



SEPTEMBER 2022

ORANGE BEACH ELEMENTARY

MAKO NEWS



Many wonderful things are happening in our classrooms! Please be sure to visit our website and follow us on Facebook for a glimpse inside!

ABOUT US:



<https://www.obschools.org>



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Mako Gear

Our t-shirts are ready to order. Orders can be placed through My School Bucks
<https://www.myschoolbucks.com/ver2/login/postlogin.action>

Look for the Orange Beach Elementary store to see the available options in Dri-Fit and Comfort Colors. These t-shirts are part of our annual fundraiser and can be worn any day of the week this school year.

*If you are having trouble viewing the store, try visiting the My School Bucks website instead of using the app. Login to the website. Delete your children out of the Baldwin County district. Add them into the Orange Beach City Schools district. Go to the school store and the shirts will pop up.

My School Bucks & Lunch Accounts

Our School Financial Officer Ford Handley reported the following:

If you have added Orange Beach City Schools and your child to your Myschoolbucks account, you should be able to add funds and see balances. There is still a chance if you create a new Myschoolbucks account that you will have to create one and wait one day to add funds. If you continue to have issues you can call MSB support at 855.832.5226 or email me at csfo@orangebeachboe.org

Short the Squirrel Visits OB

Alabama's official literacy mascot, SHORT the Squirrel, paid a visit to our Kindergarten, First and Second Graders! Short the Squirrel is on a mission to share the importance of reading to children across the state of Alabama.

We were so excited Short visited Orange Beach Elementary and was able to see our little Makos true love for reading!





Check-Ins and Check-Outs

Check-Ins- Our doors are locked at 7:50. If your student arrives after 7:50, you will need to bring them into the office to get a tardy slip.

Check-Outs - If you need to check your child out early from school, you will be asked to show your I.D. We have new employees in our front office and lots of new families, so please be understanding of this safety procedure.

Upcoming Events and Reminders

9/2 - Makos Football vs. Jackson at OB Sportsplex

9/5 - LABOR DAY - NO SCHOOL

9/8 - Progress Reports

9/16 - Makos Football vs T.R. Miller at OB Sportsplex

9/21 - Fall pictures (Out of Uniform-Sunday Best)

9/23 -Makos Football vs McIntosh (Homecoming)

9/24 - Miss Shrimp Festival Pageant

9/30 - Freedom Fest

10/6 - End of First Quarter/ Kona Ice

10/7 - PD Day/Student Holiday

10/10 - Fall Break

10/11 - eLearning Day

10/13 - Report Cards

Dismissal Procedures

Transportation Changes - If your child needs to go home a different way, please send a note (this is preferred). We understand that unexpected needs arise, so we do allow transportation changes by calling the front office.

Please call by 2:00 as it's more difficult to deliver messages later in the day and we'd hate for the message to not be delivered. Please do not email your child's teacher with transportation changes.

If you see your child walking with Expect Excellence, and they were supposed to be a car rider or walker, please do not get them out of line.

Expect Excellence also has check in and check out procedures to keep students safe. Please let our office staff know so that we can correct the mixup. You may pick up your child from Expect Excellence at 3:30.



Future Makos

Mrs. Hartley's son Roman and Mrs. Burkhardt's daughter Charlotte were so excited to see each other at Makos on Main. It's fun to see that our Future Makos already love their Mako family.