

The Lion's Pride

Oviedo High School's Monthly Newsletter

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From the Principal's Desk

Dear Parents:

Oviedo High School's Open House on August 29 was well attended and a huge success. We thank each and every one of you who took time out of your busy schedule to come out and meet your child's teachers. Parental involvement is a key component to academic success.

"Lion GRIT" is Oviedo High School's theme this year. GRIT is an acronym for **G**uts, **R**esilience, **I**nitiative, **T**enacity. These are qualities that we feel students should acquire to be successful in everyday life. With your help, we hope to inspire all of our students to reach their goals. As we begin the school year our students must come to school prepared to learn each day! Please encourage your children to set goals for themselves to reach their full potential. We have the finest academic, athletic, and art programs in place to ensure success for all students. The student must take advantage of these programs to prepare for life after high school. Our mission statement says it best: "The mission of Oviedo High School is to ensure all students learn in a multi-faceted environment that prepares them to become competent and productive citizens, excelling in their educational and work place pursuits." Help us help them by being involved in their "school life" by mentoring, becoming a Dividend, joining our booster clubs or by simply applauding their efforts in academics, athletics and the arts. Join us in the journey toward excellence in education.

Sincerely,

Joe Trybus
Principal

Important Dates

PSAT (Gr. 9-11)	Oct. 10
SAT School Day (Gr. 12)	Oct. 10
Homecoming Game	Nov. 2
Homecoming Dance	Nov. 3
Thanksgiving Break	Nov. 19-23
Winter Break	Dec. 21-Jan. 4
SAT School Day (Gr. 11)	Mar. 6
Spring Break	Mar. 18-22
Prom (Hyatt Grand Cypress)	Apr. 6
AP Exams	May 6-17
Graduation Date	TBD
Last Day of School	May 28

PSAT/SAT Information

The 2018 PSAT (for grades 9-11) and the SAT School Day for 12th graders will be administered on Wednesday, October 10, 2018 during the regular school day. There will be no cost associated with the PSAT for grades 9-11, or the SAT for Seniors. ZAPS will be providing a PSAT/SAT seminar on our campus for students interested in preparing for the exam on Saturday, September 29, 2018. See the information below or the flyer attached to the newsletter.

ZAPS Test-Prep Seminar
PSAT/SAT (Open to all grade levels)
Oviedo High School Media Center
Saturday, September 29, 2018
9am-3pm
Seminar fee \$95.00
Register at www.doorwaytocollege.com or call 877-927-8378

College Planning and Information Night

All parents and students are invited to attend our College Information Night at 6:30 p.m. on Thursday, September 27, in the OHS Gerald Cassanova Auditorium. The Guidance Department is hosting this evening session to help parents understand high school graduation requirements, college admissions, testing, the Bright Futures Scholarship Program, and other scholarship opportunities. This program is for all grade levels.

"O-Glow"

It's back, and better than ever! O-Glow is an epic celebration to a great start of the 2018-2019 school year. Mark your calendar for Friday, September 14. O-Glow will be in the Old Gym from 7:30-10:00 p.m. It follows the Powder Puff game which runs from 6:00-7:00 p.m. All students are invited to participate in this fun event. Tickets go on sale on Tuesday September 4, and will be sold through Friday September 14. Tickets are available September 10-13 (\$20) and Sept 14 (\$25).

Oviedo High School - September 2018

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Scholarship Updates

Beginning in September, seniors and parents of seniors will receive a weekly Skyward blast of the Scholarship Updates. This update will include information about scholarships with approaching deadlines as an encouragement to seniors to apply. Although most scholarships target seniors, many are available to underclassmen as well. Everyone is encouraged to go to the OHS website > Guidance > Scholarship Info to access this important information.

