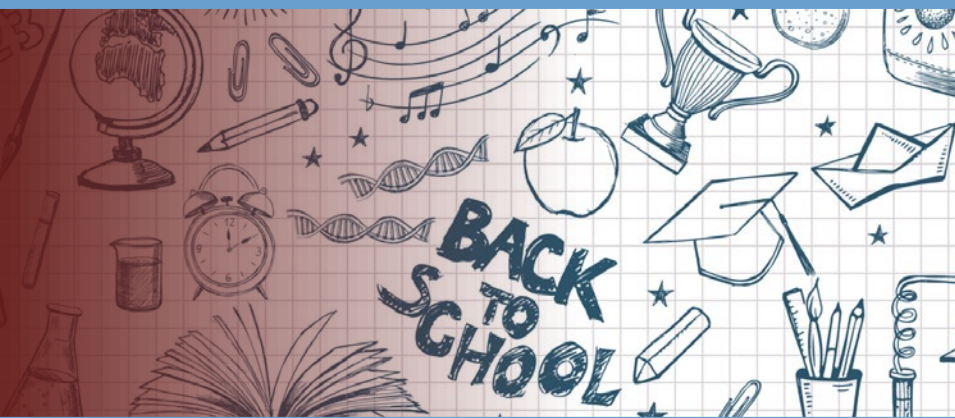


WELCOME BACK!



Welcome back to an exciting new school year at Okemos Public Schools! Guided by our new updated mission (*Together, educating with excellence, empowering every learner for life*) we are excited to partner with you to support your child's growth and success. To help you stay connected, please take a moment to explore important resources such as key dates when students don't have school, transportation information, health and emergency forms, and our District and Family Handbook. We look forward to a fantastic year ahead, working together to empower every learner!

"Every learner. Every day. Stronger together."

District Calendar

Aug. 29 to Sept. 1: No School, Labor Day
Sept. 23: No School K-12, Staff PD
Oct. 10: Half Day K-8 / Full day K-12
Oct. 16: Half Day K-12 / PM Conferences
Oct. 17: No School K-12
Nov. 7: No School K-12, Staff PD
Nov. 26 - Nov 28: No School, Thanksgiving
Dec. 22 - Jan. 2: No School, Winter Break
Jan. 14 - Jan. 15: Half Day 9-12, Full Day K-8
Jan. 16: Half Day K-12
Jan. 19: No School K-12, MLK Jr Day

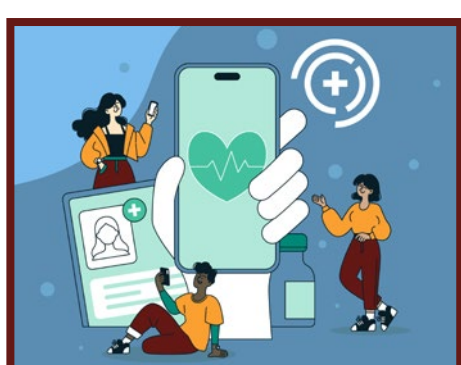
Feb. 11: Count Day
Feb. 13 - Feb. 16: No School, President's Day Weekend
Feb. 17: No School K-12, Staff PD
Mar. 6: Half Day, K-12 Records Day
Mar. 12: Half Day K-12, Conferences
Mar. 26 - Mar. 27: No School, K-12
Mar. 30 - Apr. 3: No School, Spring Break
Apr. 27: No School K-12, Staff PD
May 25: No School K-12, Memorial Day
Jun. 1 - Jun. 2: Half Day 9-12 (Exams), Full Day K-8
Jun. 3: Half Day K-12, Last Day of School



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Transportation Information

The Okemos Public Schools Transportation Department is dedicated to providing safe and reliable transportation for all eligible students. Our team works hard to ensure students get to and from school safely each day. For bus schedules, contact information, and helpful tips, we encourage families to visit the Transportation page on the Okemos Public Schools website.



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District Nurse Information

The OPS District Nurse plays a vital role in supporting the health and well-being of our students. This role is a key resource for families needing information on medical action plans, medication procedures, vaccination requirements, and overall student health. We encourage parents and guardians to visit the District Nurse section on the Okemos Public Schools website for important forms, guidelines, and contact information.



Food Services Information

Our Food Services page includes everything families need to support their child's nutrition. You'll find easy access to daily menus through Nutrislice, details on meal costs and providing resources for special dietary accommodations. These tools help families plan ahead, and ensure every student has access to nutritious meals throughout the year.

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Okemos Kids Club / Edgewood

The Edgewood Early Childhood Center houses all of the district's early childhood programming with the exception of Montessori PPK. We have full-day, year-round preschool care for infants through 5-year-olds, as well as GSRP full-day classes that operate during the school year. For more information check out our Okemos Kids Club page on the district website.

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Special Education Programs & Services

Professional and Paraprofessional staff provide educational programs and services for approximately 10% of the student population. Program options for Okemos students, in cooperation with the Ingham Intermediate School District and neighboring districts, include a full continuum of programs, ranging from teacher consultant support services to center based schooling. For more information about our special education programs, please reach out to our special education office at (517) 706-4829.



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District Student & Family Handbook

The Okemos Public Schools 2025-2026 Handbook is a helpful guide for families, offering everything you need to know for a smooth school year. It includes information on daily routines, school schedules, communication, health and safety, technology use, and how to stay connected and involved. It's designed to support students and families every step of the way.



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