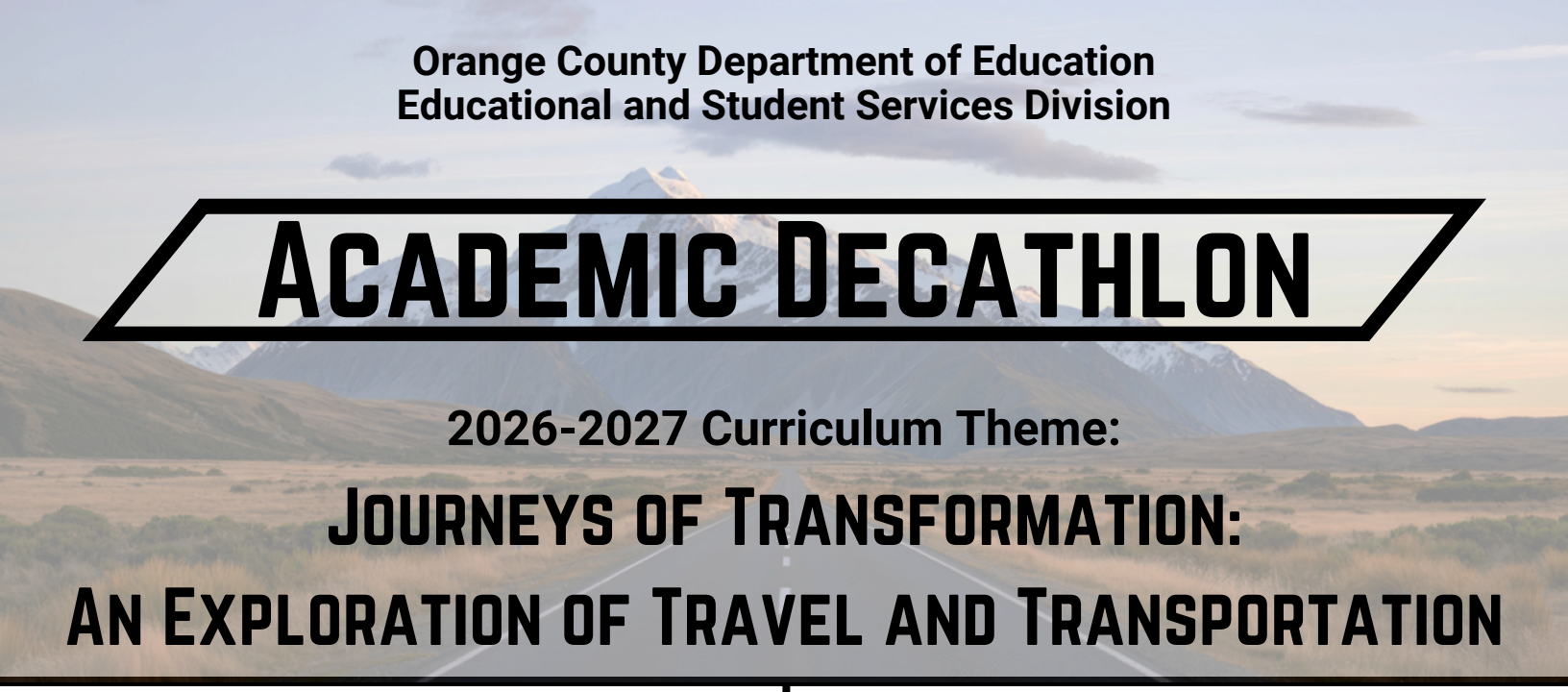


Orange County Department of Education
Educational and Student Services Division

ACADEMIC DECATHLON

2026-2027 Curriculum Theme:

JOURNEYS OF TRANSFORMATION:
AN EXPLORATION OF TRAVEL AND TRANSPORTATION

VIRTUAL
NEW COACH ORIENTATION
WEDNESDAY
SEPTEMBER 9, 2026
4:00 - 5:30 P.M.

Intended for new coaches/interested schools

Agenda

- What is OCAD?
- Who is Involved in OCAD?
- Recruiting a Team
- Scoring Overview
- Awards and Scholarship Opportunities

To register, visit:
https://tinyurl.com/NewCoachOCAD26

VIRTUAL
FALL COACH MEETING
MONDAY
SEPTEMBER 14, 2026
4:00 - 5:30 P.M.

Intended for all coaches

Agenda

- Review Program/Competition Dates
- Changes for the 2027 Competition
- Registration Procedures
- Scrimmage Information
- Strategies for a Successful Year

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