> Gym Shoes Required- <i>Colby, Russell, Roberts,                      Rebitski, Suarez, Shumaker</i> PLC= Grosvenor <div style="border: 1px solid black; display: inline-block; padding: 2px;"><b>A3</b></div>	<b>5</b>  PT Conferences <b>NO STUDENTS</b>
<b>8</b> Gym Shoes Required- <i>Hammel, Haggard, Edwards                      Lamb, Alonge, Grosvenor</i> PLC= Mattoon <div style="border: 1px solid black; display: inline-block; padding: 2px;"><b>B1</b></div>	<b>9</b> Gym Shoes Required- <i>Schmitt, Hazelton, Kelleher,                      Watkins, Mattoon, Quintana</i> PLC= Watkins <div style="border: 1px solid black; display: inline-block; padding: 2px;"><b>C2</b></div>	<b>10</b> Gym Shoes Required- <i>Colby, Russell, Roberts,                      Whitson, Kelly, Walker</i> PLC= Edwards <div style="border: 1px solid black; display: inline-block; padding: 2px;"><b>D3</b></div>	<b>11</b> Gym Shoes Required- <i>Hammel, Haggard, Edwards                      Rebitski, Suarez, Shumaker</i> PLC= Haggard <div style="border: 1px solid black; display: inline-block; padding: 2px;"><b>A1</b></div>	<b>12</b> Gym Shoes Required- <i>Schmitt, Hazelton, Kelleher                      Lamb, Alonge, Grosvenor</i> <div style="border: 1px solid black; display: inline-block; padding: 2px;"><b>B2</b></div>
<b>15</b>  President's Day <b>No Students</b>	<b>16</b> Gym Shoes Required- <i>Colby, Russell, Roberts,                      Watkins, Mattoon, Quintana</i> PLC= Schmitt <div style="border: 1px solid black; display: inline-block; padding: 2px;"><b>C3</b></div>	<b>17</b> Gym Shoes Required- <i>Hammel, Haggard, Edwards                      Whitson, Kelly, Walker</i> PLC= Walker <div style="border: 1px solid black; display: inline-block; padding: 2px;"><b>D1</b></div>	<b>18</b> Gym Shoes Required- <i>Schmitt, Hazelton, Kelleher                      Rebitski, Suarez, Shumaker</i> PLC= Kelly <div style="border: 1px solid black; display: inline-block; padding: 2px;"><b>A2</b></div>	<b>19</b> Gym Shoes Required- <i>Colby, Russell, Roberts,                      Lamb, Alonge, Grosvenor</i> <div style="border: 1px solid black; display: inline-block; padding: 2px;"><b>B3</b></div>
<b>22</b> Gym Shoes Required- <i>Hammel, Haggard, Edwards                      Watkins, Mattoon, Quintana</i> PLC= Lamb <div style="border: 1px solid black; display: inline-block; padding: 2px;"><b>C1</b></div>	<b>23</b> Gym Shoes Required- <i>Schmitt, Hazelton, Kelleher                      Whitson, Kelly, Walker</i> PLC= Roberts <div style="border: 1px solid black; display: inline-block; padding: 2px;"><b>D2</b></div>	<b>24</b> Gym Shoes Required- <i>Colby, Russell, Roberts,                      Rebitski, Suarez, Shumaker</i> PLC= Hazelton <div style="border: 1px solid black; display: inline-block; padding: 2px;"><b>A3</b></div>	<b>25</b> Gym Shoes Required- <i>Hammel, Haggard, Edwards                      Lamb, Alonge, Grosvenor</i> PLC= Colby <div style="border: 1px solid black; display: inline-block; padding: 2px;"><b>B1</b></div>	<b>26</b> Gym Shoes Required- <i>Schmitt, Hazelton, Kelleher                      Watkins, Mattoon, Quintana</i> PLC= Whitson <div style="border: 1px solid black; display: inline-block; padding: 2px;"><b>C2</b></div>

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 <b>Art</b>	 <b>Music</b>	 <b>P.E.</b>	 <b>Technology</b>	 <b>Media Center</b>
<p>It is clay time in the art room! Always a favorite of the students! All grade levels will be making a clay project in the next few weeks. We focus on creating three-dimensional art, texture, form and the connections between math and science. Students are amazed when they discover that parallel lines and right angles are required for creating a ceramic mug. Or air that is trapped in the clay will expand during the heating process and break clay. It is muddy fun this month in the art room!</p> <p>February is the perfect month for creating handmade gifts. Encourage your kids to design cards for loved ones for Valentine's Day. They will enjoy the creative time, and the recipient will cherish the thoughtfulness!