



BULLDOG Bulletin

SCHOOL SCHEDULES

ODESSA UPPER ELEMENTARY

Bus Drop-off.....	7:20am
Supervision Begins	7:20am
School Starts	7:50am
School Ends	2:35pm
Supervision Ends.....	2:45pm
<i>*Early release dismissal time 11:20am</i>	

ODESSA HIGH SCHOOL

Bus Drop-off.....	7:20am
Supervision Begins	7:20am
School Starts	7:50am
School Ends	2:58pm
Supervision Ends.....	3:10pm
<i>*Early release dismissal time 11:40am</i>	

ODESSA MIDDLE SCHOOL

Bus Drop-off.....	7:25am
Supervision Begins	7:20am
School Starts	7:55am
School Ends	2:45pm
Supervision Ends.....	3:05pm
<i>*Early release dismissal time 11:30am</i>	

MCQUERRY ELEMENTARY

Bus Drop-off.....	7:30am
Supervision Begins	7:30am
School Starts	8:00am
School Ends	2:45pm
Supervision Ends.....	3:05pm
<i>*Early release dismissal time 11:30am</i>	

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R-VII Classes Begin August 14

19th Annual Open House scheduled for August 8

In preparation for the beginning of school on August 14, the Odessa R-VII School District will host its 19th annual districtwide Open House on Thursday, August 8 from 4:00pm-7:00pm. The districtwide event has proven to be a popular event, keeping first day of school surprises to a minimum.

Students and parents have the opportunity to locate classrooms, meet teachers, drop off school supplies, check out lockers and combinations, confirm class schedules, and ask any last-minute questions during the open house.

All health rooms will be open, and a health aide will be available to accept medications for storage before the school year begins. Transportation personnel will be present to answer questions regarding busing schedules, numbers, etc.

The District continues to host the annual event in an effort to ease the anxiety students and parents experience at the beginning of each new school year. ■

District Registration Dates

MCQUERRY ELEMENTARY — KINDERGARTEN

August 6 8:30am - 2:00pm ... *New Student Screening/Registration Appointment Required*

MCQUERRY ELEMENTARY — GRADES 1-2

August 2 8:00am - 3:00pm ... *New Student Registration*
 August 5-9 8:00am - 3:00pm ... *New Student Registration*

UPPER ELEMENTARY — GRADES 3-5

August 5-6 8:30am - 3:00pm ... *New Student Registration*
 August 12-13 8:30am - 3:00pm ... *New Student Registration*

ODESSA MIDDLE SCHOOL — GRADES 6-8

Beginning August 2 ... 8:00am - 3:00pm ... *New Student Registration*
 August 2 8:00am - 3:00pm ... *Athletic Physical Forms Available*
 August 5 5:00pm - 7:00pm ... *Grade 6 Orientation*

ODESSA HIGH SCHOOL — GRADES 9-12

Beginning August 5 ... 8:00am - 2:00pm ... *New Student Registration*
 August 6 5:30pm - 7:30pm ... *Freshman Orientation/Registration*
 August 8 4:00pm - 7:00pm ... *Open House/Registration (Grades 10-12)*
 August 12-13 8:00am - 12:00pm ... *OHS Student Schedule Changes*

Registration Requirements

A child must be 5 years old before August 1, 2019 to enroll in Odessa Schools. No student will be allowed to enter school without updated immunizations in accordance with Missouri state laws.

Student fees or fines owed from the previous school year must be paid prior to enrollment. Secondary students participating in athletics must have a completed physical form on file before participation will be allowed. Each school office has forms available.

All students new to the district are required, at the time of registration, to provide the following information:

- Updated immunization records
- Birth certificate or other proof of name/age/hospital legal document
- Proof of residency – must be a utility bill or lease agreement
- Previous school's name, address, and telephone number
- Any pertinent school records retained at home
- Current address and telephone number, as well as parents' work telephone numbers and other emergency information ■

District Addresses and Telephone Numbers

Odessa R-VII Central Office _____ (816) 633-5316
701 South Third Street • Odessa, MO 64076

Special Services Department _____ (816) 633-1599
713 South Third Street • Odessa, MO 64076

Technology Department _____ (816) 633-8361
713 South Third Street • Odessa, MO 64076

Odessa High School (9-12) _____ (816) 633-5533
713 South Third Street • Odessa, MO 64076

Odessa Middle School (6-8) _____ (816) 633-1500
607 South Fifth Street • Odessa, MO 64076

Odessa Upper Elementary (3-5) _____ (816) 633-5396
1100 West Cox School Road • Odessa, MO 64076

McQuerry Elementary (K-2) _____ (816) 633-5334
607 South Third Street • Odessa, MO 64076

Child Care Center _____ (816) 633-5437

District Alternative School _____ (816) 633-4421

High School Attendance Office _____ (816) 633-8367

Parents As Teachers _____ (816) 633-3298

Vocational Arts Building _____ (816) 633-4457

Apple Bus Company _____ (816) 633-4055
10669 Outer Road • Odessa, MO 64076

OPAA Food Management _____ (816) 633-7818
713 South Third Street • Odessa, MO 64076

Lex La-Ray Technical Center _____ (660) 259-2264
2323 High School Drive • Lexington, MO 64067

When your child is absent, it is your responsibility to notify the school of the reason for the absence.

Odessa R-VII Board of Education

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Directors	Chad Hubbard
	Brian Madsen
	Junior Munsterman
	Peter Rorvig
	Tim Wulfekotter

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Odessa Middle School S.T.E.P.

President	Tresina Alvested
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Secretary	Kensey Johnson
Treasurer	Dawn Hensley

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President	Julie Begemann
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Secretary.....	Jen Williams
Treasurer	Brooke Fieth
Corresponding Secretary	Brandy Watson
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Co-President	Hillary Shippy
	Jamie Dickey
Vice President	Brandi Leslie
Secretary.....	Nikki Shippy
Treasurer	Elizabeth White

Odessa R-VII District Administrators

Dr. Jon Oetinger	Superintendent of Schools
Dr. Roger Feagan.....	Assistant Superintendent
Brad Briscoe.....	High School Principal
David MacLean.....	Assistant High School Principal
Kendra Malizzi.....	Middle School Principal
Chris Doering	Assistant Middle School Principal
Buffie McConville.....	Upper Elementary Principal
Daniel Armstrong.....	McQuerry Elementary Principal

Odessa R-VII District Directors

Amy Mahurin	Director of Special Services
Logan Seals.....	Director of Technology
Dennis Turnage.....	Director of Maintenance
Mat Vleisides.....	Director of Activities
Dr. Abby Volmer.....	Director of Curriculum/Federal Programs

If you are interested in joining any of the parent organizations or participating in any volunteer opportunity, please contact the school office for more information.

Odessa R-VII Board of Education

Popular control of public education is one of the cornerstones of a free society. The people exercise that control through their Board of Education. The following information briefly describes the workings of the Odessa R-VII School District Board of Education.

The Board is composed of seven citizens elected to serve overlapping terms of three years each. These Board Members are Board President Brian Young, Board Vice President Tahnamí Gittinger, and Directors Chad Hubbard, Brian Madsen, Junior Munsterman, Peter Rorvig, and Tim Wulfekotter. At the end of a term, a Board Member wishing to continue unsalaried service to the community must be re-elected to an additional three-year term. State law does not limit the number of terms a member may serve. Voting for school board positions takes place on the first Tuesday in April.



Dr. Jon W. Oetinger,
Superintendent of Schools

The Superintendent of Schools is appointed by the Board of Education and acts as its executive officer in administering the Board's policies in the operations of the schools. The Superintendent for the Odessa R-VII School District is Jon W. Oetinger. Dr. Oetinger acts as advisor in keeping the Board informed of the needs and progress of the schools. He is available to the Board as a professional resource and is expected to provide the Board with background information and recommendations regarding issues that require Board action.



Brian K. Young,
Board President

The Board meets regularly on the second Tuesday of each month in the Odessa High School Library. Meetings are called to order at 7:00 pm and follow an agenda prepared by Superintendent Oetinger and Board President Brian Young. Patrons may request to have items placed on the agenda by presenting a written request to the central office one week before the regular Board meeting. When speaking to the Board, a patron shall give his/her name, address, and introduce the group, if any, that is being represented. Presentations should be as brief as possible and shall be limited to five minutes unless a time extension is granted. Residents are encouraged to first contact the administrator closest to a situation for questions before contacting



Odessa R-VII Board of Education

Front Row: Chad Hubbard, Director; Brian Young, President; Tahnamí Gittinger, Vice President. Back Row: Brian Madsen, Director; Tim Wulfekotter, Director; Junior Munsterman, Director; Peter Rorvig, Director.

the Superintendent of Schools. The Board will not hear personal complaints of school personnel nor those against any person connected with the school system. The Board's function is to make decisions.

When an item of business comes before the Board in the form of a motion, it is necessary that a majority of votes be cast in favor of the motion for the Board to act. Members of the Board do not have authority to act independently as individuals in official matters. The Board has complete and final control over local school matters only limited by federal and state law, regulations of the state, and the will of local residents as expressed in district elections.

State law provides that all meetings of governmental bodies, including Board meetings, shall be open sessions unless a closed session is expressly permitted by law. Closed sessions are normally held to discuss student and personnel matters. A governmental body may hold a closed session only by an affirmative public vote of a majority of members present at the meetings and only to the extent a closed session meets the guidelines established by statute.

The District encourages its patrons to attend future meetings of the Board of Education. Continued interest and support helps ensure that educational opportunities will continue to expand and improve. ■

MISSION STATEMENT

OF THE ODESSA R-VII SCHOOL DISTRICT

LEARNING FOR A LIFETIME – In partnership with its parents and communities, the mission of the Odessa R-VII School District is to provide educational opportunities for all students to achieve lifelong learning skills through quality academic, vocational, and social educational experiences in a safe and nurturing environment.

New Teachers for 2019-20 School Year



Danielle Allen
Mathematics Teacher
Odessa Middle School



Collin Baumann
Mathematics Teacher
Odessa Middle School



Kirsten Colston
Special Education Teacher
Odessa High School



Carmen Herzberg
Mathematics Teacher
Odessa Middle School



Sarah Hubbard-Zearley
Special Education Teacher
Odessa Upper Elementary



Monika McQueen
Special Education Teacher
Odessa High School



Kasha Oetinger
Grade 3
Odessa Upper Elementary

Online Registration Starts July 15

Do you dread filling out page after page, every year, when it comes to registering students for the new school year? Worry no more...online registration is here! In an effort to streamline the registration process for everyone, Odessa R-VII School District will require all families to register online for the 2019-2020 school year.

Families can register through the SIS Parent Portal from any computer. If parents do not have access to a computer or are uneasy about completing the forms on their own, computers will be available at each building for registration. Staff will be present at each site to assist and answer any questions.

Online registration allows the district to create uniform online forms that remain in the system throughout the student's education. It permits schools in the district to use the same format for standardized documents/forms, keeping things simple for parents who may have multiple children in the district.



By utilizing an online registration system, schools may devote more resources to educating students rather than filling out paperwork, manually entering data, and trying to track down information that is filed away on paper.

For further information, please view the district website (www.odessar7.net), Facebook (www.facebook.com/odessar7) and Twitter (@odessar7). ■

ONLINE SCHEDULING DATES

- **JULY 15:** Online registration opens
- **AUGUST 2-9:** 8:00am to 2:00pm McQuerry Elementary, Odessa Upper Elementary, and Odessa Middle School open to assist with online registration and to accept proof of residency for all students
- **AUGUST 5-9:** 8:00am to 2:00pm Odessa High School open to assist with online registration and to accept proof of residency for all students
- **AUGUST 6:** 5:00pm to 8:00pm Districtwide proof of residency acceptance and online registration assistance at McQuerry Elementary
- **AUGUST 8:** 4:00pm to 7:00pm Districtwide Open House
- **AUGUST 14:** First day of school

Sixth Grade Orientation on Calendar for August 5

Incoming sixth graders will have their own night to explore their new school during Sixth Grade Orientation on Monday, August 5th. Held at the Odessa Middle School on a different night than the districtwide Open House, the event is designed for the students and parents new to middle school to ask questions and become acquainted with the school.

An orientation for the students and parents will begin at 5:00pm. Students will have a chance to tour the building, meet teachers, and check out lockers and combinations. Parents will meet in the gymnasium where they will be provided information about Odessa Middle School and have an opportunity to ask questions to ensure a great start to middle school for their students. Also during the meeting, information on signs of suicide (SOS) will be distributed to parents. Please do not bring school supplies this night.

If you have further questions, contact Odessa Middle School at (816) 633-1500. ■

Safety Lessons and Reminders for Back to School Time

As summer vacation comes to an end, students across the country are readying themselves for the start of a new school year. With all of the excitement this time brings, safety may not be the first subject that springs to mind.

The District encourages parents to take time to talk with their children about safety before school starts. The following are a few guidelines for a safe school year:

Before school begins...

- Check student records at school.
 - Is your contact information correct?
 - Does the school have your work and cell phone number?
 - Have you listed alternate contacts in case you cannot be reached?
 - Are your student's medical records up to date, including allergies and current medications?
- Review with your student what will happen in an emergency.
 - Where will students be located?
 - When and where will parents reunite with children?

Before leaving home...

- Identification
 - Ensure that your student has identification with them that includes emergency contact information such as work numbers and cell phone numbers.
- Secret Password
 - Create a password that only your family members know. Anyone who picks up the child has to know the password. Remind them to never get in a stranger's car.
- Information sharing
 - Discuss with students the importance of sharing information. Stress to them that if they hear students talking about being

destructive or hurting someone, it is OK to tell a trusted adult - parent, teacher, counselor, law enforcement officer, or principal.

- Safest Route - Plan with your student the safest route to walk or bike. Practice the route several times reminding them how to safely cross streets and what to do when they come to an intersection.
- Clothing - If your student must walk or bike to or from school or stand at the bus stop, be sure that they wear light-colored clothing or clothing with reflective stripes.
- Bus Stop
 - Discuss with your student the importance of walking directly to and from the bus stop. No horseplay.
 - Do not allow your student to be at bus stop alone. They should go with a parent or buddy.
 - Remind them not to talk to strangers.

