



# OLIVEIRA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

**School Year 2018/2019**

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**Office Hours:** 7:45 a.m.—3:45 p.m.

[www.fremont.k12.ca.us](http://www.fremont.k12.ca.us) (District web site)

[www.fremont.k12.ca.us/oliveira](http://www.fremont.k12.ca.us/oliveira) (Oliveira site)



**February 2019**



## EAGLE DATES TO REMEMBER



### February/March Upcoming Events

Day	Date	Event	Time	Location
Tues.	2/5/2019	<b>Parent Café- Increase Emotional Intelligence</b>	<b>6:00 p.m.</b>	<b>MUR</b>
Weds.	2/6/2019	Early Release 1:15 pm. Grades 1 - 6		
		Friendship Days for PM Kindergarten & TK		
Tues.	2/12/2019	PTA Meeting—Founder's Day	6:30 p.m.	MUR
Weds.	2/13/2019	Early Release 1:15 pm. Grades 1 - 6		
Fri.	2/15/2019	PTA Sweetheart Dance	6 p.m.	MUR
Thurs.	2/14/2019	Show Your Love for Oliveira—Spirit Day Wear Red/Pink/White		
Thurs.	2/21/2019	ELAC Coffee Hour--All Welcome!	8 - 9 a.m.	MUR
Mon.	2/18/2019	No School--President's Day		
Weds.	2/20/2019	Early Release 1:15 pm. Grades 1 - 6		
Mon. - Fri.	2/25-3/8/19	Golden Sneaker Contest--Walk, Roll, Scoot, Skate or Bus to School		
Weds.	2/27/2019	Early Release 1:15 pm. Grades 1 - 6		
Fri.	3/1/2019	PTA Reading Night	6 p.m.	MUR
Weds.	3/6/2019	Early Release 1:15 pm. Grades 1 - 6		
		Friendship Days for PM Kindergarten & TK		

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**Oliveira Office**  
Open Monday—Friday  
7:45 a.m.—3:45 p.m.

**Every Day-Counts!**



**Call in your child's absence every day-leave message before 9 a.m.**

1. Call the school  
510-797-1135

2. **Press 7**  
or ext. 54901

3. Leave child's  
-Name  
-Grade  
-Room number  
-Reason for Absence  
-Your name & relationship  
(mom/dad/guardian)

### **Oliveira families and students:**

Parents/guardians/caregivers/daycare drivers—remember, no parking in the red zone outside the kinder yard when dropping off students. Cars may not park along the red curb—this is a no parking zone at all times. Support our community by parking on the street and walking your child to class—studies show that children who exercise before school can learn more effectively.

Cars parked in the red NO PARKING cause a backup and confusion for families trying to use the valet for its purpose--drop-off. It is not safe to park in the red zone and creates a frustrating bottleneck for others trying to drop their students off at school. Staff have been reminding their families about not parking in the red zone with a variety of communication methods. Parents and guardians—model good citizenship and be supportive of our administrators when they are asking you move forward, and obey the no parking zone.

**Thank you to all of the students who bike, scoot, skate and bus to school—you are doing a great job of WALKING your wheels on school property!**

—Mrs. Linda Anderson, Principal

—Mr. Jeff Downing, Asst. Principal

## FUSD Trait of the Month: Honesty

*Character Counts! The Eight Great Traits*

- Planning and Decision Making ● Honesty ● Integrity ● Responsibility ●
- Citizenship ● Respect for Others ● Caring ● Problem Solving ●

**Reduce Traffic congestion—Walk & Roll to school.** The Golden Sneaker Contest is coming 2/26—thank you OAC members and advisor Mrs. Monkman for coordinating. Parents, your child's mode of travel will be tallied daily—avoid car use please! 🚲



For new neighbors who need to register their children for school, please direct them to [www.fremont.k12.ca.us](http://www.fremont.k12.ca.us) to learn the Who, What and When of the enrollment process.

## Information from Fremont Unified School District

### 2019-2020 School Year Enrollment Update

Enrollment for new students for the 2019-2020 school year has begun.

Priority enrollment for new TK and Kindergarten students for 2019-2020 began January 14, 2019 and runs through February 22, 2019. Please see the Fremont Unified School District web site ([www.fremont.k12.ca.us](http://www.fremont.k12.ca.us)), under Enrollment, for more information and instructions.

All other TK-6<sup>th</sup> grade enrollments will begin April 1, 2019. Please refer to the Fremont Unified School District web site ([www.fremont.k12.ca.us](http://www.fremont.k12.ca.us)) under Enrollment for more information and instructions.

Registration information for current 6th graders going on to Junior High: Students will learn about 7th Grade Registration during an in-school assemblies on February 22nd. Your child's Sixth Grade Teacher will provide more information.