</p> <p>Happy Creating!</p> <p>Ms. Funk ~ OES Art Teacher lfunk@d49.org</p>	<p>The 5<sup>th</sup> grade S.T.O.M.P. program is on February 10 at 6:30, so please mark your calendars now.</p> <p>In the other grade levels, we will continue to work on rhythm and steady beat.</p> <p>If you get a chance, please stop by the library to see all of the wonderful and creative instruments that 4<sup>th</sup> grade created.</p> <p>The 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> grade choir is rehearsing every Thursday morning. If your child is involved please make sure that they are in the music room at 7:45.</p> <p>Congratulations to Joey Haggard, Augie Krueger, Max Moricle and Jacob Redeker for participating in the All City Boys Choir.</p> <p>Mrs. Joanie Chapman Music Teacher <a href="mailto:jchapman@d49.org">jchapman@d49.org</a></p>	<p><b>4<sup>th</sup> graders</b> have taken on the challenge and are walking to become a part of the <u>Flat 14ers Club!</u> They are using pedometers to count their steps, which helps them "climb" the "14ers!"</p>  <p><b>Heart Health tips:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>*Eat Nutritious foods (fruits, vegetables, grilled fish and chicken, etc...)</li> <li>*Exercise 60 minutes per day!</li> <li>*Don't smoke!</li> </ul> <p><b>Scooter Intramurals!</b> </p> <p>*Check your Friday folder today for more information on this before school program. Space is limited so sign up today!</p> <p><b>National Girls &amp; Women In Sports Day!!!</b></p> <p>Feb 20th from 11:30-1:30, the Air Force Academy athletes and coaches are giving a FREE sports clinic to all girls (and boys) 8<sup>th</sup> grade and under. Sports include: Basketball, volleyball, soccer, and cheerleading. All participants also receive a FREE commemorative AFA T-shirt! To RSVP, call: 333-0260 or e-mail: <a href="mailto:matthew.swearingen.ctr@usafa.edu">matthew.swearingen.ctr@usafa.edu</a></p> <p>** Following the clinic, participants AND family members are invited to attend the women's basketball game vs New Mexico at 2:00 for FREE!</p>  <p>Mrs. Karen Ohl Odyssey P.E. <a href="mailto:kohl@d49.org">kohl@d49.org</a></p>	<p>During the third quarter students in the 1st through 5th grades will be using conducting virtual experiments in various areas. Students will compile data using their observation skills and virtual tools. Students will be using computer driven lab notebook exercises.</p> <p>Kindergarten students will be using their primary word processor to produce their first book, "The ABC Book".</p> <p>Don't forget to visit our "Kid Friendly Web Sites" at <a href="http://www.d49.org/schools/oes">www.d49.org/schools/oes</a> &lt;<a href="http://www.d49.org/schools/oes">http://www.d49.org/schools/oes</a>&gt;. Then find the link in the top group for the Kid Friendly Web Pages/Technology site. All our students will be able to help you navigate our web site.</p> <p>Thanks for the opportunity to teach your child. If you ever need to reach me, the best way is email at <a href="mailto:tesposito@d49.org">tesposito@d49.org</a></p> <p>Mr. Esposito, OES Tech</p>	<p><b><i>THE BOOK FAIR IS COMING!!!</i></b> <b><i>FEBRUARY 1, 2, 3, &amp; 4, 2010</i></b></p> <p><b>Our school has only been open four years, so our library is still growing, and the Book Fair is our main avenue for that growth! Please help support our fledgling library and visit the book fair during conference week. We will be open late on Monday and Wednesday nights to help support those parents who would like to come after work or after their conference times. Don't miss some of the fourth grade Native American projects on display. The music department is also showing off the instruments made by some of the students. We hope to see many of you at the fair in the coming week. We will be closing at 1:00 PM on Friday...come early for the best selections!</b></p>  <p>Mrs. Talbot, Media Specialist</p>

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