Violence Prevention...

- Know where your kids are, what they are doing, and who they are with at all times.
- Build a good relationship with your child through good communication. Encourage talk and be attentive. Talk about school daily.
- Communicate clearly on the violence issue. Explain that you do not accept and will not tolerate violent behavior. Teach children how to reduce their risk of being victims of crime.
- Settle your own conflicts peaceably and manage anger without violence. Help your children learn nonviolent ways to handle frustration, anger, and conflict.
- Take an active role in your children's schools. Talk regularly with teachers and staff.
- Set clear limits on behaviors in advance. Disciplining with framework and consistency helps teach self-discipline. ■

Parent Portal Available to Odessa Parents

SIS Parent Portal is available to parents in the Odessa R-VII School District. The Parent Portal provides web access regarding a child's progress in school. SIS Parent Portal offers secure up-to-date information on assignments, attendance, discipline, grades, and lunch account balances.

Upon student enrollment, parents will be given access to Parent Portal and instructions on how to utilize the system.

Accessing the Parent Portal on a mobile device? Download the *Tyler SIS Student 360* mobile app from either the Google Play Store or the Apple App Store. ■

Activity Passes To Go On Sale

Odessa Bulldog Activity Passes will be available for the 2019-20 activity seasons. Bulldog Activity Passes may be used for admission into all home regular-season games, contests, and performances. This includes varsity and lower level games. Bulldog Activity Passes may not be used for Odessa-hosted tournaments, away contests, or MSHSAA activities. There are three options for passes:

FAMILY PASS:

These may be purchased for \$100 and may be used for admission for one household. All family members receiving admission for this MUST live IN the household.

SINGLE ADULT SEASON PASS:

These may be purchased for \$75 and may be used only by the adult who has purchased the pass.

STUDENT SEASON PASS:

These may be purchased for \$25 and may be used only by the Odessa School District student in grades K-12 who has purchased the pass.

Passes will be available for sale starting August 1 in the high school office. Please make checks payable to Odessa High School. ■

S.O.A.R. Program Offers Parents Before and After School Care

Finding reliable before and after school child care can add stress to every working parent's life. The District's S.O.A.R. program can help ease that stress by providing a solution to that dilemma for area parents. S.O.A.R. (Student Opportunities for Activities and Recreation) is the District's school-age child care program where trained staff members care for children grades K-6 before and after school. It is located at the east end of the cafeteria in the McQuerry Elementary building located at 607 South Third Street.

The program is licensed. Its curriculum includes art, cooking, games, science, creativity, free-choice activities, music, manipulatives, reading, computer-use, and dramatic play. The program also includes on-site presenters and field trips for the students. The staff takes special care to provide developmentally appropriate activities for children who attend.

If you have any questions regarding the S.O.A.R. program, please contact Wendy Reynolds, S.O.A.R. Director, at (816) 633-5437 or wreynolds@odessar7.net or Daniel Armstrong, McQuerry Principal, at (816) 633-5334 or darmstrong@odessar7.net. ■

S.O.A.R. PROGRAM INFORMATION

HOURS:

Before School 6am to School Start Time
 After School End of School to 6:30pm

PRICES:

- **Enrollment Fee** \$20.00 annually (per family, nonrefundable)
- **Activity Fee** \$50.00 annually (per child)
- **Full Time (Enrolled 5 days)**
 - Full Time Mornings Only (includes breakfast) \$28.00 per week
 - Full Time Afternoons Only (includes snack) \$28.00 per week
 - Full Time Both Morning & Afternoon (breakfast & snack) \$56.00 per week
- **Part Time (Anything less than 5 days)**
 - Part Time Mornings Only (includes breakfast) \$20.00 per week
 - Part Time Afternoons Only (includes snack) \$20.00 per week
 - Part Time Both Morning & Afternoon (breakfast & snack) \$40.00 per week

Center Provides Child Care Solutions

The Odessa School District Child Care Center provides care and developmental learning opportunities for children 6 weeks through preschool age. The center is located in its new facility on the McQuerry campus with a director and eight child care providers. Each staff member is trained in CPR and receives 12 training hours each year in child care education. The center bases its curriculum on the Missouri Learning Goals. The center will complete development portfolios for children 3-5 years of age and will conduct parent conferences to discuss each child's progress.

The location of the Child Care Center on the McQuerry campus provides extra opportunities for children preparing for kindergarten. Children 3-5 years old have many extra experiences. These include attending the McQuerry Library once a week for story time and book checkout, taking a field trip at least once a year, serving as peer-mentors for the Early Childhood Special Education class in the

OPEN HOUSE:
 • August 6th, 4:00pm - 6:00pm

HOURS:
 • Open August 12th - May 19th
 • 7:00am - 4:30pm
 Closed during June/July for cleaning.

PRICES:
 • 6 week old - 2 year old ... \$135/week
 • 3 year old - preschool \$110/week

building, participating in Grandparents' Day, putting on a holiday program, participating in the preschool graduation and much more!

If you have any questions regarding the Odessa School District Child Care Center or would like to enroll your child, please contact Director Wendy Reynolds at (816) 633-5437 or wreynolds@odessar7.net or McQuerry Principal Daniel Armstrong at (816) 633-5334 or darmstrong@odessar7.net. ■

Meal Menus and Online Payment for 2019-20

Breakfast and lunch menus for this school year will be available online at www.odessa.nutrislice.com or via the Nutrislice mobile app. Paper menus will not be provided by Opaa! but may be printed from the site if a paper copy is preferred over the online tool.

Parents, guardians, and others can continue to enjoy the convenience of making meal account payments online through the Odessa R-VII Parent Portal. Online payments are a simple and secure way to add funds to your student's account 24 hours a day at your convenience. Payment will be made via PayPal. A convenience fee will be charged for the service. Checks and cash are also accepted by food service staff. For more information, please visit www.odessar7.net.

Free, Reduced-Price Lunch Applications to be Sent Home on First Day of School

A copy of the revised free and reduced-price policy as well as an application for free and reduced-price lunches will be sent home with all students on the first day of school.

Legislation requires school authorities to verify applications in accordance with regulation by the USDA.

Sources of information for verification may include written evidence, legally accessible records, collateral contacts, or school conferences. Households refusing to cooperate with verification efforts are subject to termination of benefits.

Students will pay for all a la carte items while going through the lunch line. ■

Breakfast Prices

Students \$1.40
 Staff \$2.05

Lunch Prices

Elementary \$2.00
 Middle School \$2.10
 High School \$2.10
 Staff \$2.85

Parental Involvement for Title I Program

District Policy

Pursuant to federal law, the district and parents of children participating in the Title I Program will jointly develop and agree upon a written parental involvement policy. This policy will describe how the agency will accomplish the following:

- Involve parents in the joint development of the Title I Program plan, and in the process of reviewing the implementation of the plan, suggest improvements.
- Provide the coordination, technical assistance, and other support necessary to aid participating schools in planning and implementing effective parental involvement activities to improve student academic achievement and school performance.
- Build the schools' and parents' capacity for strong parental involvement.
- Coordinate and integrate Title I parental involvement strategies with those of other education programs.

- Conduct, with the assistance of parents, an annual evaluation of the content and effectiveness of the parental involvement policy in improving the academic quality of the schools served, including identifying barriers to greater participation by parents in activities authorized by law, particularly by parents who are economically disadvantaged, have disabilities, have limited English proficiency, have limited literacy, or are of any racial or ethnic minority background. The district will use the findings of such evaluation to design strategies for more effective parental involvement and to revise, if necessary, the appropriate policies.
- Involve parents in the activities of the schools served.

School Policy

Each school receiving Title I funds will jointly develop with and distribute to parents of children participating

in the Title I Program a written parental involvement policy agreed upon by such parents in accordance with the requirements of federal law.

- The policy must be made available to the local community and updated periodically to meet the changing needs of parents and the school.
- The policy shall contain a school-parent compact that outlines how parents, the entire school staff, and students will share the responsibility of improved student academic achievement and the means by which the school and parents will build and develop a partnership to help children.
- Each school participating in the Title I Program will convene a meeting annually to inform parents about Title I and to involve parents in the planning, review, and improvement of Title I programs, as well as the school parental involvement policy. ■

Every Student Succeeds Act of 2015 (ESSA) Complaint Procedures

This guide explains how to file a complaint about any of the programs¹ that are administered by the Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education (the Department) under the Every Student Succeeds Act of 2015 (ESSA)².

GENERAL INFORMATION

- 1. What is a complaint?** For these purposes, a complaint is a written allegation that a local education agency (LEA) or the Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education (the Department) has violated a federal statute or regulation that applies to a program under ESSA.
- 2. Who may file a complaint?** Any individual or organization may file a complaint.
- 3. How can a complaint be filed?** Complaints can be filed with the LEA or with the Department.

COMPLAINTS FILED WITH LEA

- 4. How will a complaint filed with the LEA be investigated?** Complaints filed with the LEA are to be investigated and attempted to be resolved according to the locally developed and adopted procedures.
- 5. What happens if a complaint is not resolved at the local level (LEA)?** A complaint not resolved at the local level may be appealed to the Department.

COMPLAINTS FILED WITH THE DEPARTMENT

- 6. How can a complaint be filed with the Department?** A complaint filed with the Department must be a written, signed statement that includes:

- 1. A statement that a requirement that applies to an ESSA program has been violated by the LEA or the Department, and*
- 2. The facts on which the statement is based and the specific requirement allegedly violated.*
- 7. How will a complaint filed with the Department be investigated?** The investigation and complaint resolution proceedings will be completed within a time limit of forty-five calendar days. That time limit can be extended by the agreement of all parties. The following activities will occur in the investigation:
 - 1. Record.** A written record of the investigation will be kept.
 - 2. Notification of LEA.** The LEA will be notified of the complaint within five days of the complaint being filed.
 - 3. Resolution at LEA.** The LEA will then initiate its local complaint procedures in an effort to first resolve the complaint at the local level.
 - 4. Report by LEA.** Within thirty-five days of the complaint being filed, the LEA will submit a written summary of the LEA investigation and complaint resolution. This report is considered public record and may be made available to parents, teachers, and other members of the general public.
 - 5. Verification.** Within five days of receiving the written summary of a complaint resolution, the Department will verify the resolution of the complaint through an on-site visit, letter, or telephone call(s).
 - 6. Appeal.** The complainant or the LEA may appeal the decision of the Department to the U.S. Department of Education.
- 8. How are complaints related to equitable services to nonpublic school children handled**

differently? In addition to the procedures listed in number 7 above, complaints related to equitable services will also be filed with the U.S. Department of Education, and they will receive all information related to the investigation and resolution of the complaint. Also, appeals to the United States Department of Education must be filed no longer than thirty days following the Department's resolution of the complaint (or its failure to resolve the complaint).

APPEALS

- 9. How will appeals to the Department be investigated?** The Department will initiate an investigation within ten days, which will be concluded within thirty days from the day of the appeal. This investigation may be continued beyond the thirty day limit at the discretion of the Department. At the conclusion of the investigation, the Department will communicate the decision and reasons for the decision to the complainant and the LEA. Recommendations and details of the decision are to be implemented within fifteen days of the decision being delivered to the LEA.
- 10. What happens if a complaint is not resolved at the state level (the Department)?** The complainant or the LEA may appeal the decision of the Department to the United States Department of Education. ■

1. Programs include Title I, A, B, C, D, Title II, Title III, Title IV.A, Title V

2. In compliance with ESSA Title VIII- Part C. Sec. 8304(a)(3)(C)

Local education agencies are required to disseminate, free of charge, this information regarding ESSA complaint procedures to parents of students and appropriate private school officials or representatives.

Freshman Orientation Scheduled for August 6

Freshmen will begin their high school careers on the right foot when they attend the Freshman Orientation at OHS on Tuesday, August 6, 2019, from 5:30-7:30pm. The evening's program will include information to ensure a smooth transition to Odessa High School.

The orientation will include a complete walk-through of the student's schedule, finding the student's locker, a meeting with a Bulldog Block advisor assigned to each student for the next four years, and submitting paperwork required for students to attend the first day of school. If you have further questions, contact the high school at (816) 633-5533. ■

Open House Events

Odessa R-VII will host its 19th annual districtwide Open House on August 8th from 4:00pm to 7:00pm. Drop off school supplies, meet your teacher, find your classrooms, and check out your locker!

Incoming kindergarten parents are encouraged to attend a classroom orientation with their child's teacher from 5:30pm to 6:30pm during the Open House on August 8.

Sixth graders are encouraged to attend the OMS Orientation on August 5 from 5:00pm to 7:00pm at the middle school.

Incoming Freshmen are encouraged to attend the Freshman Orientation on August 6 from 5:30pm to 7:30pm at the high school. ■

District Information Statement

Student information such as parent's name, address, and telephone number will be released to local organizations, military recruiters, and institutions of higher education that request them, unless the parent informs the office in writing within seven days of the start of school that this information should be kept confidential. ■

Expectations for Bus Riders

Bus assignments are made by the bus company. Only emergency situations will be accommodated in switching a bus. Dismissal procedures for students need to stay consistent. If you require a bus switch because of an emergency, call the respective building and speak with the administrator. Only the building administrator can grant an emergency privilege.

Bus transportation is provided by the district to qualifying students. Students who do not obey the rules and/or do not obey the bus driver are subject to disciplinary action. Classroom behavior is expected on the school bus. Any offense committed by a student on transportation provided by the district may be subject to discipline in the same manner as if the offense had been committed at the student's assigned school. (Board Policy JG-R1)

The following infractions would result in immediate suspension from the school bus:

1. Fighting or assault.
2. Use, possession, distribution or sale of tobacco and/or tobacco products or of an item represented to be tobacco or a tobacco product.
3. Possession, sale, distribution, use or under the influence of alcohol or a controlled substance or an item represented to be a controlled substance.
4. Possession of a weapon or fireworks.
5. Any other student behavior deemed to necessitate suspension from the bus.

