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Next Week's Lunches: Mon. 27th Sandwiches • Tue. 28th Pizza • Wed. 29th Vegeburgers • Thur. 30th Hot Dogs

Dates to remember:

- Nov. 20-24: Thanksgiving Break
- Dec. 5: Boys' Basketball Game @Fayetteville Christian 5:00P
- Dec. 14: Basketball games @OAA Girls: 4:30P Boys: 5:30P
- Dec. 15: OAS Christmas Program 7:30P at the Gentry SDA Church
- Dec. 16-17: Live Nativity 3:00-6:00P
- Dec. 20: Grades 5-8 Nursing Home Visit
- Dec. 21: HALF DAY – noon Dismissal
- Dec. 21: Christmas Vacation Begins at NOON
- Jan. 8: School Resumes

Kindergarten Mrs. Yossy Castillo



We had a very blessed week of prayer. We learned that we must bring good fruits into our lives to share with others and be like Jesus.

We also enjoyed a delicious Thanksgiving lunch, and the children enjoyed eating lunch with their families.

Please don't forget to wash your child's blanket and pillow over the break. Please bring them back on Monday 27th when we return to school.

I hope you enjoy the Thanksgiving break. Happy Thanksgiving!

3rd & 4th Grades Mrs. Eva Hill



Mrs. Hill is continuing on the road to recovery. Please continue to pray for her complete healing and for the Hill family as they care for her.

The 3rd and 4th graders are focused on several concepts this week:

Bible: David's diamond strengths

Math: Mental Math Multiplication

Reading: Main Ideas and Summarizing

Science: Human Body – Body Systems

Social Studies: Transportation and Communication (Past and Present)

Writing: Opinion Writing



Pre-K Mrs. Joanna Davis



We had a busy week. We had a wonderful Thanksgiving lunch and were extra blessed we got to eat with a family member.

We had a great week of prayer. We learned about the fruits of the Spirit. Thank you, Pastor Ryan Watson.



Our letter is R, and our number is 11.

I hope everyone has a wonderful Thanksgiving week. There is no school next week.

1st & 2nd Grades Mrs. Jamie Short



This week we worked hard and played hard. We took some time each day to read and answer questions about the first Thanksgiving. We made pumpkin spice, playdough turkeys and we solved math problems to save a turkey and win the class a prize.

We really appreciate Pastor Watson for coming and talking to us about the Fruits of the Spirit during Week of Prayer. I think we will all think about fruit just a little bit differently than we did before.

I hope that everyone has a wonderful Thanksgiving break. I am very grateful for all my wonderful students and families.

5th & 6th Grades Mrs. Tania Miller



Dear Parents/Guardians,

We had an uplifting week of prayer with Pastor Watson. He highlighted the fruits of the spirit, and the kids had a great time praising God with him!

Book reports for this month can be turned in after Thanksgiving break. Also, there will be no book report due for the month of December as it is a short month.

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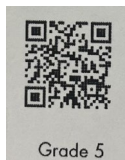
Next week there will be no school, enjoy your Thanksgiving break!

***Grade reports** have been sent out in student folders. Missing assignments are listed on the grade reports at the bottom. Students are encouraged to take home incomplete assignments this weekend and return them when we get back on Monday. Please sign the outside of the folder to show you received the grade report and graded papers for this week. You may keep the grade report at home.

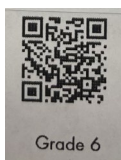
Reading: Please help your child do their very best in school and encourage them to read 20-30 minutes from their AR books every evening. 2nd quarter has started, and students are required to earn 10-15 points by the end of the quarter. An updated report on your child's AR points are sent home every Friday so you can see their progress.

Spelling words: Our new spelling program individualizes student learning. The students take a pre-test online at myzbportal.com and based on their results, their spelling list is determined. We take a pretest on Thursdays and send home your child's list in their Friday folder.

Please scan the barcode to access the spelling list and to practice with the online tutor. Select the diamond, square or circle depending on the list your child is assigned. (The shape will appear on the list sent home)



Grade 5



Grade 6

Bible treasure verse:

"The king was overjoyed and ordered that Daniel be lifted from the den. Not a scratch was found on him, for he had trusted in his God."

