



Osmond Elementary

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10/1/25

- Fall Pictures by Bell Photography

10/3/25

- Spirit Day to celebrate SVHS Homecoming

10/7/25 & 10/8/25

- Fall Dry Creek Academy Starts

10/9/25

- PTO Meeting * 10:30 am

10/10/25

- No school

10/13/25 - 10/16/25

- National School Lunch Week

10/13/25 - 10/27/25

- Texas Roadhouse Fundraiser
More information coming soon!

10/17/25

- No school

10/23/25 – 10/30/25

- Red Ribbon Week

10/30/25

- Pumpkin Patch
- Halloween Costumes welcome!

10/31/25

- No school

Looking ahead ...

Author Shelly Brown will be visiting our school on Monday, November 3rd.

Parent Teacher Conferences will be held Tues, Nov 11th & Wed, Nov 12th
Additional info will be sent home soon.

Osmond Elementary's school-wide Title 1 program.

Any student enrolled at Osmond, who needs extra academic help, is eligible for assistance. All students at Osmond complete a universal screener (AIMS web plus) in reading three times per year. These test results along with teacher recommendations are used to identify students needing supplemental instruction.

Schools qualify for Title 1 services based on the percentage of enrolled students in economic need. This qualification is based on the number of students in the free and reduced-price lunch program.

Here at Osmond Elementary, we use the majority of our funds for our Title 1 para team. With this team, we are able to offer small instructional groups to meet the needs of our students.

Our Title 1 program offers after school tutoring called Smarty Club. This is on Tues and Wed from 2:35-3:15. If you have questions, contact Ileene Jensen at Osmond.

SPIRIT DAY



10-03-25

Wear your crimson and gold or Braves gear in celebration of SVHS Homecoming. Let's Go Braves!

Red Ribbon Week at OES

October 23rd – 30th



Red Ribbon Week is the nation's oldest and largest drug prevention awareness program.

During this week, we will be promoting healthy, positive choices including a fun run challenge, and drug free bracelets.



Osmond's Picture Day is Wednesday, October 1st

Flyers have been sent home with students and can be returned the day of pictures.

You are also welcome to go online and pay/order at bellphoto.com by using the prepay code: **OsmondES2Fall25**

In October, Osmond's students will continue to gain more understanding about their brains, specifically the prefrontal cortex (PFC), hippocampus, and amygdala.

They will learn that the PFC is the "Wise Owl" of the brain, helping them with planning, problem solving, making good decisions, and controlling their emotions and behaviors. They will learn how memories and learning are stored and retrieved with their hippocampus. They will learn more about their "Guard Dog" amygdala being the alarm center of the brain and how it is connected to both the hippocampus and the prefrontal cortex (this ties into the "hand brain model" and "flipping their lid").

Finally, the students will begin to explore the superpower of their autonomic nervous system (ANS) and how it keeps us safe. Our ANS is responsible for our "fight, flight, or freeze" reactions when our neuroception senses danger. For students, that "danger" is frequently in the form of social or emotional interactions, often resulting in anxiety. Other times the perceived threats/danger can be tests and quizzes, or learning something new. By learning more about ANS, students become empowered with knowledge and strategies they can apply to regulate their nervous systems.



Students are welcome to wear costumes on Thurs, October 30th

*If your child chooses to do so, please note
the following guidelines:*

COSTUMES MUST:

- Follow the school dress code
- Allow students to function normally in daily classroom procedures
- Be put on at home

COSTUMES MAY NOT:

- Include masks, weapons, or inflatable costumes
- Be arranged or prepared in school bathrooms or classrooms
- Make fun of others.

Pumpkin Patch Thurs, October 30th

Students are invited to carve, paint
or decorate a pumpkin at home and
bring it to school to put on display.

Please note:

- Pumpkins are not provided by the school.
- Students who wish to participate will need a ride to and from school as the pumpkins may not ride the bus.
- Any pumpkins still at the school at 3:30 pm will be discarded.



OCTOBER is National Dental Hygiene Month.

Halloween and fall celebrations can mean candy in abundance! Sweets and treats can be a lot of fun on special days, but having good dental hygiene is important. Here are some tips to keep those pearly whites strong & those gums healthy!



1. Brush 2x/day, replace your toothbrush every 3 months.
2. Switch to a soft-bristled toothbrush.
3. Floss once a day, it's best to floss before bedtime to remove any food particles.
4. Get regular cleanings, every 6 months.
5. Eat a tooth-healthy diet with lots of veggies and foods that are rich in calcium to support healthy teeth & bones.
6. Delay brushing for 30-60 min after eating acidic foods like citrus fruits or tomatoes.
7. Avoid sticky, starchy, sugary foods.
8. Skip the juice and soda, go for water or milk instead.

Banking Days Have Begun

However, it's not too late to participate!



Students can begin at any time, they will simply need to make extra deposits on their own. **Students are welcome to stop by the bank(s) and pick up deposit slips to prefill for quicker deposits during Tuesday morning recesses.**

You can find all banking information at osmond.lcsd2.org under "documents" on the family & students tab.

DIGITAL CITIZENSHIP - OCTOBER

**"T.H.I.N.K BEFORE
YOU SHARE"**

-T.H.I.N.K Before you share

-Before you share anything online OR
offline, T.H.I.N.K

T- Is it TRUE?
H- Is it HELPFUL?
I- Is it INSPIRING?
N- Is it NECESSARY?
K - Is it KIND?



**TREAT OTHERS
WITH
KINDNESS**



NATIONAL SCHOOL LUNCH WEEK

October 13th – 16th

- ★ Each student will get a passport full of fun activities that help them learn more about other countries.
- ★ The awesome lunch ladies encourage students to bring in a fun fact about another country that can be displayed in the lunchroom.

Calling all Veterans

Please help us update our list of area Veterans! Osmond Elementary has a tradition of honoring those who have served our country. In order to do so, we keep a list of local Veterans. Keeping this list current is a challenge.

We are asking for your help in our effort.
Please call the office at 307-885-9457 or send an email to Mrs. Nield at lyndi.nield@lcsd2.org if you know someone we need to include.

Thank you for your help!