Disciplinary action will be decided by the school administration on a case-by-case basis. Investigation into any misconduct and the resulting consequences will be handled by the school administration. All infractions will accumulate for the entire year. Consequences may include conferences with the student, phone call to parents, restitution to wronged parties,

Apple Bus Company will announce the bus routes for the 2019-20 school year in *The Odessian* prior to the start of the school year.

Beginning August 1, 2019, patrons may call Apple Bus Company at (816) 633-4055 between 7am - 4pm for bus route information.

detentions, bus suspensions, ISS, OSS, expulsion, and referral to the proper legal authorities in addition to those consequences listed above for serious and/or consistent misbehavior. Frequent and consistent misbehavior on school buses may lead to more serious consequences. Students with disabilities will be disciplined in accordance with their Individualized Education Program (IEP) or applicable law.

Bus suspensions will not start until an administrator has contacted a parent by either telephone or written notice. However, a student whose conduct may endanger the safety of himself/herself or others on the school bus will not be allowed back on a school bus until a conference with the parents has been held, with the following exception: if contact with the parent cannot be made, safety will take precedence.

After a student has accumulated more than 10 days of bus suspensions during a school year, the student will be recommended for a bus suspension for the balance of the semester/school year. Parents may appeal this decision to the Assistant Superintendent of Schools.

Please be aware that a person commits the crime of trespassing on a school bus if he knowingly and unlawfully enters any part of or unlawfully operates any school bus. (569.155RSMo) ■

Odessa R-VII Public Foundation

The Odessa R-VII Public Foundation is a nonprofit dedicated to enhancing public school education. Each year this organization raises over \$10,000 to support students and teachers.

In order to continue the pursuit of excellence, you are asked to support the efforts by joining us at the annual Foundation Gala. The gala is a formal spring event honoring district alumni and outstanding citizens with induction into the Foundation Hall of Fame.

STUDENT SCHOLARSHIPS: One student scholarship is awarded to a graduating senior annually in the amount of \$2,500. The recipient demonstrates community service and involvement, good moral character, and above average aptitude.

TEACHER GRANTS: Each year several grants totaling \$7,500.00 are awarded to our district's teachers. The grants are open to any Odessa R-VII employee whose grant proposal demonstrates activities that will help to improve student achievement and learning. ■

Transportation Fee

Students transported under one mile from the attending school will be required to pay a fee of \$30.00 per month.

NOTE: There will be no transportation fee for students in Kindergarten through grade 5. ■

2019-20 Bus Schedule

The Odessa R-VII School District will continue the established bus schedules that include afternoon bus pick-ups at individual buildings every day of the school week:

MCQUERRY ELEMENTARY:

Parents should notify the office at McQuerry Elementary prior to 2:30pm of any dismissal changes for your child. It will be impossible to make any changes after the buses leave the school.

ODESSA UPPER ELEMENTARY:

Parents should notify the office at Odessa Upper Elementary prior to 2:15pm of any dismissal changes for your child. Information received after that time will not be dispersed. Bus dismissal begins at 2:35pm. Buses will load in back of the building, and car riders will load in the drive. Walkers and bicycle riders will be released after all buses are gone.

ODESSA MIDDLE SCHOOL:

Parents picking up children should arrive no earlier than 3pm. After exiting Odessa Middle School, all cars should proceed north on Fifth Street to ensure the safety of McQuerry dismissal.

ODESSA HIGH SCHOOL:

Students who ride the bus will be picked up from the west side (back) of the Odessa High School building in the afternoon or from the north parking lot. Please do not block entrances, exits, or right-of-ways. Parent pick-up will be at the front entrance. The district thanks you for your cooperation. ■

2019-20 Transportation Procedures and Policies

Bus service is provided by the school district. Students who do not observe the rules, and/or do not obey the driver are subject to disciplinary action. Cameras have been placed on all buses to help ensure the security and safety of all bus riders.

Prior to loading:

1. Pupils must be on time! The bus cannot wait beyond its regular schedule for those who are tardy.
2. Bus riders should conduct themselves in a safe manner while waiting for the bus.
3. Bus riders should wait until the bus comes to a complete stop before attempting to board the bus. Riders should never stand in the roadway.
4. Pupils waiting for the bus on the opposite side of the road should not cross the road to board until the bus comes to a complete stop, and the bus driver motions to the students to cross the road.

After leaving the bus:

1. Students should cross the road, when necessary, at least 10 feet in front of the bus. Students should look to see that no traffic is approaching from either direction. Students should also wait for a signal from the bus driver before crossing. Students should never cross behind the bus.
2. Students should not run beside the bus or hang onto it in any way. CLEAR the bus path as soon as possible.

While on the bus:

1. The driver is in charge of pupils and the bus. Pupils must obey the driver promptly.
2. Unnecessary conversation with the driver is prohibited.
3. Classroom conduct is to be observed by the students while riding the bus.
4. Pupils should remain seated until the bus has fully stopped at its destination.
5. Pupils must not, at any time, extend arms or head out of the bus.
6. The use of tobacco, food, or drink on the bus is prohibited. Animals and oversize objects, as well as glass containers and balloons, are prohibited.
7. Keep aisles and stairs clear at all times.
8. If a student willfully causes damage to a bus, the student will be charged for those damages.
9. Students will be assigned seats by the bus driver.

Other transportation policies:

1. The district will abide by all state rules and regulations regarding bus transportation.
2. No student will be able to ride a different bus than the one he or she has been assigned. The only exception will be in an emergency, and it must be approved through the school office.
3. Students who ride the bus that goes by a babysitter's house may make arrangements to be dropped off at the babysitter's house, but it MUST be daily and MUST be approved by the school office.
4. The Apple Bus Company has a policy which indicates they will not go farther on the road than the last child's house who is to be picked up. If driveways are not suitable to turn the bus around, the child must catch the bus at the location where the bus can turn around. Buses will be required to come to a complete stop at their pick-up points, and do their utmost to be within five minutes of their pick-up time. Students will be picked up at their designated bus stop and dropped off at the same. There will not be undesignated stops.
5. If your child has not boarded the bus three days in a row, you will need to contact Apple Bus Company to resume transportation services.
6. Please provide Apple Bus Company with current telephone numbers to enable us to reach you or a babysitter.
7. Kindergarten and young students only: If your child is not to get off the bus unless someone is available to receive him/her, Apple Bus Company must have this information on file. If no one is home to meet your child, telephone calls will be made to try and reach someone, or your child will be brought back to the bus lot.
8. Early childhood: The district requires that someone bring early childhood students to the bus stop and meet students returning from school at the bus stop.
9. Please go over the bus rules with your child. We want to make sure each child has a safe ride, and we need your support to help us do this.
10. Bus routes will be posted in the newspaper before school starts and are subject to change.
11. If your address changes at any time, you need to contact Apple Bus Company to inform them of the change. ■

Anonymous Reports of School Violence

The Odessa R-VII School District is committed to the safety and security of students, staff, and patrons during school hours and at school events. If teachers or administrators are not readily available to speak with, we hope that concerning behavior involving students will still be reported. Courage2ReportMO takes reports involving Missouri students in pre-K through 12th grade, 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Some examples of violence that could be reported may include: assaults, bullying, fights, property damage, sexual misconduct, threats, weapons, and self-harming. ■

THREE WAYS TO REPORT:

- 1. CALL:**1-866-748-7047
- 2. DOWNLOAD:** Free "Courage2Report" App
- 3. WEBSITE:** www.Courage2ReportMO.com

Include school name and city when reporting.

Emergency List Should Include Names of Responsible Adults

When authorizing another person to pick up your child at school, please carefully consider the following criteria. People you list on your child's School District Emergency Card should be:

- At least 18 years old
- Usually at home during the day
- Able to walk to school if necessary
- Known to your child
- Aware of and able to assume this responsibility

**We will not release your child to an older sibling or anyone else not listed on the emergency card. ■*

Emergency Procedures in Place

The Odessa R-VII School District is prepared to respond effectively should an emergency or disaster situation arise while school is in session. While we hope that a serious incident never occurs, our goal is to be prepared for any potential emergency.

At all times, our first priority is to protect all students and staff from harm. School personnel will care for your child if a disaster occurs during school hours. Our district has a detailed disaster plan, which has been formulated to respond to major emergencies. In an emergency, we need your cooperation to help us protect the safety and welfare of all children and school employees.

- In an emergency, we request that you not come to the school. It may be necessary to keep the streets and parking lots clear for emergency vehicles.
- If the emergency or disaster harms students or staff, we will broadcast emergency announcements and status reports as well as instructions on where you should go and how and when you may be able to pick up your child. Tune your radios and televisions to the same stations you would listen to or watch when seeking weather dismissal information.
- If the Odessa R-VII School District receives a bomb threat, we will relocate students. We will alternate locations to which we relocate them, and we will not announce these locations ahead of time to deter any perpetrators from planting explosive devices at alternate locations.
- We will not release students to anyone en route to the alternate location. If we did, we would be unable to account for the location of all of our students.
- Once students reach the alternate location, they will stay there for the remainder of the school day.

- Students at the alternate location will be released only to parents and persons identified on the School District Emergency Card.
- For a bomb threat, we will not broadcast information on the radio or television. Experts say broadcasting such information encourages repeat and copycat behavior. However, if an explosive device is found, we will notify the public.
- If school is to be canceled for the next day, we will announce the cancellation via radio and television. If you hear no announcement of a cancellation, you will know that all buildings have been searched by trained personnel, and that they have given us an "all clear" to conduct classes and activities according to our regular schedule. We will not occupy buildings until professionals clear them. Please assure your child we will take these steps. After an incident of this nature occurs, we will send parents a letter the next day explaining it to the best of our knowledge.

Please discuss these matters with your family. Talk with your children about such emergencies and emphasize how important it is for them to follow instructions from their teachers and school officials. Assure them we will care for them during any situation. Additionally, please talk to your child about an alternate place to obtain a key to your house. In an emergency, students might need to leave backpacks or purses at the school site.

Planning ahead will help alleviate concern during an emergency situation. We are proud that Odessa R-VII is a safe school district, and we are doing everything possible to keep it that way. We appreciate your cooperation and support.

If you have any questions, please contact Dr. Roger Feagan, Assistant Superintendent, at (816) 633-5316. ■

PAT helps district children enter school ready to learn

Children who are prepared for kindergarten continue to do well in the early grades of elementary school, and they are more likely to graduate from high school and go on to be successful in life.

Parents who participate in Parents as Teachers (PAT) through home visits, group connections, and screenings are more confident about their parenting and more involved in their children's schooling, which is a key component of a child's success in school.

Research shows that participation in PAT, together with preschool, not only positively impacts children's school readiness and school achievement scores, but also narrows the achievement gap between children in poverty and non-poverty households.

When children had at least two years of PAT combined with a year of preschool, 82 percent of poor children were ready for school at kindergarten entry—a level identical to non-poverty children who had no PAT or preschool experience.

Our vision is that all children will learn, grow, and develop in order to realize their full potential. Children who participate in PAT:

- are more advanced at age 3 in language, social development, problem solving, and other cognitive abilities;
- score higher on kindergarten readiness tests;
- score higher on standardized measures;

- show better school readiness at the start of kindergarten;
- achieve higher reading and math readiness at the end of kindergarten;
- achieve higher kindergarten grades; and
- require fewer remedial education placements in first grade.

PAT children continue to achieve beyond kindergarten:

- They scored significantly higher on standardized measures of reading and math at the end of first grade. In addition, teachers rated PAT children's achievement progress higher than control group children's progress in all areas.
- They continued to perform better than non-PAT children on standardized tests of reading and math achievement in second grade. Compared to non-PAT children, PAT children required half the rate of remedial and special education placements in third grade.

Group Connections

A variety of group connections are offered throughout the school year. A list of activities will be provided to families at their initial visit.

For more information or to enroll in the Odessa PAT Program, please contact Parent Educator Jill Neuweg at (816) 633-3298 or jneuweg@odessar7.net. ■

A+ Program drives students to perform well

The A+ Schools Program was created in 1993 by state law as an incentive for improving Missouri's high schools. The A+ program offered by the Odessa R-VII School District will help pay for two years of college tuition at a Missouri community college or area vocational-technical school for qualifying students.

To be eligible for the A+ Schools Program incentives, the student must be designated as an A+ Program Student, which includes:

- Enter into a written agreement with the high school prior to graduation.
- Attend a designated school for three consecutive years immediately prior to graduation.
- Graduate with an overall grade point average (GPA) of 2.5 points or higher on a 4-point scale.
- Have an overall attendance rate of at least 95 percent for grades 9-12.
- Perform 50 hours of district-supervised, unpaid tutoring or mentoring.
- Maintain a record of good citizenship and avoid the use of drugs and alcohol.
- Receive a score of Proficient or Advanced on the Algebra I EOC exam or earn a math subscore of 17 on the ACT exam.

The financial incentive is available only after the student has made a good faith effort to first secure all available federal financial aid through the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) that does not require repayment. Parents must complete and send in the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) form. Parental income is not a criteria for an A+ student incentive reimbursement.

Students may receive this incentive for a maximum of six semesters and must be enrolled as a full-time student and maintain a GPA of 2.5 or better on a 4.0 scale. Students are eligible to use the incentive for up to four years after high school graduation, subject to legislative appropriation.

More than 90,000 students statewide have qualified for the A+ financial incentive since the program's inception. If you would like more information concerning the A+ program, please contact A+ Coordinator Ashley Ray at (816) 633-5533 or aray@odessar7.net. Those interested may also stop by the high school to pick up a brochure. ■

2019-20 PAT Screening Dates

All screenings are conducted at McQuerry Elementary. Call or email a Parent Educator to schedule a screening appointment.

