Monday, August 17, 2020

TODAY’S ACTIVITIES

TODAY’S SCHEDULE: We hope you had a great first week of school and enjoyed the Welcome Week activities! Here’s today’s virtual learning schedule:
• 8:30-9:10 - Block 1
• 9:20-10:00 - Block 2
• 10:10-10:55 - Block 3 (Art Attack)
• 11:05-11:45 - Block 4
• 11:45-12:15 - Lunch/Break
• 12:15-12:55 - Block 5
• 1:05-1:45 - Block 6
• 1:45-2:00 - Break
• 2:00-3:00 - Block 8
• 3:15-4:15 - Block 9

STUDENT INFORMATION

SCHOOL COUNSELORS: Student Services is here to help! Your OCSA school counselor is happy to work with you if you have questions or concerns about your academics, college/career goals, or your personal/social/emotional development. General questions should be emailed to student.services@ocsarts.net. We look forward to assisting you throughout the 2020-21 school year!

SCHEDULE CHANGES: The deadline for schedule change requests is this Friday, August 21. Academic schedule change requests must be emailed to your school counselor and conservatory requests to your conservatory director. Click here for schedule change and counselor information.

TEXTBOOKS: Need a textbook? Need to exchange a textbook? Email Ms. Brooks at Leslie.Brooks@ocsarts.net for all things related to textbooks. She will reply to your email to confirm when the textbooks will be ready for pick up at the reception desk in the Tower. Textbooks no longer needed must also be returned to the reception desk.

SPIRIT WEAR/PLANNERS: Did you know the OCSA PSO sells OCSA spirit wear such as hats, T-shirts, hoodies, sweats and letterman jackets? They also sell other fun items like license plate frames, phone grips, blankets and planners on their website at https://ocsa-pso.weebly.com. Planners can also be purchased at the reception desk in the Tower Monday-Friday 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. for $15 cash or check only.
CLUBS: The 2020-21 Club Classroom is now live! Please use the code gxcobnc to join the 2020-21 Club Google Classroom. The 2020-21 Distance Learning Club Plan is still being finalized, but you will find all the details regarding clubs on the Club Classroom soon. This is a new classroom, so all students need to rejoin.

OCSA EMAIL: Are you checking your OCSA email? Check OCSA email daily at http://email.ocsarts.net for important messages, and utilize OCSA email to communicate with your teachers. If you aren’t receiving schoolwide communications such as the weekly Friday newsletter, administrative updates, etc., please visit www.ocsarts.net/Email to sign up with the correct email address. After you enter the name and email address, you should receive a confirmation email at the address you provided. Please click the link in the confirmation email to complete the email sign-up process.

STUDENT NORMS: Norms for distance learning were constructed by OCSA’s Reopening Task Force to offer guidance and recommendations for students to be successful during distance learning. If you have not already done so, please review the norms to ensure successful navigation during distance learning. To access the Student Norms for Full Distance Learning, please click here.

ATTENDANCE: Attendance will be taken in each class and tracked in Aeries. Be logged into your OCSA account, visible, and “live” on your camera at the beginning of your scheduled class and remain logged into your OCSA account, visible, and “live” until the end of class or dismissal by the teacher.

DANCE CONTEST: Caltrans invites you to enter their Work Zone Social Challenge dance contest at www.workzonechallenge.com for the opportunity to win a MacBook Pro, Xbox One, or $1,000.

PRUDENTIAL AWARDS: Prudential Spirit of Community Awards honors students in grades 7-12 for making meaningful contributions to their communities through volunteer service. Apply at https://spirit.prudential.com for national recognition, a scholarship, and an invitation to their national recognition events. Submit your completed application and signed student/parent agreement to Mrs. Freeland, Dean of Student Services, at becca.freeland@ocsarts.net by Tuesday, November 10.

SCHOLARSHIPS: Information about these and other scholarships can be found at www.ocsarts.net/scholarships.
- Bold.org, a student scholarship platform, has 22 no-essay scholarships with August 31 deadlines. High school students at any grade level or GPA are eligible to apply.
- Asian American, Native Hawaiian, and Pacific Islander seniors who are pursuing a degree in the musical arts are encouraged to apply for the $5,000 Pacific Bridge Arts Foundation scholarship by September 7.
- HireAHelper has a $2,000 scholarship for seniors. Entries are being accepted until October 14.

Winter Break/School Closed
December 21–January 8

SAT/ACT Information:
SAT website
www.collegeboard.com
ACT website
www.act.org

Transcripts
www.ocsarts.net/Transcripts

Scholarships
www.ocsarts.net/Scholarships

Demerit Reflection Form
http://tinyurl.com/ocsareflection

OCSA COMMUNICATION

OCSA Text-a-Tip
657-529-6272

Tech Support Email
techsupport@csarts.net

Staff Contact via Email
first name.last name@ocsarts.net

Aeries
http://familysis.ocsarts.net

Art Attack
Daily School Bulletin
www.ocsarts.net/ArtAttack

Friday’s “Weekly Wrap”
The latest news and announcements delivered to your inbox every Friday.