Daniel 6:23 NLT

Please do not hesitate to reach out if you have any questions or concerns. Have a great weekend! Blessings!

7th & 8th Grades Mr. Demetrius Bell



Week of Prayer:

Our hearts were lifted by Pastor Watson's inspiring messages and soul-touching melodies during our Week of Prayer. Through Pastor Watson's guidance, we delved deeper into understanding the intricate facets of the fruit of the Spirit. His messages were not just enlightening but also practical, leaving us with invaluable lessons to carry forward on our journey with Christ.

Celebrating Together:

In the spirit of togetherness, our class came together for a joyous celebration! The class party was a delightful moment of bonding and fun, a perfect prelude to the upcoming Thanksgiving Break. Laughter, camaraderie, and shared experiences strengthened the bonds among classmates, fostering a supportive and uplifting atmosphere.

Read-A-Thon for Community Service:

Our excitement knows no bounds as we gear up for the Read-A-Thon! This year, as we immerse ourselves in the world of books, we're not just enhancing our own knowledge and imagination but also extending a helping hand to senior citizens in our community with our goal of raising \$1,600. It's heartening to know that our love for reading will be a means to bring joy and companionship to others.

Gratitude and Thanksgiving:

As we anticipate the well-deserved Thanksgiving Break, our hearts overflow with gratitude for the blessings God has bestowed upon us. This break will be a time for rejuvenation, reflection, and quality time with loved ones. We're thankful for the opportunity to grow in our faith, surrounded by a community that supports and encourages our spiritual journey.

As we look ahead, OAS continues to beckon us to climb higher, to grow deeper in our faith in Christ. May this Thanksgiving season be a time of abundant blessings and joy for each and every one of us.



Mrs. Crystal Beierle



AR POINTS Kindergarten

1st Grade
Theo 10.2
Bailey S. 16.0
Eva M. 21.1

2nd Grade
Violet F. 15.0
Chevy R. 15.9
Vivienne A. 26.4

3rd Grade
Quinlyn H. 21.7

5th Grade
Parson D. 11.3
Emily C. 18.3
Kinsley E. 25.9

6th Grade
Kaeli D. 29.1

7th Grade
Elijah J. 20.1

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4th Grade

Cruz J. 10.2

Jai'el B. 15.4

Melody J. 20.0

Julianna M. 82.4

8th Grade

Brayden L. 1.6

Lillian N. 1.8

Dregan O. 10.0

Home & School




We hope everyone has a wonderful Thanksgiving filled with gratitude, love, and happiness!






It's time to start collecting money. We are raising money for Kindness at Heart. Let's see how many people we can help. One of the things our money will go toward is wheelchair-accessible walk-in showers and much more.

STEAM TEAM



 Please congratulate our STEAM Team for their success at the Bentonville SDA/FLL scrimmage. There were 18 teams that competed in Sunday's scrimmage.

Our Skyhawks white team won 1st on the robotics table, ending with 250 points. They  also won 3rd for their robot design. 

Our Skyhawks Blue team won 1st for their innovation project! And they finished 4th on the robotics table. 

Both teams worked hard and participated well!

"FROM CHRISTMAS TO THE CROSS"

FREE, Live, Walk-Through Nativity @ Ozark Adventist Academy

Saturday, Dec. 16 from 3-6 PM

Sunday, Dec. 17 from 3-6 PM

If your child would like to participate, we would love to have them be in the nativity. We will have one rehearsal on Sunday, December 10. If you have any questions, you can contact Judy Fetters @ (804)874-9430. We hope you can join us for a wonderful way to begin the CHRISTmas season!



WE WILL BE COLLECTING NON-PERISHABLE FOOD ITEMS FOR A LOCAL FOOD PANTRY

From Christmas to the Cross

WALK-THROUGH NATIVITY with Live Animals

Saturday, Dec 16 from 3:00p - 6:00p

Free Sunday, Dec 17 from 3:00p - 6:00p

Ozark Adventist Academy Campus
20997 Dawn Hill East Road
Gentry, AR 72734
(804) 874-9430

Take a guided tour through 12 scenes – from the streets of Bethlehem to Calvary. Jesus' birth, life, crucifixion and resurrection come alive with a cast of over 100 and live animals. Golf carts available for those who need assistance.

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