- August 6 Summer Kindergarten Screenings
- August 23 PAT Screenings8:30am to 12:00pm
- September 19 PAT Screenings 3:45pm to 7:00pm
- October 25 PAT Screenings8:30am to 12:00pm
- November 21 PAT Screenings 3:45pm to 7:00pm
- January 24 PAT Screenings8:30am to 12:00pm
- February 20 PAT Screenings 3:45pm to 7:00pm
- March 2..... Start accepting Kindergarten Screening Appointments
Call 816-633-5334 to schedule your appointment
- March 13..... PAT Screenings8:30am to 12:00pm
- April 7 Kindergarten Information Night..... 6:00pm @ McQ Gym
- April 20-24 Kindergarten Screenings8:30am to 2:30pm

Special Education Public Notice

All responsible public agencies are required to locate, evaluate, and identify children with disabilities who are under the jurisdiction of the agency, regardless of the severity of the disability, including children attending private schools, children who live outside the district but are attending a private school within the district, highly mobile children, such as migrant and homeless children, children who are wards of the state, and children who are suspected of having a disability and in need of special education even though they are advancing from grade to grade. The Odessa R-VII School District assures that it will provide a free, appropriate public education (FAPE) to all eligible children with disabilities between the ages of 3 and 21 under its jurisdiction. Disabilities include autism, deaf/blindness, emotional disorders, hearing impairment and deafness, intellectual disability, multiple disabilities, orthopedic impairment, other health impairments, specific learning disabilities, speech or language impairment, traumatic brain injury, visual impairment/ blindness, and developmental delay.

The Odessa R-VII School District assures that it will provide information and referral services necessary to assist the state in the implementation of early intervention services for infants and toddlers eligible for the Missouri First Steps program.

The Odessa R-VII School District assures that personally identifiable information collected, used, or maintained by the agency for the purposes of identification, evaluation, placement, or provision of FAPE of children with disabilities may be inspected and/ or reviewed by their parents/guardians. Parents/guardians may request amendment to the educational record if the parent/guardian believes the record is inaccurate, misleading, or violates the privacy or other rights of their child. Parents have the right to file complaints with the U.S. Department of Education or the Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education concerning alleged failures by the district to meet the requirements of the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA).

The Odessa R-VII School District has developed a Local Compliance Plan for implementation of State Regulations for the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA). This plan contains the agency's policies and procedures regarding storage, disclosure to third parties, retention and destruction of personally identifiable information, and the agency's assurances that services are provided in compliance with the General Education Provision Act (GEPA). This plan may be reviewed in the office of the Director of Special Services during regular school hours on the days that school is in session.

This notice will be provided in native languages as appropriate.

Further notice for private school meeting will be published in *The Odessan* in the Fall of 2019. ■

Notification of Rights Under the Protection of Pupil Rights Amendment (PPRA), revised March 2017

PPRA affords parents of elementary and secondary students certain rights regarding the conduct of surveys, collection and use of information for marketing purposes, and certain physical exams. These include, but are not limited to, the right to...

• *Consent* before students are required to submit to a survey that concerns one or more of the following protected areas ("protected information survey") if the survey is funded in whole or in part by a program of the U.S. Department of Education (ED)–

1. Political affiliations or beliefs of the student or student's parent;
2. Mental or psychological problems of the student or student's family;
3. Sex behavior or attitudes;
4. Illegal, anti-social, self-incriminating or demeaning behavior;
5. Critical appraisals of others with whom respondents have close family relationships;
6. Legally recognized privileged relationships, such as with lawyers, doctors, or ministers;
7. Religious practices, affiliations or beliefs of the student or student's parent; or
8. Income, other than as required by law to determine program eligibility.

• *Receive notice and an opportunity to opt a student out of–*

1. Any other protected information survey, regardless of funding;
2. Any non-emergency, invasive physical exam or screening required as a condition of attendance, administered by the school or its agent, and not necessary to protect the immediate health and safety of a student, except for hearing, vision, or scoliosis screenings, or any physical exam or screening permitted or required under state law; and
3. Activities involving collection, disclosure, or use of personal information collected from students for marketing or to sell or otherwise distribute the information to others. (This does not apply to the collection, disclosure, or use of personal information collected from students for the exclusive purpose of developing, evaluating, or providing educational products or services for, or to, students or educational institutions.)

• *Inspect*, upon request and before administration or use –

1. Protected information surveys of students and

surveys created by a third party;

2. Instruments used to collect personal information from students for any of the above marketing, sales, or other distribution purposes; and
3. Instructional material used as part of the educational curriculum.

These rights transfer from the parents to a student who is 18 years old or an emancipated minor under state law.

Odessa R-VII has developed and adopted policies, in consultation with parents, regarding these rights, as well as arrangements to protect student privacy in the administration of protected information surveys and the collection, disclosure, or use of personal information for marketing, sales, or other distribution purposes. **Odessa R-VII** will directly notify parents of these policies at least annually at the start of each school year and after any substantive changes. **Odessa R-VII** will also directly notify, such as through U.S. Mail or email, parents of students who are scheduled to participate in the specific activities or surveys noted below and will provide an opportunity for the parent to opt his or her child out of participation of the specific activity or survey. Odessa R-VII will make this notification to parents at the beginning of the school year if the district has identified the specific or approximate dates of the activities or surveys at that time. For surveys and activities scheduled after the school year starts, parents will be provided reasonable notification of the planned activities and surveys listed below and will be provided an opportunity to opt their child out of such activities and surveys. Parents will also be provided an opportunity to review any pertinent surveys. Following is a list of the specific activities and surveys covered under this direct notification requirement:

- Collection, disclosure, or use of personal information collected from students for marketing, sales, or other distribution.
- Administration of any protected information survey not funded in whole or in part by ED.
- Any non-emergency, invasive physical examination or screening as described above.

Parents who believe their rights have been violated may file a complaint with...

Family Policy Compliance Office
U.S. Department of Education
400 Maryland Avenue, SW
Washington, D.C. 20202

504/Title II Public Notice for Odessa R-VII

The Odessa R-VII School District, a recipient of federal financial assistance from the United States Department of Education, operating a public elementary or secondary education program and/ or activity, is required to undertake to identify and locate every qualified person residing in the district who is not receiving a public education and take appropriate steps to notify disabled persons and their parents or guardians of the district's duty.

The Odessa R-VII School District assures that it will provide a free appropriate public education

(FAPE) to each qualified disabled person in the district's jurisdiction regardless of the nature or severity of the person's disability. For purposes of Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 and Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act, the provision of an appropriate education is the provision of regular or special and related aids and services that (i) are designed to meet individual educational needs of disabled persons as adequately as the needs of nondisabled persons are met and (ii) are based on adherence to procedures that satisfy the

requirements of the 504 federal regulations.

The Odessa School District has developed a 504/Title II Procedure Manual for the implementation of federal regulations for Section 504 of Rehabilitation Act, Subpart D. This Procedure Manual may be reviewed Monday - Friday, 7:30am to 4:00pm at the office of Special Education, 713 S. Third Street, Odessa, MO 64076.

This notice will be provided in native languages as appropriate. ■

Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA)

The Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) affords parents and students who are 18 years of age or older (“eligible students”) certain rights with respect to the student’s education records. These rights are...

1. The right to inspect and review the student’s education records within 45 days after the day the Odessa R-VII receives a request for access. Parents or eligible students should submit to the school principal [or appropriate school official] a written request that identifies the records they wish to inspect. The school official will make arrangements for access and notify the parent or eligible student of the time and place where the records may be inspected.

2. The right to request the amendment of the student’s education records that the parent or eligible student believes are inaccurate, misleading, or otherwise in violation of the student’s privacy rights under FERPA.

Parents or eligible students who wish to ask Odessa R-VII to amend a record should write the school principal [or appropriate school official], clearly identify the part of the record they want changed, and specify why it should be changed. If the school decides not to amend the record as requested by the parent or eligible student, the school will notify the parent or eligible student of the decision and of their right to a hearing regarding the request for amendment. Additional information regarding the hearing procedures will be provided to the parent or eligible student when notified of the right to a hearing.

3. The right to provide written consent before the school discloses personally identifiable information (PII) from the student’s education records, except to the extent that FERPA authorizes disclosure without consent.

One exception, which permits disclosure without consent, is disclosure to school officials with legitimate educational interests. A school official is a person employed by the school as an administrator, supervisor, instructor or support staff member (including health or medical staff and law enforcement unit personnel) or a person serving on the school board. A school official also may include a volunteer or contractor outside of the school who performs an institutional service or function for which the school would otherwise use its own employees and who is under the direct control of the school with respect to the use and maintenance of PII from education records, such as an attorney, auditor, medical consultant or therapist; a parent or student volunteering to serve on an official committee, such as a disciplinary or grievance committee; or a parent, student or other volunteer assisting another school official in performing his or her tasks. A school official has a legitimate educational interest if the official needs to review an education record in order to fulfill his or her professional responsibility.

Upon request, the school discloses education records without consent to officials of another school district in which a student seeks or intends to enroll, or is already enrolled if the disclosure is for purposes of the student’s enrollment or transfer. [NOTE: FERPA requires a school district to make a reasonable attempt to notify the parent or student of the records request unless it states in its annual notification that it intends to forward records on request.]

4. The right to file a complaint with the U.S. Department of Education concerning alleged failures by Odessa R-VII to comply with the requirements of FERPA. The name and address of the office that administers FERPA is...

Family Policy Compliance Office
U.S. Department of Education
400 Maryland Avenue, SW
Washington, DC 20202

See the list below of the disclosures that elementary and secondary schools may make without consent.

FERPA permits the disclosure of PII from student’s education records, without consent of the parent or eligible student, if the disclosure meets certain conditions found in §99.31 of the FERPA regulations. Except for disclosures to school officials, disclosures related to some judicial orders or lawfully issued subpoenas, disclosures of directory information, and disclosures to the parent or eligible student, §99.32 of the FERPA regulations requires the school to record the disclosure. Parents and eligible students have a right to inspect and review the record of disclosures. A school may disclose PII from the education records of a student without obtaining prior written consent of the parents or the eligible student...

- To other school officials, including teachers, within the educational agency or institution whom the school has determined to have legitimate educational interests. This includes contractors, consultants, volunteers, or other parties to whom the school has outsourced institutional services or functions, provided that the conditions listed in §99.31(a)(1)(i)(B)(1) - (a)(1)(i)(B)(2) are met. (§99.31(a)(1))
- To officials of another school, school system, or institution of postsecondary education where the student seeks or intends to enroll, or where the student is already enrolled if the disclosure is for purposes related to the student’s enrollment or transfer, subject to the requirements of §99.34. (§99.31(a)(2))
- To authorized representatives of the U. S. Comptroller General, the U. S. Attorney General, the U.S. Secretary of Education, or State and local educational authorities, such as the State educational agency in the parent or eligible student’s State (SEA). Disclosures under this provision may be made, subject to the requirements of §99.35, in connection with an audit or evaluation of Federal- or State-supported education programs or for the enforcement of or compliance with Federal legal requirements that relate to those programs. These entities may make further disclosures of PII to outside entities that are designated by them as their authorized representatives to conduct any audit, evaluation, or enforcement or compliance activity on their behalf. (§§99.31(a)(3) and 99.35)
- In connection with financial aid for which the student has applied or which the student has received, if the information is necessary to determine eligibility for the aid, determine the amount of the aid, determine the conditions of the aid or enforce the terms and conditions of the aid. (§99.31(a)(4))
- To State and local officials or authorities to whom information is specifically allowed to be reported or disclosed by a State statute that concerns the juvenile justice system and the system’s ability to effectively serve, prior to adjudication, the student whose records were released, subject to §99.38. (§99.31(a)(5))
- To organizations conducting studies for, or on behalf of, the school, in order to: (a) develop, validate or administer predictive tests; (b) administer student aid programs; or (c) improve instruction. (§99.31(a)(6))
- To accrediting organizations to carry out their accrediting functions. (§99.31(a)(7))
- To parents of an eligible student if the student is a dependent for IRS tax purposes. (§99.31(a)(8))
- To comply with a judicial order or lawfully issued subpoena. (§99.31(a)(9))
- To appropriate officials in connection with a health or safety emergency, subject to §99.36. (§99.31(a)(10))
- Information the school has designated as “directory information” under §99.37. (§99.31(a)(11))

Immunization Requirements for 2019-2020

All students must present documentation of up-to-date immunization status, including month, day, and year of each immunization before attending school.

The Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP) allows a 4-day grace period. Students in all grade levels may receive immunizations up to four days before the due date.

Required immunizations should be administered according to the current Advisory

Committee on Immunization Practices Schedule, including all spacing (<http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/schedules/index.html>).

To remain in school, students “in progress” must have an Immunization In Progress form (Imm.P.14) on file. In progress means that a child has begun the vaccine series and has an appointment for the next dose. This appointment must be kept and an updated record provided to the school. If the appointment is not kept, the child

is no longer in progress and is noncompliant (i.e., Hep B vaccine series was started but the child is not yet eligible to receive the next dose in the series).

Religious (Imm.P.11A) and Medical (Imm.P.12) exemptions are allowed. The appropriate exemption card must be on file. Unimmunized children are subject to exclusion from school when outbreaks of vaccine-preventable diseases occur.

Vaccines Required for Attendance	2019-20 Missouri School Immunization Requirements												
	DOSE(S) REQUIRED BY GRADE												
	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
DTaP/DTP/DT ¹	4+	4+	4+	4+	4+	4+	4+	4+	4+	4+	4+	4+	4+
Tdap ²									1	1	1	1	1
MCV (Meningococcal) ³									1	1	1	1	2
IPV (Polio) ⁴	3+	3+	3+	3+	3+	3+	3+	3+	3+	3+	3+	3+	3+
MMR ⁵	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
Hepatitis B ⁶	3+	3+	3+	3+	3+	3+	3+	3+	3+	3+	3+	3+	3+
Varicella ⁷	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	1	1	1

¹ Last dose on or after the fourth birthday and the last dose of pediatric pertussis before the seventh birthday. **Maximum needed:** six doses.

² 8-12 Grades: Tdap, which contains pertussis vaccine, is required.

³ Grades 8-11: One dose of MCV is required. Dose must be given after 10 years of age.

Grade 12: Two doses of MCV are required unless the first dose was administered to a student who was 16 years of age or older, in which case only one dose is required. At least one dose must be given after 16 years of age.

⁴ Kindergarten-Grade 9: Last dose must be administered on or after the fourth birthday. The interval between the next- to-last and last dose should be at least six months.

Grades 10-12: Last dose on or after the fourth birthday. Any combination of four doses of IPV and OPV constitutes a complete series. Maximum needed: four doses.

⁵ First dose must be given on or after twelve months of age.