PTSA "Reflections" National Arts Award Program

Calling all creative Oviedo students! The PTSA "Reflections" National Arts Award Program/Competition begins this week. The 2018-2019 theme is "Heroes Around Me". There are 6 different creative categories: dance choreography, film production, literature, music composition, photography and visual arts. Applications are available in the front office. The deadline for submission of your original, creative, themed piece is November 2, 2018. For questions or more information, please contact Kelly Des Marais at 850-491-8091 or visit the National PTA website at www.pta.org/reflections.

Situational Awareness – It is a Safety Issue

Please partner with us and talk to you students. Ask them to be aware of what is going on around them. If they see something, say something, do something. Students walk around campus with earbuds in both ears. While we are not asking them to limit or prohibit the use of cell phones or electronic devices, we ask them to leave one earbud out so that they can hear our communications on campus.

Assist us by registering your student's cellular phone number in Skyward. It would help us reach as many people as possible (including students) during an emergency or code red situation.

Support Lion Athletics – Donate Clothes!

Don't throw away-recycle your items to directly benefit our Lion athletes. Look for the Re-Use America collection box in the front parking lot in front of the Auditorium. This is where you can donate new or reusable clothes, shoes, purses, belts, caps, accessories, backpacks, bed sheets, and small toys. Re-use America collects the items and sends a monthly check to athletics which is used to support all our athletic programs.

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2018-2019

HEROES AROUND ME

**Call for
Entries!**

Learn more and get involved!
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PTA
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The poster features a colorful geometric background with icons for dance, music, film, and photography.

MONEY FOR COLLEGE

**Are you a senior in high school, or the parent of a senior?
Join us to learn how to navigate the financial aid process.
Choose the time and location convenient for YOU.**

Lake Brantley High School
Financial Aid Night
9/12/2018 5 pm
991 Sand Lake Road
Altamonte Springs, FL 32714

Crooms Academy
Financial Aid Night
9/20/2018 6:30 pm
2200 West 13th Street
Sanford, FL 32771

Winter Springs High School
Financial Aid Night
9/27/2018 6:30 pm
130 Tuskawilla Road
Winter Springs, FL 32708

Oviedo High School
Financial Aid Night
10/9/2018 6:00 pm
601 King Street
Oviedo, FL 327965

Lyman High School
Financial Aid Night
10/18/2018 5:30 pm
865 S. Ronald Reagan Blvd.
Longwood, FL 32750

**Need help to complete the FAFSA form?
Come to one of our open labs for assistance.**

Lake Brantley High School
FAFSA Lab
10/3/2018 5 pm
991 Sand Lake Road
Altamonte Springs, FL 32714

Winter Springs High School
FAFSA Lab
10/4/2018 6:30 pm
130 Tuskawilla Road
Winter Springs, FL 32708

Educational Support Center
FAFSA Lab
10/11/2018 6 pm
400 E. Lake Mary Blvd.
Sanford, FL 32773

Lake Howell High School
FAFSA Lab
10/17/2018 6 pm
4200 Dike Road
Winter Park, FL 32792

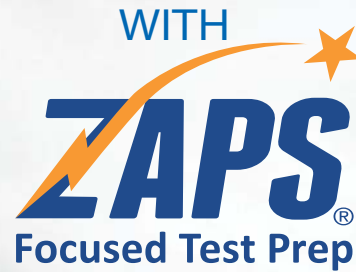
Educational Support Center
FAFSA Lab
10/19/2018 6 pm
400 E. Lake Mary Blvd.
Sanford, FL 32773

Seminole State College
FAFSA Lab
(Hosted by Take Stock In Children)
10/24/2018 6 pm
100 Weldon Blvd.
Sanford, FL 32773

Oviedo High School
FAFSA Lab
10/25/2018 2:30 pm
601 King Street
Oviedo, FL 327965

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AND TRIO CONNECTIONS OF CENTRAL FLORIDA AT SEMINOLE STATE COLLEGE

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Oviedo High School

Saturday, September 29, 2018

Time: 9:00 AM–3:00 PM

Standard seminar fee: ~~\$129.99~~

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Register at

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