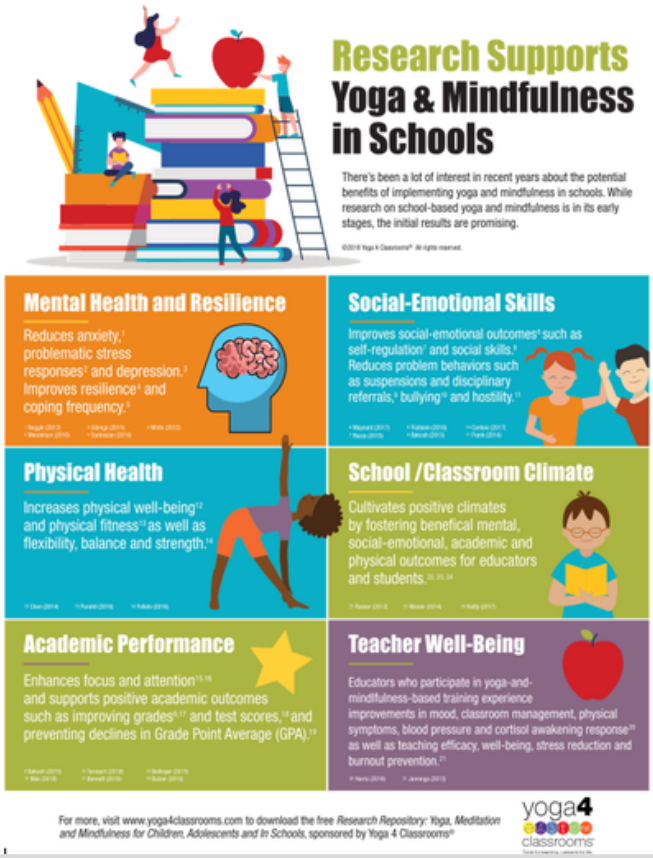
Starr Gazer Newsletter

January 11-15, 2021

January Calendar of Events

1/11: Students begin in person learning
* K-6 return Monday,Tuesday,Thursday, Friday- ***No in person*** on Wednesday's. Students
will be remote on Wednesday's.
*Grades 7-12 will have a HYBRID schedule. (Refer to your Green/Gold Schedule)
1/15: No SCHOOL-Staff Professional Dev. Day
1/18: Martin Luther King Day!- NO SCHOOL
1/20: Marco's Pizza Night!
1/25-1/29: Mr. Earl Program starts! This is a great fundraiser for Starr. Details to come!
1/29: Picture Retakes! *ODA students will have pictures from 8:30-9:00am.

Yoga & Mindfulness



Dear Students and Families,

We are excited to begin our new yoga and mindfulness adventure here at Starr! Thanks to a social-emotional learning grant, we were able to purchase yoga mats for every K-4 student in Oregon City Schools! Students may keep their yoga mats to encourage this wonderful lifelong activity!

Yoga and mindfulness practices have been shown to improve student learning, social-emotional development, stress management and overall wellness. Starting in January, students will learn a few simple poses and breathing techniques on "Mindfulness Mondays," and they will be able to practice these activities throughout the week!

We hope your student is excited about this learning opportunity! We are thrilled as a staff to begin this new adventure with them!

Sincerely
Mrs. Soltesz

Students will start bringing mats home on Monday.

4th-Monday

3rd & 2nd- Tuesday

K & 1st- Thursday

The Lego Fighters of Oregon, OH

Six 4th & 5th grade students from Oregon, OH are working together to compete in the Ohio First Lego League Challenge. The Lego Fighters of Oregon, OH have created a model of an obstacle course that they would like to see in the community. They have a survey that they would like to send out to parents in the community in order to get feedback regarding their child(ren)'s level of physical activity. If we could have parents take a few minutes of their time and complete the survey they would be helping to support these youth in their efforts to compete in this challenge.

Click here: Lego Fighters of Oregon link

How active is your youth?

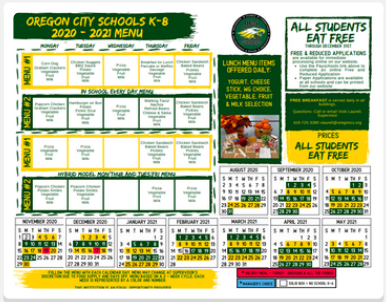
6 youth in Oregon are competing as a team in the First Lego League Challenge and for their innovation project they need input from the community regarding the physical activity level of youth in the community.

Picture Retakes! Friday, Jan. 29th

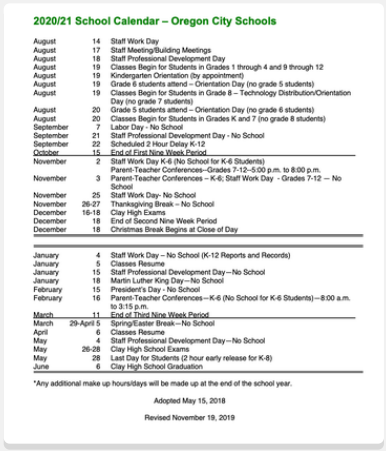
ODA students will have pictures from 9:15am-9:45am. Please come in the front doors.

Menus

Breakfast



Lunch



2020/21 School Calendar – Oregon City Schools

August	14	Staff Work Day
August	17	Staff Meeting/Building Meetings
August	18	Staff Professional Development Day
August	19	Classes Begin for Students in Grades 1 through 4 and 9 through 12
August	19	Kindergarten Orientation (by appointment)
August	19	Grade 6 students attend – Orientation Day (no grade 5 students)
August	19	Classes Begin for Students in Grade 8 – Technology Distribution/Orientation Day (no grade 7 students)
August	20	Grade 5 students attend – Orientation Day (no grade 6 students)
August	20	Classes Begin for Students in Grades K and 7 (no grade 8 students)
September	7	Labor Day - No School
September	21	Staff Professional Development Day - No School
September	22	Scheduled 2 Hour Delay K-12
October	15	End of First Nine Week Period
November	2	Staff Work Day K-6 (No School for K-6 Students)
		Parent-Teacher Conferences--Grades 7-12--5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.
November	3	Parent-Teacher Conferences – K-6; Staff Work Day - Grades 7-12 – No School
November	25	Staff Work Day- No School
November	26-27	Thanksgiving Break – No School
December	16-18	Clay High Exams
December	18	End of Second Nine Week Period
December	18	Christmas Break Begins at Close of Day
January	4	Staff Work Day – No School (K-12 Reports and Records)
January	5	Classes Resume
January	15	Staff Professional Development Day—No School
January	18	Martin Luther King Day—No School
February	15	President's Day - No School
February	16	Parent-Teacher Conferences—K-6 (No School for K-6 Students)—8:00 a.m. to 3:15 p.m.
March	11	End of Third Nine Week Period
March	29-April 5	Spring/Easter Break—No School
April	6	Classes Resume
May	4	Staff Professional Development Day—No School
May	26-28	Clay High School Exams
May	28	Last Day for Students (2 hour early release for K-8)
June	6	Clay High School Graduation

*Any additional make up hours/days will be made up at the end of the school year.

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Revised November 19, 2019

District 2020-2021 Calendar

Military Family Resource Link

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