⁶ There must be at least four weeks between dose one and two; at least 8 weeks between dose two and three; at least 16 weeks between doses one and three and final dose must be given no earlier than 24 weeks of age.

⁷ First dose must be given on or after twelve months of age.

Kindergarten-Grade 9: As satisfactory evidence of disease, a licensed health care provider may sign and place on file with the school a written statement documenting the month and year of previous varicella (chickenpox) disease.

Grades 10-12: As satisfactory evidence of disease, a parent/guardian or MD or DO may sign and place on file with the school a written statement documenting the month and year of previous varicella (chickenpox) disease.

Notification methods for inclement weather

The Odessa R-VII School District offers the following methods to access information regarding school closings or cancellations.

1. View School Messenger

Information will be sent as soon as it is available. This is the fastest method of receiving school closing information.

2. Check Social Media

Please check the district website (www.odessar7.net), Facebook (www.facebook.com/odessar7) and Twitter (@odessar7) for weather cancellations and updates.

3. Listen to the Radio

The following radio stations may be accessed for school closing information:

- KMZU 100.7FM Carrollton
- KAOL 1430AM Carrollton
- KRLI 103.9FM Carrollton
- KMMO 1300AM 102.9FM Marshall

4. Watch Local Television Station

- KMBC (ABC) Channel 9
- KSHB (NBC) Channel 41
- KCTV (CBS) Channel 5
- WDAF (FOX) Channel 4

KINDERGARTEN

- 1 - backpack (NO wheels)
- 1 - PLASTIC folder with pockets and brads (NO design)
- 4 - composition notebooks (9-3/4" x 7-1/2") (NO spirals)
- 1 - standard plastic school box (8-1/2" x 5") (NO handle)
- 1 - pair of Fiskars metal blade scissors
- 8 - LARGE glue sticks **or** 16 - SMALL glue sticks
- 4 - boxes of 24-ct Crayola crayons
- 2 - boxes of 10-ct. **fine-tip** Crayola markers
- 1 - package of 4-ct. BLACK Expo markers
- 2 - boxes of Kleenex
- 2 - containers of disinfectant wipes
- 1 - package of play dough

BOYS: 1 - package of white cardstock (8-1/2"x11")

GIRLS: 1 - package of construction paper

KINDERGARTEN ART SUPPLIES:

- 2 - BLACK **ultra fine-tip** Sharpie permanent markers

GRADE 1

- 1 - backpack (NO wheels)
- 1 - plastic school box
- 2 - boxes of 24-ct. Crayola crayons
- 8 - large glue sticks
- 1 - pair of Fiskars kids pointed-end metal blade scissors
- 1 - box of classic color **wide-tip** Crayola markers
- 1 - box of **fine-tip** Crayola markers
- 4 - Mead marble covered composition notebooks (NO spiral)
- 2 - boxes of Kleenex
- 1 - package of LARGE Clorox antibacterial wipes
- 1 - package of **Ticonderoga #2** Pencils (No designer pencils)
- 4 - black Expo markers
- 2 - black **fine-tip** Expo markers
- 4 - plastic folders with pockets and brads
- 2 - pink block erasers
- 1 - package of construction paper

BOYS: 1 - bottle of Germ-X instant hand sanitizer
1 - box of gallon Ziploc bags

GIRLS: 1 - box of quart Ziploc bags
1 - box of business size envelopes

FIRST GRADE ART SUPPLIES:

- 1 - box of 24-ct. Crayola crayons

GRADE 2

- 4 - composition notebooks
- 3 - plastic pocket folders with brads
- 1 - folder (your choice)
- 2 - block erasers
- 2 - boxes of 24-ct. crayons
- 4 - BLACK dry erase markers
- 24 - #2 Ticonderoga pencils
- 1 - pair of scissors
- 1 - package of Crayola markers
- 3 - large glue sticks
- 1 - small plastic school box (no handles)
- 2 or 3 - boxes of Kleenex
- 1 - container of disinfectant wipes (unscented)
- 1 - backpack

BOYS: 1 - package of black pens
1 - box of quart Ziploc bags

GIRLS: 1 - package of red pens
1 - box of quart Ziploc bags

SECOND GRADE ART SUPPLIES:

- 1 - box of 10-ct. classic color Crayola markers

GRADE 3

NO THREE-RING BINDERS OR TRAPPER KEEPERS

- 1 - backpack (NO wheels)
- 1 - plastic 8" x 5" pencil box
- 2 - plastic two-pocket folders
- 3 - spiral wide-ruled notebooks
- 2 - composition notebooks
- 1 - package of wide-ruled notebook paper
- 6 - glue sticks
- 1 - pair of scissors (small pointed tip)
- 1 - package of 2-ct. black dry erase markers
- 2 - large boxes of Kleenex
- 2 - boxes of 24-ct. Crayola crayons
- 1 - box of 24-ct. Ticonderoga pencils
- 1 - box of Crayola markers
- 1 - pair of inexpensive earbuds or headset

BOYS: 1 - package of 3" x 5" index cards
1 - container of Lysol wipes

GIRLS: 1 - package of 3" x 3" post-it notes
1 - box of quart Ziploc bags

THIRD GRADE ART SUPPLIES:

- Bainbridge:** 2 - black ultra-fine Sharpie markers
- Crawford:** 1 - box of bold color Crayola markers
- Langewisch:** 1 - box of gallon Ziploc bags
- Oetinger:** 1 - container of Lysol wipes
- Smith:** 1 - box of classic color Crayola markers
- Snow:** 1 - box of 24-ct. Ticonderoga pencils
- Stark:** 1 - bottle of Aleene's craft glue

**Other materials may be requested by individual teachers*

GRADE 4

NO THREE-RING BINDERS OR TRAPPER KEEPERS

- 1 - package of wide-ruled notebook paper
- 3 - wide-ruled spiral notebooks
- 3 - solid color pocket folders
- 1 - package of sticky notes
- 2 - large glue sticks
- 1 - box of 24-ct. Crayola crayons
- 1 - pair of scissors (small, pointed tip)
- 1 - package of 24-ct. #2 pencils (Ticonderoga preferred)
- 1 - small school box or large pencil bag
- 1 - package of 24-ct. colored pencils
- 1 - highlighter
- 2 - packages of 4-ct. black Expo dry erase markers
- 1 - container of Clorox wipes
- 2 - large boxes of Kleenex
- 1 - set of inexpensive earbuds or headset

BOYS: 1 - bottle of hand sanitizer

GIRLS: 1 - box of quart or sandwich Ziploc bags

FOURTH GRADE ART SUPPLIES:

- Babb:** 2 - black ultra-fine Sharpie markers
- Hotmer:** 1 - roll of blue painters tape
- Jiron:** 1 - package of copy paper
- Klawhun:** 1 - box of gallon Ziploc bags
- J. Russell:** 1 - box of 24-ct. Ticonderoga pencils
- Young:** 2 - colored Sharpie markers (any color)
- Zarda:** 1 - container of Lysol wipes

**Other materials may be requested by individual teachers*

GRADE 5

- 1 - school box
- 1 - package of 4-ct. black Expo dry erase markers
- 4 - pocket folders
- 4 - wide-ruled spiral notebooks
- 2 - packages of wide-ruled notebook paper
- 2 - packages of 24-ct. #2 pencils
- 1 - bottle of Elmer's glue (or) 2 glue sticks
- 1 - package of Crayola markers
- 1 - pair of scissors
- 1 - package of 24-ct. colored pencils
- 1 - box of 24-ct. Crayola crayons
- 1 - highlighter
- 3 - large boxes of Kleenex
- 1 - container of Clorox wipes
- 1 - set of inexpensive earbuds or headset

FIFTH GRADE ART SUPPLIES:

- Armstrong:** 2 - black ultra fine Sharpie markers
- Brown:** 1 - box of gallon Ziploc bags
- Cockrum:** 1 - box of bold color Crayola markers
- Hagerty:** 1 - box of classic color Crayola markers
- Jones:** 2 - colored Sharpie markers (any color)
- K. Russell:** 1 - bottle of Aleene's craft glue
- Tate:** 1 - container of Lysol wipes

**Other materials may be requested by individual teachers*

GRADE 6

These items will be collected by your student's first block teacher for classroom use:

- 2 - dry erase markers
- 1 - box of tissues
- 1 - package of wide-ruled loose leaf paper
- 1 - container of Clorox wipes
- 1 - package of 8-ct. colored pencils
- 2 - highlighters
- 1 - package of 12-ct. pencils

BOYS: 1 - package of sticky notes
GIRLS: 1 - box of quart Ziploc bags

Math:

- 1 - 1.5" three-ring binder
- 2 - packages of wide-ruled loose leaf paper
- 1 - package of eight-tab index dividers

Science:

- 2 - glue sticks
- 1 - two-pocket folder
- 1 - composition notebook (NO SPIRAL)

Social Studies:

- 1 - three-ring binder with pockets
- 1 - package of eight-tab index dividers (not the folders)

English Language Arts (ELA):

- 1 - 1.5" three-ring binder
- 1 - package of wide-ruled loose leaf paper
- 1 - package of five-tab index dividers
- 1 - package of index cards

Student's personal use items:
(Students will keep these items and they may need to be replenished throughout the year.)

- 1 - three-ring binder (zipped)
- 1 - pencil pouch
- 1 - package of 12-ct. pencils
- 1 - folder with pockets

GRADE 7

NO PENCIL SHARPENERS

General Supplies:

- 1 - three-count package of tissues
- 3 - packages of #2 pencils (no mechanical pencils)
- 4 - dry erase markers
- 1 - box of colored markers
- BOYS:** 1 - 6-oz. bottle of hand sanitizer
- GIRLS:** 1 - container of disinfecting wipes (Clorox or store brand)

Math:

- 1 - block eraser
- 1 - 1" three-ring binder
- BOYS:** 1 - box of quart Ziploc bags
- GIRLS:** 1 - box of gallon Ziploc bags

English Language Arts (ELA):

- 1 - 2" three-ring binder with pockets
- 1 - package of five-tab index dividers
- 1 - single subject spiral notebook

Social Studies:

- 1 - 1" three-ring binder (please nothing larger)

Science:

- 1 - 1" three-ring binder

GRADE 8

Basic supplies for all 8th grade classes:

- Paper
- #2 pencils
- 3 - boxes of tissues
- 1 - container of Clorox wipes

English Language Arts (ELA):

- 1 - 1" hardback vinyl three-ring binder
- 1 - package of five-tab index dividers
- 1 - spiral notebook (70 pages)

Algebra:

- 1 - 2" three-ring binder

Pre-Algebra:

- 1 - 1.5" three-ring binder
- 1 - TI30X calculator
- 2 - black Expo markers

Social Studies:

- 1 - 1" three-ring binder
- 1 - package of 8-1/2" x 11" notebook paper

Science:

- 1 - 1" three-ring binder
- 2 - packages of five-tab index dividers
- 1 - spiral notebook (70 pages)

OMS TRANSITION CLASSROOM (MRS. CICLE)

- 1 - 1" three-ring binder
- 1 - package of five-tab index dividers
- 1 - package of pencils
- 1 - package of colored pencils
- 4 - dry erase markers
- 2 - containers of disinfectant wipes
- 2 - boxes of tissues

OMS PHYSICAL EDUCATION

- school appropriate shorts/t-shirts/sweats
- tennis shoes
- socks
- deodorant
- towel and shower items

OMS EXPLORATORY

BOYS: 1 - box of tissues
GIRLS: 1 - bottle of hand sanitizer

OMS ART

- 1 - large white eraser

OMS ROAD TO FAME

- 4 - dry erase markers (any color)

OMS HONOR CHOIR

- 1 - 1/2" black three-ring binder with pockets

GRADE 9-12

During the first week of school, individual classroom instructors will advise all OHS students about school supplies required for the 2019-20 school year.

OHS STUDENT FEES

- \$20 Class Dues (required)
- \$5 Calculator Fee (required if in a math class)
- \$20 Parking Pass (required for parking in north lot)

AUGUST 2019

ODESSA R-VII SCHOOL DISTRICT

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				1 New Teacher Orientation	2 New Teacher Orientation 8:00am-3:00pm OMS New Student Registration Begins 8:00am-3:00pm OMS Athletic Physical Forms Available 8:00am-3:00pm MCQ New Student Registration	3
4	5 New Teacher Orientation 8:00am-2:00pm OHS New Student Registration Begins 8:00am-3:00pm MCQ New Student Registration 8:30am-3:00pm OUE New Student Registration 5:00pm-7:00pm OMS 6th Grade Orientation 6:00pm OUE PTO Meeting	6 PAT Summer Kindergarten Screenings 8:00am-3:00pm MCQ New Student Registration 8:30am-3:00pm OUE New Student Registration 5:30pm-7:30pm OHS Freshman Orientation	7 7:30am-3:00pm Teacher Work Day 8:00am-3:00pm MCQ New Student Registration	8 7:30am-3:00pm Professional Development Day 8:00am-3:00pm MCQ New Student Registration 4:00pm-7:00pm Districtwide Open House	9 8:00am-12:00pm Teacher Work Day 8:00am-3:00pm MCQ New Student Registration	10
11 6:30pm-8:00pm OHS Fall Activity Meeting @ OHS Auditorium	12 OHS 1st Day Fall Sports 8:00am-12:00pm OHS Student Schedule Changes 8:30am-3:00pm OUE New Student Registration	13 8:00am-12:00pm OHS Student Schedule Changes 8:30am-3:00pm OUE New Student Registration	14 FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL	15	16	17
18	19 3:00pm-5:00pm OMS 1st Day Fall Sports	20	21 OMS Fall Pictures	22 OUE Fall Pictures	23 8:30am-12:00pm PAT Screenings 6:00pm OHS B FB V Jamboree @ OHS	24 10:00am OHS G SB V Jamboree @ Lafayette Co.
25	26 3:15pm-3:45pm OMS STEP Meeting 4:30pm OHS B SC V Jamboree @ Warrensburg	27 5:00pm OHS G VB V Jamboree @ Lafayette Co.	28 MCQ Fall Pictures	29	30 EARLY RELEASE OHS G SB V @ GKCSB Tourn @ Adair Park 7:00pm OHS B FB V St. Pius X	31 OHS G SB V @ GKCSB Tourn @ Adair Park

