



BLUE OAK SCHOOL

A WALDORF-INSPIRED PUBLIC CHARTER (K-8)

THE ACORN – WEEK OF JANUARY 25TH, 2020



MEAL PICK UP FOR DISTANCE LEARNERS

Available at Oak Bridge Academy located on the Chico Mall

Curbside Meal Pick-Up

Breakfast & Lunch Sack Meals

Monday-Friday

11:00AM – 1:00PM

THIS MONTH'S VIRTUE: WISDOM

SOCIAL JUSTICE CORNER

In the social justice realm, the value of "wisdom" means acknowledging that we don't know everything. It means staying curious and asking questions. It means believing others lived experiences even when they seem very different from our own. In order to gain wisdom, we must take responsibility for our own anti-racist education and seek out the voices of Black, Indigenous, and People of Color (BIPOC) in books, art, music, etc. Parents, you can find books and resources at [The Conscious Kid](#), you can listen to [The Good Ancestor Podcast](#), and you can read news from the BIPOC perspective at [Color Lines](#).

SPIRIT WEEK

This whole week we are celebrating Spirit Week. We can't wait to see your most creative outfits:

Monday – Tie Dye/Rainbow Day

Tuesday – >>Inside Out Day<<

✦Wednesday – Sparkle + Shine Day✦

Thursday!! – Sports Day!!

Friday – PJ Day

FOUR YEAR ANNIVERSARY

This week marks the fourth year that Susan Domenighini has been Executive Director for Blue Oak. To show our gratitude, here are some kind words from our staff and faculty:

"I want to thank Susan for her 4 years of thoughtful, compassionate and intelligent leadership of our school. She is unwaveringly dedicated to the success of the students, the staff and the school. She has seen Blue Oak through SO much and I am beyond grateful to have had her at the helm. I have

served as faculty co-chair for 3 years. I am immensely grateful for this opportunity for many reasons but one of the biggest joys has been working so closely with Susan. She has helped me grow so much as an educator, colleague and a leader." – *Brianna Lee*

"Susan Domenighini has the biggest heart when it comes to the teachers at our school. She absolutely trusts in their ability to teach a high quality and rigorous education. Susan cares deeply for our school and keeps the children in her heart as she makes impactful decisions on a daily basis. I couldn't imagine what these last four years would have been like without Susan guiding us through." – *Ally Welch*

"Susan has faced so many challenges in her short time here. Her grit has played a huge part in how she has supported this school. Her determination and her heart have guided her in her leadership. She has made hard decisions for the greater good and we are so grateful for her dedication. Thank you Susan for sticking with us and not giving up!" – *Maggie Buckley*

MATERIAL DISTRIBUTION

Next Material Distribution Date:

Monday, January 25th

4:30PM – 5:30PM

UPCOMING EVENTS

02/02 – Parent Council Meeting
(6:00PM)

02/03 – School Tour (9:30AM)

02/04 – School Tour (4:30PM)