



Ogden International Weekly

December 20, 2017



WINTER BREAK- Have a restful break! Classes will resume on **Monday, January 8, 2018**. Students, be sure to organize & clean your lockers, especially by removing food items before the break.



STUDENT SERVICES PASS-

Students always MUST have a pass to visit Student Services. Your teacher will write you a pass. This is to ensure that you are not marked tardy or absent when in Student Services.

If you have questions or concerns please reach out to Mr. Sanchez, Ogden's Student Services Clerk, rsanchez116@cps.edu



SEMESTER 1 ENDS ON FEBRUARY 1, 2018

HIGH SCHOOL CREDIT REMINDER

You must receive a **passing cumulative grade** at the end of the 1st semester to receive the **½ credit**.

½ credit for the 1st semester

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½ credit for the 2nd semester

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1 credit for course

PROMOTION POLICY- All 6th and 8th graders should review the **2017-2018 CPS Elementary School Promotion Policy** Promotion decisions for students in **6th & 8th grades** will be made during the second week of June.

Promotion status and applicable summer school requirement(s) will be determined by the Spring 2018 NWEA scores in reading and math, followed by a review of the student's academic performance. All students must receive a passing score on The Constitution of the United States of America and The Constitution of the State of Illinois exams to receive an 8th grade diploma. You can review the CPS promotion policy at: <http://cps.edu/Pages/Gettingtothenextgrade.aspx>

ATTENTION 7th GRADERS- You will have an opportunity to go to **Washington D.C.** in **March of 2019** as Ogden 8th graders! You can begin planning ahead by attending a brief meeting on **Thursday, December 21st, at 6pm @ the East Campus.**

You will learn about how you can begin to pay for the trip on a monthly basis, along with other pertinent details. There is limited space, so RSVP at <https://goo.gl/t7bznc>




THE OGDEN INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL OF CHICAGO

West Campus Attendance Incentive

Enter for a chance to win \$100 worth of Ogden Wear each month!!!!

Every student who obtains perfect attendance each month will be entered into a drawing. The drawing will be held on the first Monday of every month.

*NO EXCLUDED OR UNEXCUSED ABSENCES

HAMILTON- Last Wednesday around 75 Ogden International sophomores went to go see Hamilton the musical. And, before the actual performance, Ogden's very own **Oz Yagnas** was asked to perform a rap he wrote about George Washington to a packed theater! Thanks to **Mr. Matt Baker**, Individuals and Societies Teacher for making this happen for Oz and the students!



DEADLINE FRIDAY- CURRENT OGDEN 8TH GRADERS WHO CHOOSE TO COME TO OGDEN INTERNATIONAL FOR 9TH GRADE **DO NOT NEED TO APPLY TO OGDEN** THROUGH GOCPS. JUST MAKE SURE YOU SUBMIT THE LETTER OF INTENT TO MR. CAMPILLO OR MR. RIBAUDO. HOWEVER, IF 8TH GRADERS ARE PLANNING TO APPLY TO A CPS HIGH SCHOOL BESIDES OGDEN INTERNATIONAL, GOCPS IS THE PLACE TO APPLY. THESE APPLICATIONS ARE DUE ON **FRIDAY, DECEMBER 22!** FOR HELP, CONTACT THE CPS OFFICE OF ACCESS AND ENROLLMENT: [773-553-2060](tel:773-553-2060) OR AT GO.CPS.EDU.



ORDER YOUR YEARBOOK!

It's time to purchase your 2017-2018 yearbook online! Just go to Jostens.com and search: *Ogden International Middle School* or *Ogden International High School*



PLEASE REMEMBER TO WALK ON THE RIGHT SIDE OF THE HALLWAY & TO PUT AWAY ALL HATS, CELLPHONES, FOOD & EARPHONES WHILE IN THE HALLS.

YEAR-TO-DATE ATTENDANCE	6 th Grade	7 th Grade	8 th Grade	9 th Grade	10 th Grade	11 th Grade	12 th Grade
Goal: 98% at each grade	96.19 %	96.79 %	95.83 %	96.31 %	95.75 %	94.38 %	94.37 %



EXTRA-CURRICULAR

NWEA PREP COURSE-

Ogden students can take *Test Prep Chicago's* 8-week course at the West Campus. The course will take place at the West Campus in Spring. See flyer:

TEST PREP CHICAGO
The Best Prep Section

Test Prep Chicago offers classes and private tutoring to prepare 7th and 8th grade students for high school entrance exams.