SEPTEMBER 2019

ODESSA R-VII SCHOOL DISTRICT

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	2 NO SCHOOL/LABOR DAY 5:30pm OHS B FB JV @ St. Pius X	3 OHS G SB V @ GKCSB Tourn @ Adair Park MCQ Fall Fundraiser Begins 4:30pm OHS G GLF V&JV @ Shirkey 4:30pm OHS G TN V&JV @ Warrensburg 5:00pm OHS B SC JV @ Warrensburg 6:30pm OHS B SC V @ Warrensburg	4 OHS G SB V @ GKCSB Tourn @ Adair Park 4:30pm OHS G TN V&JV Lexington	5 4:30pm OHS G TN V&JV Excelsior Springs 4:30pm OHS G GLF V&JV Warrensburg @ Shirkey 6:00pm OHS B SC V @ Knob Noster 5:00pm OHS G VB C/JV/V @ Smith-Cotton	6 9:30am OHS G GLF V @ Plattsburg Tourn. 4:30pm OHS G TN V&JV @ Richmond @ Maurice Roberts Park 7:00pm OHS B FB V @ Clinton	7 OHS BG Choir V All District Auditions @ Pleasant Hill 8:00am OHS G VB C @ Sante Fe Tourn.
8	9 OMS Book Fair OUE Book Fair 5:30pm OHS B FB JV Clinton 6:00pm OUE PTO Meeting	10 OMS Book Fair OUE Book Fair 8:30am OHS G GLF V @ Lawson Tourn. @ Hidden Valley 4:30pm OHS G TN V&JV @ Harrisonville 4:30pm OHS G SB V&JV @ Excelsior Springs 5:00pm OHS G VB C/JV/V @ Lafayette Co. 6:30pm OHS B SC JV/V Pleasant Hill	11 OMS Book Fair OUE Book Fair 9:00am OHS G TN V @ Richmond Tourn. @ Maurice Roberts Park	12 OMS Book Fair OUE Book Fair 4:00pm OHS BG XC V @ Oak Grove Invite 4:30pm OHS G TN V&JV Lutheran @ Minor Park 4:30pm OHS G SB V&JV Warrensburg 4:30pm OHS G GLF V&JV @ Hoots Hollow 5:00pm OHS B SC JV/V @ Winnetonka 5:00pm OMS G VB @ Excelsior Springs 5:00pm OHS G VB C/JV/V @ Wellington-Napoleon	13 EARLY RELEASE/HOMECOMING OMS Book Fair OUE Book Fair 7:00pm OHS B FB V Holden Homecoming Game	14 8:00am OHS BG XC V @ Holden Invite 8:00pm-11:00pm OHS Homecoming Dance @ OHS Tile Gym
15	16 8:00am OHS G GLF V @ Kearney Tourn. @ Mari Mack 3:15pm-3:45pm OMS STEP Meeting 4:30pm OHS G TN V&JV @ Lafayette Co. 5:00pm OHS B SC JV/V Clinton 5:00pm OHS G VB C/JV/V Clinton 5:30pm OHS B FB JV @ Holden	17 MCQ Fall Fundraiser Ends 4:30pm OHS G TN V&JV @ Excelsior Springs 4:30pm OHS G SB V&JV Oak Grove 4:30pm OHS G GLF V&JV @ Excelsior Springs 5:00pm OMS G VB Holden 5:00pm OHS G VB C/JV/V @ Holden 5:00pm OMS B FB Smith-Cotton 6:00pm MCQ PTO Meeting	18 8:00am OHS G GLF V @ Richmond Tourn. @ Shirkey 9:00am OHS G TN JV @ Excelsior Springs Tourn. 5:00pm OHS B SC JV/V @ Harrisonville	19 3:45pm-7:00pm PAT Kindergarten Screenings 4:30pm OHS G SB V&JV Pleasant Hill @ Skyline Field 4:30pm OHS G GLF V&JV @ Warrensburg @ Hidden Pines 5:00pm OMS G VB @ Harrisonville 5:00pm OHS G VB C/JV/V St. Paul Lutheran	20 7:00pm OHS B FB V Central Academy Little League Night	21 OHS BG BAND V @ Blue Springs South Marching Invite 8:00am OHS G VB V @ William Chrisman Tourn. 8:00am OHS G SB JV @ Oak Grove Tourn. @ Webb Park 8:00am OHS G SB V @ Lexington Tourn. 9:00am OHS BG XC V Odessa Invite
22	23 8:30am OHS G GLF V Odessa Tourn. @ Shirkey 4:30pm OHS G TN V&JV Knob Noster 4:30pm OHS G SB V&JV @ Holden 5:00pm OHS B SC JV/V Knob Noster 5:30pm OHS B FB JV @ Central Academy of Excellence	24 3:45pm OHS BG XC V @ Smithville Invite 4:30pm OHS G TN V&JV Warrensburg 4:30pm OHS G GLF V&JV @ Shirkey 4:30pm OHS G SB V&JV Harrisonville 5:00pm OMS B FB @ Oak Grove 5:00pm OHS B SC JV/V Oak Grove 5:00pm OHS G VB C/JV/V Excelsior Springs	25 9:00am OHS G TN V @ Excelsior Springs Tourn.	26 OUE Fall Picture Retakes 4:30pm OHS G SB V&JV Excelsior Springs 4:30pm OHS G TN V&JV St. Michael 4:30pm OHS G GLF V @ Shirkey 5:00pm OMS G VB Warrensburg 5:00pm OHS G VB C/JV/V Warrensburg 5:30pm OHS B SC V&JV @ Green Ridge	27 NO SCHOOL/ PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT DAY 7:00pm OHS B FB V @ Oak Grove	28 OHS G SB V @ Versailles Tourn. OHS BG BAND V @ Ozark Marching Invite 8:00am OHS G VB JV Odessa Tourn. 8:00am OMS G VB @ Wellington-Napoleon Tourn. 8:20am OHS BG XC V @ Marshall Invite
29	30 9:00am OHS G GLF V @ MRVC Tourn. @ Mules National GC 4:30pm OHS G TN V&JV @ Clinton 4:30pm OHS G SB V&JV @ St. Pius X 5:00pm OMS G VB Knob Noster 5:00pm OHS B FB C/JV Oak Grove					

OCTOBER 2019

ODESSA R-VII SCHOOL DISTRICT

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1 4:30pm OHS G SB V/JV @ Warrensburg 4:30pm OHS G TN V&JV Harrisonville 5:00pm OMS B FB Excelsior Springs 5:00pm OHS B SC JV/V @ Excelsior Springs 5:00pm OHS G VB C/JV/V @ Oak Grove	2 8:00am Special Olympics Track Meet @ Bulldog Stadium	3 9:00am OHS G TN V @ MRVC Tourn. @ Warrensburg 4:30pm OHS G SB V/JV @ Oak Grove 6:00pm OHS B SC V Ewing Marion Kauffman 5:00pm OMS G VB @ Oak Grove 5:00pm OHS G VB C/JV/V @ Harrisonville	4 7:00pm OHS B FB V Excelsior Springs	5 8:00am OMS G VB Odessa Tourn. 8:00am OHS G VB V&JV @ Grandview Tourn. 8:30am OHS BG XC V @ Grain Valley Invite
6 8:00am-8:00pm OHS BG V Band & Choir Mattress Sale @ OHS Wood Gym	7 OHS G GLF V @ District Tourn. OHS G TN V @ District Team Tourn. 5:00pm OHS G SB V/JV Clinton 5:00pm OHS B SC JV/V Center 5:00pm OHS B FB C/JV @ Excelsior Springs 5:00pm OMS G VB Richmond	8 OHS G TN V @ District Team Tourn. 4:30pm OHS G SB V/JV Pleasant Hill 5:00pm OMS B FB @ Warrensburg 5:00pm OHS B SC JV/V Warrensburg 5:30pm OMS G VB @ Wellington-Napoleon 5:00pm OHS G VB C/JV/V Pleasant Hill	9 OHS G TN V @ District Team Tourn.	10 MCQ Fall Picture Retakes 4:30pm OHS G SB V/JV @ Harrisonville 5:00pm OHS G VB C/JV/V @ Excelsior Springs 5:00pm OMS G VB @ Pleasant Hill 5:00pm OHS B SC JV/V @ Summit Christian	11 7:00pm OHS B FB V Warrensburg @ UCM	12 OHS BG Choir V All District @ Oak Grove OHS G TN V @ District Team Tourn. OHS BG BAND V Odessa Marching Invite 10:00am OHS BG XC V @ Kearney Invite @ Jesse James Park
13	14 OHS G GLF V @ Sectionals 3:15pm-3:45pm OMS STEP Meeting 5:00pm OMS G VB @ Lafayette Co. 5:00pm OHS G VB C/JV/V Oak Grove 5:00pm OMS B FB Pleasant Hill 6:00pm OUE PTO Meeting 6:30pm OHS B FB JV Warrensburg	15 4:00-7:00pm Parent/Teacher Conferences 6:00pm MCQ PTO Meeting	16 OHS G SB V @ District Tourn. 5:00pm OHS G VB C/JV/V @ Warrensburg 5:00pm OHS B SC JV/V @ Pleasant Hill	17 EARLY RELEASE 3:00-7:00pm Parent/Teacher Conferences OHS G SB V @ District Semifinals 4:00pm OHS BG XC V @ MRVC Meet @ Warrensburg	18 NO SCHOOL 7:00pm OHS B FB V Pleasant Hill	19 OHS CHEER V @ MCCA Regionals @ Staley OHS BG Band V @ Champion of Champions Marching Competition @ MU 8:00am OMS G VB @ Oak Grove Tourn. 8:00am OHS G VB V @ Lexington Tourn.
20 OHS CHEER V @ MCCA Regionals @ Staley	21 OHS G GLF V @ State Tourn. 5:00pm OHS B FB C/JV @ Pleasant Hill	22 OHS G GLF V @ State Tourn. 5:00pm OMS B FB @ Harrisonville 5:00pm OHS G VB C/JV/V Harrisonville 5:00pm OHS B SC JV/V Harrisonville 6:30pm OHS B SC V Harrisonville	23 4:00pm OHS BG XC V @ Richmond Invite @ Shirkey 5:00pm-6:00pm OUE Glow Run	24 5:00pm OHS G VB C/JV/V @ Pleasant Hill 5:00pm OHS B SC JV/V Excelsior Springs	25 OUE Halloween Class Parties 8:30am-12:00pm PAT Screenings 1:30pm MCQ Halloween Parties 7:00pm OHS B FB V @ Harrisonville	26 OHS BG Band V @ Harrisonville Royal Regiment Marching Competition
27	28 OHS G VB V @ District Tourn. 3:00pm-4:45pm OMS B WR 1st Practice 5:00pm OHS B FB C/JV Harrisonville 5:00pm OHS B SC JV/V Oak Grove	29	30 OHS G VB V @ District Tourn.	31 OHS B SC V @ District Tourn.		

NOVEMBER 2019

ODESSA R-VII SCHOOL DISTRICT

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					1 7:00pm OHS B FB V @ District Round 1	2 OHS B SC V @ District Tourn. OHS G VB V @ Sectionals & Quarterfinals OHS BG XC V @ District Meet OHS BG S&D V @ Windsor Invite
3 6:30pm OHS Winter Activity Meeting @ OHS Auditorium	4 3:00pm-6:00pm OMS Basketball Tryouts Begin	5 7:00am MCQ Kindergarten Grandparents Breakfast	6 OHS B SC V @ Sectionals 7:00am MCQ 1st Grade Grandparents Breakfast	7 7:00am MCQ 2nd Grade Grandparents Breakfast 6:00pm-8:00pm OHS National Honor Society Induction Ceremony	8 7:00pm OHS B FB V @ District Semifinals	9 OHS B SC V @ Quarterfinals OHS BG XC V @ State Meet 8:00am OHS BG Band V @ District Band and Jazz Band Auditions @ Warrensburg
10	11 OUE 3rd Grade Grandparents Breakfast 3:15pm-3:45pm OMS STEP Meeting 6:00pm OUE PTO Meeting	12 OUE 4th Grade Grandparents Breakfast	13 OUE 5th Grade Grandparents Breakfast	14	15 7:00pm OHS B FB V @ District Championship	16
17	18	19 6:00pm MCQ PTO Meeting	20 OHS Musical @ OHS Auditorium	21 OHS Musical @ OHS Auditorium 3:45pm-7:00pm PAT Kindergarten Screenings 4:30pm OMS B WR Meet	22 OHS Musical @ OHS Auditorium	23 OHS Musical @ OHS Auditorium 9:00am OMS G BKB @ Sherwood Tourn. 9:00am OMS B BKB @ Sherwood Tourn. 9:00am OHS G BKB V Jamboree @ OHS 9:00am OHS B BKB V Jamboree @ OHS 9:00am OMS B WR @ Oak Grove Tourn. 1:00pm OHS B FB V @ Quarterfinals
24	25 OHS BG Choir V @ Downtown Lighting Performance 5:00pm OMS B WR @ Lawson 5:00pm OMS G BKB @ Sherwood Tourn. 5:00pm OMS B BKB @ Sherwood Tourn.	26 OHS B BKB V Red and Black Scrimmage 5:00pm OMS G BKB @ Marshall 5:00pm OMS B BKB Marshall 8:00pm OHS B WR V Red and Black Scrimmage	27 NO SCHOOL/THANKSGIVING BREAK	28 NO SCHOOL/THANKSGIVING BREAK	29 NO SCHOOL/THANKSGIVING BREAK	30 1:00pm OHS B FB V @ Semifinals