**\*AT WHAT AGE MAY MY CHILD START KINDERGARTEN? IS MY CHILD ELIGIBLE FOR TK?**

—To be eligible for Kindergarten for the FALL 2019-2020 School Year, your child's birth date must fall between these dates: 9/02/13 – 9/1/14. Your child must be five years old by September 1, 2019.

—To be eligible for TK (Transitional Kindergarten) your child must be turning 5 years old in 2019 and their birthday must be between these dates: 9/2/14 – 12/2/14. Students born after 12/2/14 are not eligible for TK and may attend Kindergarten next school year beginning 2020-2021.

Enrollment for CONTINUING STUDENTS: Residence Verification forms will be mailed by Fremont Unified School District around February 12th to families of current TK-5th grade students. Watch for the white envelope with the bright sticker. Please complete the form, attach required documents, and return to the school your child is currently attending. Failure to return the form may result a drop from enrollment.

**Please check the Fremont Unified School District website [www.fremont.k12.ca.us](http://www.fremont.k12.ca.us) for detailed Fall Enrollment Information.**

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### The Math Test for 7th Grade Placement

The Math Test for 7th Grade Placement (formerly known as the 6th Grade Math Placement Test) is now an online assessment. The test, made up of two parts, will be administered at elementary schools between April 8 and April 17, 2019. Results from both parts of the test, along with district assessment results, and 2018 and 2019 Smarter Balanced (SBAC) math scores, will be considered for math placement in junior high and middle school. For more information, please visit the Math Homepage (<https://www.fremont.k12.ca.us/Page/139>).

### El Examen de Matemáticas para la Colocación de 7º Grado

El Examen de Matemáticas para la Colocación de 7º Grado (anteriormente llamada Prueba de colocación de matemáticas del 6º grado) es ahora una evaluación en línea. La prueba, formada por dos partes, se administrará en las escuelas entre el 8 de abril y el 17 de abril de 2019. Los resultados de ambas partes de la prueba, junto con los resultados de la evaluación del distrito y las puntuaciones del examen Smarter Balanced (SBAC) de matemática de los años 2018 y 2019, serán considerados para la colocación de matemáticas en la escuela intermedia y secundaria. Para más información, por favor visite la página de matemáticas (<https://www.fremont.k12.ca.us/Page/139>).

### 七年級數學分班測驗

七年級數學分班測驗（以前稱為六年級數學分班考試）將在電腦上進行。該測驗由兩部分組成，將於 2019 年 4 月 8 日至 4 月 17 日期間在學校進行。兩個部分的測驗結果，學區評估結果及 2018 和 2019 的 SBAC 成績，將被用於考慮安排初中和中學的數學課。有關更多資料，請到訪學區網站的數學主頁 (<https://www.fremont.k12.ca.us/Page/139>)。

## Thank You Oliveira!

Thank you so much for hosting a food and toy drive for Tri City Volunteers during the 2018 Holiday Season. The 8 plus over-flowing barrels of food and toys the students, teachers, staff and community donated were distributed directly to our clients. For the month of December, TCV distributed 13,209 meals and distributed toys to 792 children of our registered clients. Your efforts had a direct impact on the lives of those less fortunate in our community.

—Taylor Johnson, Executive Director

## Young Composers Contest



Congratulations Shreyas K. for being the Oliveira Winner of the Young Composers' Contest. The musical director was impressed with the quality of your composition. Thank you to Ms. Rahman for coordinating the entries from Oliveira.

## FUSD Spelling Bee

Glenmoor hosted the FUSD Bee this year and Nancy, Grade 6 from Mrs. Tilghman's class, earned Fourth Place out of 54 spellers!  
**Congratulations!**



Aruna, Grade 5 from Mrs. Newton's class, also represented Oliveira and stayed through the whole bee to support Nancy. Cheer for Nancy at the County Spelling Bee on March 16th. Go Eagles!



## Oliveira Basketball 2018-2019

Thank you Coach Renteria, Coach Washington and Coach Anderson for your efforts with the Oliveira Eagles. Thank you families for supporting transportation to practices and games, and cheering our Eagles!

Go Eagles!

vs	Date	Location	Home Team	Girls/Boys
Patterson	Weds., Feb. 13, 2019	Patterson	Oliveira	3:30 / 4:30
Brookvale	Weds., Feb. 20, 2019	Brookvale	Brookvale	3:30 / 4:30
Ardenwood	Weds., Feb. 27, 2019	Ardenwood	Ardenwood	3:30 / 4:30

## Important Dates and Resources for 2019 Science and Engineering Fair:

- 1- The Science and Engineering contest is open to all students TK-8 (For Oliveira TK-6)
- 2- The Science and Engineering Fair rules booklet is accessible online by following these steps:

Go to the FUSD Home page

Select "About & Departments" (Highlighted in Blue)

Select "Departments at District Directory"

Select "Elementary Education"

Select "Science & Engineering Fair"

Choose your version (i.e. English, Mandarin or Spanish)

Students who do not have access to the Internet at home will be given a hard copy of the booklet.

