

OMS Teacher Guide

TO CONTINUOUS LEARNING



OOLOGAH MIDDLE SCHOOL



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PURPOSE

- The purpose of this guide is to provide answers and expectations during our time of continuous learning.
- Our goal is to provide lessons, activities, and support to students so they can practice skills they have learned throughout the year.

STUDENT EXPECTATIONS

- Students will be asked to complete all assignments given by their teachers.
- Students should find a workspace that is distraction-free and has space for necessary items to complete assignments.
- Students will reach out to their teacher via email if they need help
- Student will be patient with yourself and your teachers -- we are all learning together!



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INSTRUCTION

- OMS students are familiar with how their teacher delivers digital content.
- Parents/students will also be able to locate links to each teacher/subject through the OMS Website page.
- Students will receive at least 1 lesson each week from their teachers.
- We encourage you to work ahead in a class if you would like.
- Students should communicate to their teachers their desire to work ahead. Teachers will be more than happy to assign enrichment opportunities!

HOW TO COMMUNICATE WITH MY CHILD'S TEACHER(S)

- Starting April 6th, teachers will be working from home to assist your child -- they can be reached via email by using the following format (first.last@oologah.k12.ok.us).
- Teachers will be available to conference between 8:00am-3:00pm.
- Teachers will not be available in the evenings or on weekends.
- Teachers will respond to any questions you have within 24 hours.
- Teachers' emails can also be found on the OMS Website page.
- Teachers will be communicating with students at least once a week via Remind, Spark, Google Classroom, or email (Outlook).



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ASSIGNMENT SUBMISSION

- Work is to be submitted online. Please ensure that you are meeting your teacher's due dates for assignments.
- Assignments/projects will not physically be returned to teachers.

GRADING PRACTICES

- Points will be given for assignments completed and submitted digitally.
- Assignments given during this time can only improve your child's overall class grade.

MEAL OPTIONS

- Grab & Go Meals will be served weekdays through the end of the school year.
- Meals can be picked up by using a drive thru service in front of the Upper Elementary between 9:00am-11:00am.
- Breakfast and lunch will be distributed at the same time.
- Meals are offered to any child under the age of 18.
- The child must be present in the vehicle to receive a Grab & Go Meal.



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RETRIEVING PERSONAL ITEMS FROM SCHOOL

- Based on current information from the Oklahoma State Department of Education (OSDE), state and local officials, and the CDC, we are not allowing students on campus at this time.
- We will be creating a plan in the future to allow students who need to pick up belongings to come to the school.
- We will provide more information as it becomes available.
- Please know that the OSDE, state and local officials, and CDC guidelines will determine when and how we proceed.

RETURNING ITEMS TO SCHOOL (including school issued laptops)

- Based on current information from the Oklahoma State Department of Education (OSDE), state and local officials, and the CDC, we are not allowing students on campus at this time.
- We will be creating a plan in the future so students can return school property.
- We will provide more information as it becomes available.
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EVENTS & ACTIVITIES

- All end of the year events and activities have been canceled.

UPDATED SCHOOL CALENDAR & ACTIVITIES

- The last day of school for students will be May 8th.
- Teachers will have grades posted by May 15th.

ENROLLMENT FOR NEXT YEAR

- We will create a plan in the future to inform you of next year's enrollment process and classes to be offered.

COUNSELING SERVICES

- Mental health is just as important as physical health. If your child is experiencing stress for any reason and would like someone to talk to, our counselors will be available to help.
- You can reach our counseling staff by emailing
 - Melissa Gibson @ melissa.gibson@oologah.k12.ok.us
 - Jordan Scott from YCO Alliance @ jordan.scott@oologah.k12.ok.us



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QUESTIONS/CONCERNS

- If you have any questions or concerns about your child's school work, please reach out to their teachers by email.
- You can also reach the office staff by emailing
 - Kelli Dixon, OMS Principal @ kelli.dixon@oologah.k12.ok.us
 - Nathan Smith, OMS Assistant Principal @ nathan.smith@oologah.k12.ok.us
 - Melissa Gibson, Counselor @ melissa.gibson@oologah.k12.ok.us

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