DECEMBER 2019

ODESSA R-VII SCHOOL DISTRICT

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	2 OHS G BKB JV @ Lee's Summit West Tourn. OHS B BKB JV @ Truman Tourn. 7:00pm OMS Honor Choir Winter Concert @ OHS Wood Gym 7:00pm OHS Choir V Winter Choir Concert	3 OHS G BKB JV @ Lee's Summit West Tourn. 5:00pm OMS B WR @ Clinton 5:30pm OHS G BKB V St. Paul Lutheran 6:00pm OHS B WR V/JV @ Clinton 6:00pm OHS G WR V @ Clinton 7:00pm OHS B BKB V St. Paul Lutheran	4 OHS B BKB JV @ Truman Tourn. 5:00pm OMS G BKB Wellington-Napoleon 5:00pm OMS B WR Knob Noster 6:00pm OMS B BKB @ Wellington-Napoleon	5 OHS G BKB JV @ Lee's Summit West Tourn. OHS B BKB JV @ Truman Tourn. 5:30pm OHS G BKB V @ Wellington-Napoleon 7:00pm OHS B BKB V @ Wellington-Napoleon 6:30pm-7:30pm OMS Band Winter Concert @ OMS Gym	6 5:00pm OMS B WR Lafayette Co. 5:00pm OMS B BKB Harrisonville 5:00pm OMS G BKB @ Harrisonville	7 OHS B FB V @ State Championship 8:00am OHS G WR V @ Blue Springs Tourn. 8:00am OHS B WR JV @ Caton Invite @ Blue Springs
8 OHS CHEER V @ UCA Regionals @ Blue Springs	9 OHS B BKB V @ Husker Classic @ Lafayette Co. OHS G BKB V @ Husker Classic @ Lafayette Co. 5:00pm OMS B WR Marshall 5:00pm OMS G BKB Pleasant Hill 5:00pm OMS B BKB @ Pleasant Hill 6:00pm OUE PTO Meeting	10 OHS B BKB V @ Husker Classic @ Lafayette Co. OHS G BKB V @ Husker Classic @ Lafayette Co. 5:00pm OMS G BKB Excelsior Springs 5:00pm OMS B BKB @ Excelsior Springs 6:00pm OHS G WR V @ Benton 6:00pm OHS B WR V/JV @ Benton 5:30pm OHS G BKB C Lafayette Co. 7:00pm OHS B BKB C Lafayette Co.	11 OHS B BKB V @ Husker Classic @ Lafayette Co. OHS G BKB V @ Husker Classic @ Lafayette Co.	12 OHS G WR V @ Harrisonville Scramble OHS B BKB V @ Husker Classic @ Lafayette Co. OHS G BKB V @ Husker Classic @ Lafayette Co. 5:00pm OMS B BKB @ Oak Grove 5:00pm OMS G BKB Oak Grove 5:30pm OHS B BKB C/JV Richmond	13 OHS B BKB V @ Husker Classic @ Lafayette Co. OHS G BKB V @ Husker Classic @ Lafayette Co. 5:00pm OHS B WR V @ Lee's Summit North Invite 7:00pm OHS BG Band V Winter Band Concert	14 OHS G WR V @ Harrisonville Tourn. OHS B BKB V @ Husker Classic @ Lafayette Co. OHS G BKB V @ Husker Classic @ Lafayette Co. OHS BG S&D V @ Sacred Heart Invite 9:00am OMS B WR @ Summit Lakes Tourn. 9:00am OHS B WR V @ Lee's Summit North Tourn. 9:30am OHS B WR JV @ Harrisonville Tourn.
15	16 5:30pm OHS G BKB C Excelsior Springs 7:00pm OHS B BKB C Excelsior Springs 5:30pm OHS G BKB JV/V @ Marshall	17 5:00pm OMS G BKB @ Warrensburg 5:00pm OMS B BKB Warrensburg 5:00pm OHS B WR V/JV @ Richmond 5:30pm OHS G BKB C @ Marshall 5:30pm OHS B BKB JV/V Lafayette Co. 6:00pm MCQ PTO Meeting 7:00pm OHS B BKB C @ Marshall	18	19 4:30pm OMS B WR 4:30pm OHS B BKB C/JV/V @ Van Horn	20 EARLY RELEASE/WINTER BREAK OHS B WR V @ Lee's Summit Holiday Tourn. OUE Classroom Parties 10:30am MCQ Christmas Parties	21 OHS B WR V @ Lee's Summit Holiday Tourn.
22	23 NO SCHOOL/WINTER BREAK	24 NO SCHOOL/WINTER BREAK	25 NO SCHOOL/WINTER BREAK	26 NO SCHOOL/WINTER BREAK OHS B BKB V @ William Jewell Holiday Tourn. @ Mabee Center	27 NO SCHOOL/WINTER BREAK OHS B BKB V @ William Jewell Holiday Tourn. @ Mabee Center	28 OHS B BKB V @ William Jewell Holiday Tourn. @ Mabee Center
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JANUARY 2020

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1 NO SCHOOL/WINTER BREAK	2 NO SCHOOL/WINTER BREAK	3 NO SCHOOL/WINTER BREAK OHS BG Band V @ District Honor Band Clinic and Concert @ UCM	4 OHS BG Band V @ District Honor Band Clinic and Concert @ UCM 12:00pm OHS G BKB V @ UCM Shootout 1:30pm OHS B BKB V @ UCM Shootout
5	6 NO SCHOOL/TEACHER WORK DAY 6:00pm OHS G WR V @ Lee's Summit West 6:00pm OHS B WR V/JV @ Lee's Summit West	7	8	9 5:00pm OMS G BKB @ Oak Grove 5:00pm OMS B BKB Oak Grove 5:30pm OHS G BKB JV @ Warrensburg 5:30pm OHS B BKB C @ Warrensburg 7:00pm OHS G BKB C @ Warrensburg 7:00pm OHS B BKB JV @ Warrensburg 6:00pm OHS B WR JV/V Warrensburg 6:15pm OHS G WR V Warrensburg	10 OHS BG Band V @ District Jazz Band Rehearsal @ Warrensburg OHS BG S&D V @ Grain Valley Invite 5:30pm OHS G BKB V @ Warrensburg 7:30pm OHS B BKB V @ Warrensburg	11 OHS G WR V @ Kearney Tourn. OHS BG Band V @ District Jazz Band @ Smith-Cotton OHS BG S&D V @ Grain Valley Invite 8:00am OHS B WR JV @ Kearney Tourn. 8:00am OHS B WR V @ Cameron Tourn.
12	13 3:15pm-3:45pm OMS STEP Meeting 4:00pm OHS G BKB V @ Pleasant Hill Tourn. 5:30pm OHS B BKB C/JV Clinton 6:00pm OUE PTO Meeting	14 4:00pm OHS B BKB V @ Pleasant Hill Tourn. 5:00pm OMS G BKB Warrensburg 5:00pm OMS B BKB @ Warrensburg 5:30pm OHS G BKB C/JV Clinton 6:00pm OHS B WR JV/V @ Oak Grove 6:15pm OHS G WR V @ Oak Grove	15 4:00pm OHS G BKB V @ Pleasant Hill Tourn.	16 OHS G WR V @ Harrisonville Scramble 7:00am MCQ Breakfast with Mom 4:00pm OHS B BKB V @ Pleasant Hill Tourn. 5:00pm OMS G BKB @ Excelsior Springs 5:00pm OMS B BKB Excelsior Springs 5:30pm OHS G BKB C @ Excelsior Springs 7:00pm OHS B BKB C @ Excelsior Springs	17 OHS BG S&D V @ Warrensburg Tourn. 7:00am MCQ Breakfast with Dad 4:00pm OHS G BKB V @ Pleasant Hill Tourn. 5:00pm OHS G WR V @ MRVC Tourn. @ Oak Grove	18 OHS BG S&D V @ Warrensburg Tourn. 10:00am OHS B WR V @ MRVC Tourn. @ Oak Grove 4:00pm OHS B BKB V @ Pleasant Hill Tourn.
19	20 NO SCHOOL/ MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. DAY	21 5:00pm OMS G BKB Harrisonville 5:00pm OMS B BKB @ Harrisonville 5:30pm OHS G BKB C @ Harrisonville 7:00pm OHS B BKB C @ Harrisonville 6:00pm OHS B WR JV/V @ Harrisonville 6:00pm MCQ PTO Meeting 6:15pm OHS G WR V @ Harrisonville 5:30pm OHS G BKB JV/V Holden	22	23 5:00pm OMS G BKB @ Pleasant Hill 5:00pm OMS B BKB Pleasant Hill 5:00-7:00pm OUE Winter Games 5:30pm OHS G BKB C/JV Oak Grove 5:30pm OHS B BKB C/JV @ Oak Grove	24 8:30am-12:00pm PAT Screenings 3:00pm OHS B WR V @ Winnetonka Tourn. 6:00pm OHS G BKB V Oak Grove 7:30pm OHS B BKB V Oak Grove	25 OHS BG S&D V @ Pleasant Hill Invite 8:00am OHS B WR JV @ Knob Noster Tourn. 9:00am OHS B WR V @ Winnetonka Invite
26	27 OHS G BKB V @ Clinton Tourn.	28 OHS G BKB C @ Richmond Tourn. OHS B BKB C @ Richmond Tourn. 6:00pm OHS B WR JV/V @ Excelsior Springs 6:15pm OHS G WR V @ Excelsior Springs	29 OHS G BKB C @ Richmond Tourn. OHS B BKB C @ Richmond Tourn. OHS G BKB V @ Clinton Tourn.	30 5:30pm OHS B BKB JV/V Center	31 OHS G BKB C @ Richmond Tourn. OHS B BKB C @ Richmond Tourn.	

FEBRUARY 2020

ODESSA R-VII SCHOOL DISTRICT

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
						<p>1 OHS G BKB V @ Clinton Tourn. 9:00am OHS B WR V Odessa Invite</p>
<p>2 7:00am Little League Wrestling Tourn.</p>	<p>3 4:30pm OHS G BKB C/JV/V Pleasant Hill</p>	<p>4 4:30pm OHS B BKB C/JV/V @ Pleasant Hill 6:00pm OHS B WR JV/V Pleasant Hill 6:15pm OHS G WR V Pleasant Hill</p>	<p>5</p>	<p>6 5:30pm OHS G BKB JV/V Excelsior Springs 5:30pm OHS B BKB C/JV @ Richmond</p>	<p>7 OHS CHEER V @ UCA Nationals @ Walt Disney World Resort OHS G WR V @ District Tourn. OHS BG S&D V @ Oak Grove Tourn. 5:30pm OHS B BKB JV/V @ Excelsior Springs</p>	<p>8 OHS G WR V @ District Tourn. OHS CHEER V @ UCA Nationals @ Walt Disney World Resort OHS BG S&D V @ Oak Grove Tourn. 8:00am OHS B WR JV @ Lee's Summit North Tourn.</p>
<p>9 OHS CHEER V @ UCA Nationals @ Walt Disney World Resort</p>	<p>10 OHS CHEER V @ UCA Nationals @ Walt Disney World Resort OHS G BKB C/JV/V @ Harrisonville 3:15pm-3:45pm OMS STEP Meeting 6:00pm OUE PTO Meeting</p>	<p>11 4:30pm OHS B BKB C/JV/V @ Harrisonville</p>	<p>12</p>	<p>13 OUE Valentine's Day Classroom Parties 1:30pm MCQ Valentine's Parties 4:30pm OHS G BKB C/JV/V Warrensburg</p>	<p>14 NO SCHOOL/ PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT DAY 5:00pm OHS B WR V @ District Tourn. 4:30pm OHS B BKB C/JV/V Warrensburg</p>	<p>15 OHS BG S&D V @ Knob Noster Invite 10:00am OHS B WR V @ District Tourn.</p>
<p>16</p>	<p>17 NO SCHOOL/PRESIDENTS' DAY 5:30pm OHS G BKB C/JV @ Oak Grove 5:30pm OHS B BKB C/JV Oak Grove</p>	<p>18 6:00pm OHS G BKB V @ Oak Grove 6:00pm MCQ PTO Meeting 7:30pm OHS B BKB V @ Oak Grove</p>	<p>19</p>	<p>20 OHS G WR V @ MSHSAA State Tourn. @ MU 3:45pm-7:00pm PAT Kindergarten Screenings 6:00pm OHS B WR V @ MSHSAA State Tourn. @ MU 4:30pm OHS G BKB C/JV/V @ Pleasant Hill</p>	<p>21 OHS G WR V @ MSHSAA State Tourn. @ MU 6:00pm OHS B WR V @ MSHSAA State Tourn. @ MU 4:30pm OHS B BKB C/JV/V Pleasant Hill</p>	<p>22 OHS G WR V @ MSHSAA State Tourn. @ MU 6:00pm OHS B WR V @ MSHSAA State Tourn. @ MU</p>
<p>23</p>	<p>24</p>	<p>25 5:30pm OHS G BKB JV/V @ Excelsior Springs 5:30pm OHS B BKB JV/V Excelsior Springs</p>	<p>26 4:00pm OHS BG Band V @ MRVC Auditions @ Oak Grove</p>	<p>27 MCQ PTO Carnival 5:30pm OHS B BKB JV/V @ Harrisonville 5:30pm OHS G BKB JV/V Harrisonville</p>	<p>28</p>	<p>29 OHS G BKB V @ District Tourn. OHS B BKB V @ District Tourn. 8:00am OHS Choir V @ MRVC Conference Performance</p>