3- All projects are due to the classroom teachers on **March 8, 2019**

4- Oliveira Science Fair Exhibition is on **April 12, 2019**

5- **May 10, 2019**, Winners projects must be sent to Centerville Junior High to be considered for the district contest

6- **May 11, 2019**, District Science Fair at Centerville Junior High

Here are some online resources that can be helpful for science fair projects ideas:

1- Science Buddies: <https://www.sciencebuddies.org>

2- Science Fair Projects in another one: <http://www.sciencefair-projects.org/>

3- Science Snacks: <https://www.exploratorium.edu/snacks/>

4- Environmental Inquiry: <http://ei.cornell.edu/topics.html>

For any other information, please contact

Dr. Eklou-Boccovi, Oliveira Science Specialist by emailing [eeklouboccovi@fremont.k12.ca.us](mailto:eeklouboccovi@fremont.k12.ca.us)

**Thank you for encouraging and supporting our students in this contest.**



## Honesty is the Trait of the Month

Parents & Guardians can support Oliveira staff and students by talking about the below to extend Honesty into our homes and community.

**Definitions:** the quality of being fair and truthful

**Synonyms:** Truthfulness, integrity, uprightness, virtue, decency, righteousness, fairness, justice, sincerity, morality,

- Students ask parents to share a time when someone did something kind to/or for them.
- Draw a picture of something that someone did for you (student) and share it with your parents.
- Think of something your family can do together to help someone else or your community.

**Honesty is more than not lying. It is truth telling, truth speaking, truth living, and truth loving.**

~James E. Faust

**Please come to  
Oliveira's First Parent Cafe  
TONIGHT Tuesday, February 5th  
6 pm to 8 pm Oliveira MUR**

**INCREASING YOUR CHILD'S  
EMOTIONAL INTELLIGENCE**

### WHAT ARE PARENT CAFÉ'S?

Parent Cafés provide a space for parents and caregivers to interact with each other about various themes that are important to building and maintaining strong, healthy families. The purpose of Parent Cafés is to strengthen the 5 Protective Factors while teaching parents about them through deep self-reflection and peer-to-peer learning. Café themes support the protective factors and provide a framework for parents to relate them to their own lives.

### WHY SHOULD YOU COME TO A PARENT CAFÉ?

- Get ideas for managing the challenges of parenting
- Build friendships and get support from other parents – while getting a little break!
- Grow into a stronger and more flexible parent/caregiver
- Get some time to reflect on your family, and how important you are, as a parent

### WHO CAN ATTEND PARENT CAFÉ'S?

Anyone in a parenting role! Moms, dads, relative caregivers, aunts, uncles, foster parents, etc. are welcome!

### WHAT ABOUT CHILDCARE AND SNACKS?

Childcare and snacks are provided FREE of charge.

## Information Corner for Families of Sixth Graders

### \*\*\*Tdap Immunization Requirement for 7th Grade\*\*

Students will not be allowed to attend classes in the fall of 2019 without a shot record of a Tdap booster. Make an after-school appointment for Tdap with your physician if your child has yet to have the immunization.

### Oliveira has 48.76 percent of the Sixth Grade students compliant as of February 1st—Thank you Parents—Keep making appointments and turning in the documents!

- See 7th Grade Math Placement Test information on Page 2 of this newsletter.
- TJHS Administrators will be at Oliveira to provide registration information and forms on February 22nd. Students will bring their registration form home for parent input and signatures. Students will have 3 or 4 days to return the form to their Sixth Grade Teacher. Use the Traits of Planning & Decision Making, Responsibility and Respect for Others to be ready with Residency Verification documents to attach to the registration, complete the form properly and return BEFORE the deadline. Oliveira's Sixth Grade Teachers appreciate your support with this process!
- Students who will attend another Junior High other than Thornton. Registration forms will be sent home with your students—please complete and return to your 6th grade teacher.

### TODDLERS AND SIBLINGS AT SCHOOL

According to district Policy (BP 1240), siblings are not allowed to join FUSD students on field trips due to liability issues. In addition, siblings and toddlers are not allowed on campus while you are volunteering or at school events during the instructional day, as the classrooms are not toddler proof. This is for the safety of all children. Thank you for your cooperation.

### Donations and Lunches...use the online option!

Remember, you can pay for school lunches online using MySchoolbucks. You can also make a classroom donation, a field trip donation or donate to the library, science, music, computer lab or even PE! If you lost a textbook or library book, the payment should be made through MySchoolbucks.



*After School Band News*



Beginning & Intermediate Bands are practicing and improving. Musicians are working on remembering to bring their instruments, music and a pencil to every Wednesday Band Class. Thank you Mr. Downing and Mrs. Anderson for supervising the Intermediate students in the courtyard while the beginners have their class.

—Mr. Ben Benavides

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