

BEHIND THE SCENES



Message from Captain & Miss V

Hello & welcome back!

As you already know, we are beginning the school year in the distance learning format with the plan to switch to the hybrid model as soon as it's safe for the students & staff. **Thank you all** in advance for the support & patience you have shown & will continue to show us as we begin the new school year.

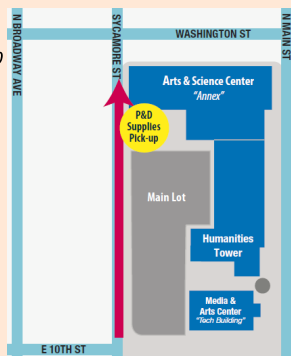
The most important announcement is **supplies pickup for P&D classes**. We apologize for adding another trip back to OCSA, but logistically we saw no other choice. There are so many supplies for our P&D classes that we decided to do this apart from the textbook pick-up days last week. We also want to let you know that we will probably need to add **additional pick-up or drop-off days** for some classes **throughout the semester**. Please know we will do our best to limit them to once a month, but this will be determined by how quickly the students progress through their projects.

The first supplies pick-up day is this Friday, August 14th, from 2pm to 5pm at OCSA.

(Welcome Week activities end at 3pm on Friday, so there will still be plenty of time for everyone to pick up your supplies.) We understand that a few of you may have conflicts with this day & time; if that's the case, please let us know so we can make other arrangements.

Please pull up along the curb **northbound** on **Sycamore Street** (see map). We will be handing out supplies as you pull up near the Annex. To help speed up the process, please have the **student's name & grade in bold large print on a sign attached to the passenger side visor** (see photo).

There may be other necessary supplies related to specific classes; please see your class syllabi for more information.



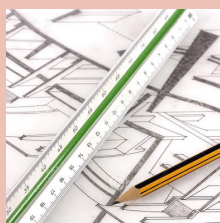
Tip: Flip down the visor with sign when you're in the line

Class supplies that each student should acquire:

- Pencils and pens
- Colored pencils or other coloring tool
- Unlined or copy paper
- Notebook
- Ruler
- Erasers (white drawing and drafting)
- Scissors (Fabric)
- 12'-25' metal tape measure (High School)
- Fabric/Cloth measuring tape for costuming (High School)

Other recommended supplies:

- Architect scale ruler
- 12" to 18" metal cork backed ruler



Again, welcome! We are in for an exciting year of learning, creating & growing together!

Conservatory Starts This Wednesday!

- **ALL Middle School Classes - Miss V** is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting **this Wednesday & Thursday, Aug 12-13**.

Join Zoom Meeting: <https://zoom.us/j/99322940902?pwd=THhJNDNmTTExaC9hSXZUN1d1Qvdz09>

Meeting ID: **993 2294 0902**

Passcode: **569556**

- **ALL High School Classes- Captain** is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting **this Wednesday & Thursday, Aug 12-13**.

Join Zoom Meeting: <https://zoom.us/j/96071672617?pwd=VDJMcFUySl1MjBSS1JDaGdjK3ZNdz09>

Meeting ID: **960 7167 2617**

Passcode: **captain**

Reminders:

- **All P&D students are required to participate.**
- Logon a couple of minutes before to ensure you're actually in the meeting when it starts.
- Make sure that your account has your **class name, first name last name** (vs "iPhone" or "Samsung" or other generic name), so it's recognizable that you are a P&D student. **Tip:** if you sign into the meeting via your Zoom app & enter the meeting ID, you have an opportunity to change the name on you account *before* entering a meeting.

New: Technical Theatre Certification Program

Through a partnership with the California Department of Education and the United States Institute for Theatre Technology (USITT), the **OCSA Production & Design Conservatory** is piloting a **technical theatre certification program** starting in **this fall 2020**. **Students will be able to graduate with this certificate and go directly into the field.** More information to come.

Meet the Team

Below is this semester's list of staff & teachers, as well as which classes they teach & their contact information for your reference.

Kevin Cook, aka "Captain"	Director of P&D Stage Management	kevin.cook@ocsarts.net
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Cynthia Wilson	Overview A & B - 7th Grade Stagecraft II - 8th Grade	cynthia.wilson@ocsarts.net