MARCH 2020

ODESSA R-VII SCHOOL DISTRICT

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1 6:30pm Spring Activities Meeting @ OHS Auditorium	2 PAT Begin Taking Appointments for Kindergarten Screenings OHS 1st Day Spring Sports OMS 1st Day Spring Sports	3 OHS G BKB V @ District Semifinals	4 MCQ Spring Pictures	5 OHS B BKB V @ District Semifinals	6 OHS G BKB V @ District Championship OHS B BKB V @ District Championship OHS BG S&D V @ District Tour.	7 OHS BG S&D V @ District Tour.
8	9 6:00pm OUE PTO Meeting	10 OHS G BKB V @ Sectionals OHS B BKB V @ Sectionals 6:00pm OHS BG Band Pageant of Bands and Pie Auction	11 OHS Choir V @ MSHSAA Large Ensemble 8:30am OHS BG Band V @ MRVC Band Clinic and Concert @ Oak Grove	12	13 8:30am-12:00pm PAT Screenings	14 OHS G BKB V @ Quarterfinals OHS B BKB V @ Quarterfinals
15	16 OHS G SC V Jamboree @ Knob Noster 3:15pm-3:45pm OMS STEP Meeting 6:30pm OHS Choir V Performance	17 6:00pm MCQ PTO Meeting	18 OHS Student Council Blood Drive @ OHS Wood Gym	19 EARLY RELEASE OUE Spring Pictures 12:00pm-7:00pm OHS Enrollment Conferences 12:00-7:00PM OMS Parent Conferences 12:00-7:00PM OUE Parent Conferences 12:00-7:00PM MCQ Parent Conferences	20 NO SCHOOL/SPRING BREAK OHS Choir V @ Solo/Small Ensemble District Contest @ State Fair CC OHS BG Band V @ District Solo and Ensemble @ State Fair CC	21 OHS BG Band V @ District Solo and Ensemble @ State Fair CC
22	23 NO SCHOOL/SPRING BREAK 1:00pm OHS BG TR V @ UCM Meet 4:00pm OHS B GLF V @ Shirkey 4:30pm OHS B BB V/JV @ Marshall	24 NO SCHOOL/SPRING BREAK 4:30pm OHS B TN V&JV @ Knob Noster 4:30pm OHS B BB V/JV @ Lafayette Co. 5:00pm OHS G SC JV/V Van Horn	25 4:00pm OHS B GLF V @ Shirkey	26 4:30pm OHS B BB C @ Pembroke Hill	27 9:00am OHS B GLF V @ Oak Grove Tour. @ Adams Pointe 4:00pm OHS B BB V Odessa Tour. 4:30pm OHS B TN V&JV @ Carrollton 5:00pm OHS G SC JV/V Pleasant Hill	28 8:00am OHS BG TR V @ Ron Clawson Relays @ Warrensburg 10:00am OHS B BB V Odessa Tour.
29	30 OUE Book Fair OMS Book Fair 4:30pm OHS B TN V&JV Richmond 5:00pm OHS G SC JV/V Harrisonville	31 OUE Book Fair OMS Book Fair 4:30pm OHS B TN V Lutheran 4:30pm OHS B GLF JV @ Adams Pointe 4:30pm OHS B GLF V @ Shirkey 4:30pm OHS B BB C Warrensburg 4:30pm OHS B BB V/JV @ Warrensburg 5:30pm OHS G SC V Ewing Marion Kauffman				

APRIL 2020

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1 OUE Book Fair OMS Book Fair 5:00pm-5:45pm OMS Color Run	2 OUE Book Fair OMS Book Fair 4:00pm OMS BG TR @ Grain Valley 4:00pm OHS B TN V&JV Marshall 4:30pm OHS B GLF V @ Warrensburg @ Hidden Pines 4:30pm OHS B GLF JV @ Warrensburg @ Adams Pointe 4:30pm OHS B BB V/JV Pleasant Hill 5:00pm OHS G SC V Guadalupe Centers Charter	3 NO SCHOOL/ PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT DAY OUE Book Fair OMS Book Fair 4:00pm OHS BG TR V Odessa Invite 4:30pm OHS B BB V/JV @ Boonville @ Harley Park	4 5:00pm Odessa Public Foundation Gala
5	6 8:00am OHS B GLF V @ Grain Valley Invite @ Adams Pointe 4:30pm OHS B BB V/JV @ Excelsior Springs 6:00pm OUE PTO Meeting	7 4:00pm OHS BG TR V @ Grandview Invite 4:30pm OHS B TN V&JV @ Warrensburg 4:30pm OHS B GLF V&JV @ Hoots Hollow 4:30pm OHS B BB C @ Harrisonville 4:30pm OHS B BB V/JV Harrisonville 5:00pm OHS G SC JV/V @ Oak Grove 6:00pm Kindergarten Information Night @ MCQ Gym	8 9:00am OHS B TN JV @ Excelsior Springs Tourn.	9 4:00pm OMS BG TR @ Oak Grove 4:00pm OHS BG TR V @ Holden Invite 4:30pm OHS B TN V&JV @ Harrisonville 5:00pm OHS G SC JV/V @ Warrensburg	10 NO SCHOOL/EASTER BREAK	11 OHS G SC V @ Excelsior Springs Tourn.
12	13 NO SCHOOL/EASTER BREAK OHS B BB V @ Holden Tourn. 4:30pm OHS B BB C Holden OHS G SC V @ Excelsior Springs Tourn. 4:00pm OHS B TN V&JV St. Michael	14 4:00pm OHS BG TR V @ Hoot Middleton Invite @ Richmond 4:00pm OHS BG TR JV @ Wellington- Napoleon Invite 4:00pm OMS BG TR @ Pleasant Hill Invite 4:30pm OHS B TN V&JV @ Excelsior Springs 4:30pm OHS B GLF V&JV @ Excelsior Springs GC 4:30pm OHS B BB C @ Excelsior Springs	15 OHS G SC V @ Excelsior Springs Tourn. OHS B BB V @ Holden Tourn. 9:30am OHS B TN V @ Excelsior Springs Tourn. 4:00pm OMS BG TR @ Richmond	16 OHS B BB V @ Holden Tourn. 4:00pm OHS BG TR V&JV @ Knob Noster 4:30pm OHS B GLF V&JV @ Warrensburg @ Hidden Pines 4:30pm OHS B BB C @ Oak Grove @ Webb Park	17 OHS B BB V @ Holden Tourn. 4:00pm OMS BG TR @ Lafayette Co. 5:00pm OHS G SC JV/V Oak Grove	18 8:00pm-11:00pm OHS Prom
19	20 8:30am-2:30pm PAT Kindergarten Screenings 4:00pm OHS BG TR JV @ Harrisonville Invite 4:30pm OHS B TN V&JV Warrensburg 4:30pm OHS B BB V/JV Knob Noster	21 8:30am-2:30pm PAT Kindergarten Screenings 4:30pm OHS B BB V/JV Oak Grove 4:30pm OHS B GLF V&JV @ Country Creek 4:30pm OHS B TN V @ Lutheran @ Minor Park 5:00pm OHS G SC JV/V Excelsior Springs 6:00pm MCQ PTO Meeting	22 8:30am-2:30pm PAT Kindergarten Screenings 8:30am OHS B GLF V @ Husker Golf Tourn. @ Higginsville CC 4:00pm OMS BG TR @ Excelsior Springs	23 OHS BG S&D V @ State @ Missouri State 8:30am-2:30pm PAT Kindergarten Screenings 4:00pm OMS BG TR @ Knob Noster 5:30pm-8:30pm OHS Senior Project Presentations @ OHS Commons	24 OHS BG S&D V @ State @ Missouri State 8:30am-2:30pm PAT Kindergarten Screenings 3:15pm OHS B BB JV Odessa Tourn. 3:45pm Senior Citizens Spring Fling Social 4:15pm Senior Citizens Spring Fling Dinner/ Program 5:00pm OHS G SC JV/V Warrensburg	25 OHS BG S&D V @ State @ Missouri State 10:00am OHS B BB JV Odessa Tourn. 3:30pm OHS BG TR V @ Clinton Invite
26	27 9:00am OHS B GLF V @ MRVC Golf Tourn. @ Mules National GC 4:30pm OHS B TN V&JV Excelsior Springs 7:00pm OHS Choir V Spring Concert	28 OUE Book Fair OUE Breakfast with Mom 4:00pm OHS BG TR V @ Knob Noster Invite 4:30pm OHS B TN V&JV Lexington 4:30pm OHS B BB C Oak Grove 4:30pm OHS B BB V/JV @ Oak Grove @ Webb Park 5:00pm OHS G SC JV/V @ Pleasant Hill	29 OUE Book Fair OUE Breakfast with Dad	30 4:00pm OMS BG TR Odessa Invite 4:30pm OHS B TN V&JV Harrisonville 4:30pm OHS B BB C Harrisonville 4:30pm OHS B BB V/JV @ Harrisonville 5:00pm OHS G SC JV/V @ Excelsior Springs		

MAY 2020

ODESSA R-VII SCHOOL DISTRICT

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					1 8:00am OHS B GLF V @ Richmond Tourn. @ Shirkey 4:30pm OHS B BB V/JV Clinton	2 OHS BG Band V @ State Solo and Ensemble OHS Choir V @ Solo/Small Ensemble State Contest @ MU 10:00am OHS B BB C Odessa Tourn.
3 2:00pm OHS Baccalaureate @ OHS Wood Gym	4 9:00am OHS B GLF V @ District Tourn. 3:15pm-3:45pm OMS STEP Meeting 4:00pm OMS BG TR @ Grain Valley 4:30pm OHS B TN V&JV Lafayette Co.	5 3:30pm OHS BG TR JV @ MRVC Finale @ Pleasant Hill 6:30pm OHS Senior Awards Night @ OHS Wood Gym	6 9:00am OHS B TN V @ MRVC @ Warrensburg 4:00pm OHS BG TR V @ MRVC @ Odessa 4:00pm OMS BG TR @ Oak Grove Relays 4:30pm OHS B BB V/JV @ Pleasant Hill 5:00pm OHS G SC JV/V @ Harrisonville 5:30pm-7:30pm BBA Graduation @ OHS Wood Gym	7 7:00pm OHS Graduation @ UCM	8 3:30pm OHS B BB JV @ Grain Valley Tourn. 5:00pm OHS G SC JV/V Knob Noster 6:00pm-7:00pm MCQ Kindergarten Graduation @ OHS Wood Gym	9 9:00am OHS B BB JV @ Grain Valley Tourn.
10	11 OHS B GLF V @ Sectionals 4:30pm OHS B TN V @ District Team Tourn. 4:30pm OHS B BB C @ Excelsior Springs 4:30pm OHS B BB V/JV Excelsior Springs 5:00pm OHS G SC JV/V Marshall 7:00pm-8:00pm OMS 8th Grade Recognition @ OHS Wood Gym	12 OHS B TN V @ District Team Tourn. AM OUE 3rd Grade Field Day PM OUE 4th Grade Field Day 4:30pm OHS B BB C @ Warrensburg 4:30pm OHS B BB V/JV Warrensburg 6:30pm-7:30pm OMS Honor Choir Spring Concert @ OMS Gym	13 OHS B TN V @ District Team Tourn. AM OUE 3rd Grade Field Day Make-up PM OUE 4th Grade Field Day Make-up 5:00pm OHS G SC JV/V @ Lone Jack	14 OUE 5th Grade Kickball Tournament 6:30pm-7:30pm OMS Band Spring Concert @ OMS Gym	15 OUE 5th Grade Kickball Tournament Make-up 8:30am-2:15pm OMS 8th Grade Picnic	16 OHS B BB V @ District Tourn. OHS B TN V @ District Individual Tourn. OHS BG TR V @ District Meet
17	18 OHS G SC V @ District Tourn. OHS B GLF V @ State Tourn. OHS B BB V @ District Tourn.	19 LAST DAY OF SCHOOL EARLY RELEASE OHS B GLF V @ State Tourn.	20 OHS G SC V @ District Tourn. OHS B BB V @ District Tourn.	21	22	23 OHS G SC V @ Sectionals 9:30am OHS BG TR V @ Sectionals
24	25 MEMORIAL DAY	26 OHS B BB V @ Sectionals	27 OHS G SC V @ Quarterfinals	28 OHS B BB V @ Quarterfinals	29 OHS BG TR V @ State Meet @ Jefferson City	30 OHS BG TR V @ State Meet @ Jefferson City
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District Calendar

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- August 1-5 New Teacher Orientation
- August 5 Sixth Grade Orientation
- August 6 Freshman Orientation
- August 7 Teacher Work Day
- August 8 Professional Development Day
- August 9 Open House (4:00-7:00pm)
- August 14 Work Day (8:00am - 12:00pm)
- August 30 First Day of School
- **September 2** Early Release Day (11:20am)
- **September 2** **Labor Day (No School)**
- September 13 Early Release Day - Homecoming (11:20am)
- **September 27** **Professional Dev. Day (No School)**
- October 11 End of First Quarter (41 days)
- October 15 Parent/Teacher Conf. (4:00-7:00pm)
- October 17 Early Release Day (11:20am)
- **October 18** Parent/Teacher Conf. (3:00-7:00pm)
- **Nov. 27-29** **No School**
- **Nov. 27-29** **Thanksgiving Break (No School)**
- December 20 Early Release Day (11:20am)
- December 20 End of Second Quarter (44 days)
- **Dec. 21-Jan. 6** **Winter Break (No School)**
- **January 6** **Teacher Work Day (No School)**
- January 7 School Resumes
- **January 20** **Martin Luther King Jr. Day (No School)**
- **February 14** **Professional Dev. Day (No School)**
- **February 17** **Presidents' Day (No School)**
- March 13 End of Third Quarter (45 days)
- March 19 Early Release Day (11:20am)
- March 20-24 Parent Contact (12:00-3:00pm)
- **March 20-24** **Spring Break (No School)**
- **April 3** Parent Contact (4:00-7:00pm)
- **April 10-13** **Professional Dev. Day (No School)**
- **April 10-13** **Easter Break (No School)**
- May 19 Early Release Day (11:20am)
- May 25 Last Day of School
- May 25 End of Fourth Quarter (44 days)
- May 25 Memorial Day

Possible Make-Up Days – The first 6 days missed are forgiven.
 (NOTE: Additional make-up days will be utilized at the end of the school year as needed.)

174 Student Attendance Days and 181 Teacher Contract Days

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Superintendent

Dear Parents and Patrons:

It is my pleasure to welcome you to the 2019-2020 school year in the Odessa R-VII School District. We hope that you will find this newsletter to be filled with all of the information you need for a smooth transition into a new school year routine. Information found within these pages include the district calendar, classroom supply lists, enrollment information, and other items that will assist you in this process.

We hope to see you at either the **19th Annual Open House on August 8**, the **Sixth Grade Registration/Orientation on August 5** for incoming sixth graders at the middle school, or the **Freshmen Orientation on August 6** for incoming ninth graders at the high school. Please do not miss this opportunity to meet with your child's teacher(s) and ask any questions you may have concerning the start of the new school year.

We look forward to working with you to make this a successful year in the Odessa R-VII School District. Please do not hesitate to contact us at the telephone numbers provided if you have any questions.

Sincerely,



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