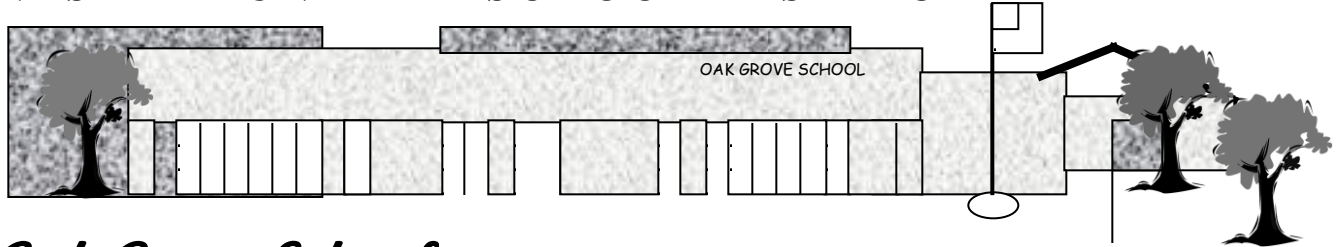


# VISALIA UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT



***Oak Grove School*** 4445 W. Ferguson 559 622-3105 Fax 622-3108

a community working hard toward excellence and academic success

August 21, 2024

Dear Parents/Guardians of Grade 7-8 students,

Oak Grove is proud of its athletic programs and we are excited about the 2024-2025 fall athletics season! This year's fall teams include volleyball and flag football. Both boys and girls are eligible for each team, and we run all athletics programs with "no cuts," meaning that all students who commit to attending practices and games will represent Oak Grove on the team.

### GAME AND PRACTICE INFORMATION:

- Pre-season practices will be August 27th-August 29th, September 3rd, and September 4th from 3:30-4:40pm. Practices will continue on Mondays and Wednesdays throughout the season from 3:30pm-4:30pm
- Games will be on Tuesdays and Thursdays starting on Sept. 5th.
- Games start at 3:30 and are over by 5:00 pm. Students must be at practice in appropriate clothing to be able to play in the next day's game. It is expected that even if a student is not playing in the game that, as a part of the team, they will dress out and come to support their team. Students should only be absent from practice or games due to illness or circumstances that can be approved by the coach. Parents should pick up their students from practice and games within 10 minutes of the ending time.

### TRANSPORTATION:

- A bus will be provided to take students to all away games. Parents must pick up their students from the game, with the exception of out of town games.
- There are 8 schools in our league. For games played at Three Rivers, the bus will bring students back to Oak Grove following the game.

### Sign Ups:

- Please complete and return the bottom portion of this letter by Friday, August 23rd if you are interested in participating.
- Fill out the google form online by Friday, August 23rd. Visit the Oak Grove website, under the athletics tab. If this is not filled out, you will not be able to participate.

If you have any questions or concerns please contact Assistant Principal Kristen Alburn at 622-3105.

Student name (last, first): \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent name: \_\_\_\_\_ Parent signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent contact phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

Sport (circle one): Football OR Volleyball