7th Grade NWEA MAP Prep Course at Ogden Elementary (West Campus)

Receiving high scores on the NWEA MAP exams is critical for gaining admission to Chicago's best high schools. Let Test Prep Chicago help you get there!

Our 8-Week Course includes:
Diagnosis and final tests to measure ability and achievement
Personalized test result analysis that outlines areas for focus and study goals
Weekly online homework to reinforce NWEA MAP challenges and topics covered in class
Weekly correspondence with parents that includes homework results and student progress

Location: Ogden Elementary (West Campus)
1200 W. 54th St., Chicago, IL 60642

Time: Mondays, 3:45PM - 5:45 PM
Tuition: \$400 (+\$275 for in-class instruction)

Schedule:

Monday, March 12	Session 1 - Diagnostic Test
Monday, March 19	Session 2
No class on Monday, March 26 (Spring Break)	
Monday, April 2	Session 3
Monday, April 9	Session 4
Monday, April 16	Session 5
Monday, April 23	Session 6
Monday, April 30	Session 7
Monday, May 7	Session 8 - Final Test

To register for the course, please visit www.tpcprep.com
Email tpc@tpcprep.com or call (773) 221-9115 with questions.

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Students: Do you have any sports photos or stories? Send them to Mr. Ribaud, ndribaudo@cps.edu at the Ogden International Weekly or Ogden's Athletic Director, Mr. Short: dshort@cps.edu

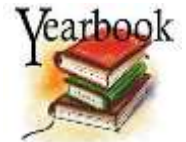
Ogden's complete athletic calendar for all middle and high school sports can be found on Ogden's website: <http://ogden.cps.edu/ms--hs-athletics.html>

Date	Time	Team	Vs.	Location
Wednesday, December 20	5:00 pm	HS Boys Varsity Basketball	Chicago Academy	1010 W Chicago
	6:30 pm	HS Boys Junior Varsity Basketball	Chicago Academy	1010 W Chicago

6th GRADE BASKETBALL- Ogden's 6th Grade Boys team (The Ogden Warriors) are 3-0 and in 1st Place in their division! Overall the boys are getting better and playing well together. Their next game is after the holiday break on January 13, 2018 at 1:00 pm vs. Skinner North at Wells HS, 939 N. Ashland.



MIDDLE SCHOOL YEARBOOK- Attention middle schoolers! Do you like to record memories? Are you interested in preserving Ogden's 2017-2018 school year for all to see? Then come to Mr. Wagner's Room 2001 on Thursdays to help him and the Yearbook Club with this year's middle school yearbook.



OPPORTUNITIES & RESOURCES



ART OPPORTUNITY- The School of the Art Institute of Chicago's (SAIC) Middle School Program, for children ages 10-13, offers a rigorous investigation into art and design materials, techniques, and ideas. Whether they're interested in drawing, painting, fashion, digital design, animation, architecture, or sculpture, our courses are designed to broaden students' education so they can be successful creative thinkers and makers in high school and beyond. They are offering the following courses for the Spring of 2018:
Fashion Studio- introduces designers to fashion and discovering their own style
3D Animation Studio- learn the basics of 3D animation and sound
Video Game Design- students use traditional and digital media to design games
Advanced Drawing Studio- focus on drawing as a tool for organizing thoughts
One of Ogden's very own 7th graders, Yianna Siebold, is an artist in their program!



FEED THE HUNGRY THIS WINTER- Volunteer at the Greater Chicago Food Depository! They have several volunteer opportunities available for kids and adults at their facility **4100 W. Ann Lurie Place, Chicago, IL 60632**. Volunteers can: *Food Repack, Repack bulk products into individual and family-sized portions, Prepare boxes with an assortment of food, Check expiration dates on donated food items, Sort fresh produce items, Label and gather donations.* They work with individual volunteers and large groups during repack sessions, Tuesdays through Saturdays. Participants must be at least 14 years old and may volunteer when accompanied by an adult over age 18. Kids Days are offered monthly. Families and groups of 20 or fewer are welcome with one child per adult so kids ages 5-13 may volunteer. Check their calendar for special repack sessions during summer and winter breaks. For more information go to: www.chicagosfoodbank.org/volunteer/
Meet new people, have fun and make a real impact to the community!



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