



BLUE OAK SCHOOL

A WALDORF-INSPIRED PUBLIC CHARTER (K-8)

THE ACORN – WEEK OF FEBRUARY 16TH, 2021

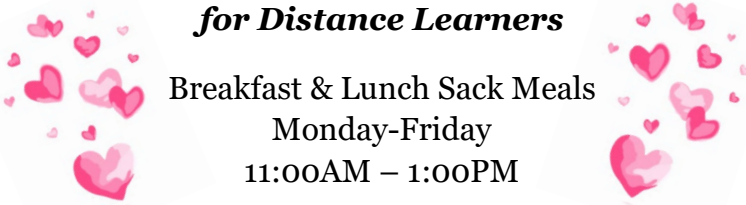
MATERIAL DISTRIBUTION

Next Material Distribution Date:
Monday, February 22nd
4:30PM – 5:30PM

CURBSIDE MEAL PICK-UP

**Available at Oak Bridge Academy
for Distance Learners**

Breakfast & Lunch Sack Meals
Monday-Friday
11:00AM – 1:00PM



STUDENTS MASKS

Friendly reminder - We encourage every family to ensure their student is wearing a mask *before* they come to campus. We know mornings can be hectic, and sometimes this small item can be forgotten in the rush, but wearing a mask is vital to ensure your students safety and the safety of those around them. We deeply appreciate your diligence to help keep our Blue Oak community safe!

INSPIRE INFO

Interested in looking at what Inspire School of Arts & Science has to offer your 8th Grader?

Check out the document attached to this post to find videos and other helpful information to learn more about Inspire high school.



TEACHER CORNER

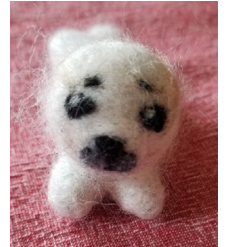
Please enjoy these sweet updates from a few of our Blue Oak teachers:

Miss Sarah Eblin, our wonderful Middle School Handwork teacher, on her 7th Grade students' progress:

“These students have taken an active role in planning their handwork curriculum. They discuss what skills they'd like to learn, what projects they'd like to make and what tools they will need.

So far they've really enjoyed sculpture. We started with soap carving, sketching a blueprint to follow and gathering DIY tools from home.

We are just finishing up an advanced needle felting sculpture, building on the skills learned in our soap carving project and taking a step forward to relate each layer in our wool sculpture to the skeleton, muscles and fat, and finally the skin and hair of the animal being created.”



Ms. Sarah Lee, our fabulous Third Grade teacher, on a beautiful moment from her class last week:

“We took advantage of the sunshine and did our math outside. We were completing a page in their book; when they were done, they were allowed to have some free play. This student made multiplication arrays with found flowers and “pokey balls.”



BLACK HISTORY MONTH

In honor of Black History Month, Ms. Claire Fong, our lovely Lower Grades Handwork teacher, has been sharing the work of inspirational Black textile artists and fashion designers with some of her students. This has been a nice way to link handwork with discussions about how celebrating diversity makes our world a more interesting and beautiful place. If you would like to take a look at the slideshow she has been using, you can view it by opening the PDF attached to this post.

THIS MONTH'S VIRTUE: COMPASSION

“Love and compassion are necessities, not luxuries. Without them, humanity cannot survive.”

UPCOMING EVENTS

02/16 – Charter Council Meeting
(6:00PM)