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Oshki Ogimaag Charter School

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Boozhoo Oshki families,

Cold Weather has arrived! We do go outside for recess, hikes and outdoor learning. It is IMPORTANT that your student wears their warm clothing EVERY DAY. This time of year, that includes Coats, Hats and Mittens. If there is SNOW, then Boots and Snow Pants should be worn.

Thank you to those that were able to have a conference with your child's teacher. If you were not able to schedule it earlier this month, please call your child's teacher before or after school to schedule a conference. Conferences are a very important part or your child's education.

Students are practicing for our Holiday program! They are so excited to perform for their family!! The program will once again be held outside, it will be festive event. Watch for more information coming soon.

Please stay safe and healthy. We work hard at OOCS to keep staff and students safe and healthy during the school day and hope that you do the same for your family and friends.

If you have questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me at director@oshkiogimaag.org

Miigwech, Carmen Keyport Executive Director

Ms. Jeana- K-1 The kindergarteners and the first graders have been working hard in math and reading. The kindergarteners are starting to learn how to blend three letter words. The first graders have learned three new ending sounds (ing, ong, and ang). Both the kindergarteners and first graders just finished up their units in math. They are ready to move onto the next unit! We had an author come into our room to talk about some books she wrote. She also read one of her books to the students. They were excited to ask many different questions about writing books. We have been working with Tess to finish harvesting the garden and she also came into the classroom to teach them about handwashing. They really enjoyed her activities.





Nov 23: Picture Day

Nov 24-26: Thanksgiving Break

Nov 29: Deadline to Submit your Nominations for School Board

Dec 8: Annual Meeting by zoom @ 6 pm. The link will be posted on our website.

Dec 16: Holiday Program in the OOCS parking lot @ 6 pm

Dec 20-Jan 3: Winter Break

Jan 4: School resumes

MENUS WILL BE AVAILABLE ON SCHOOL WEBSITE.

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News from Ms. Clearwater's 2-3 The second and third graders are learning facts about our nations largest indigenous bird, the turkey! Do you know why the turkey is called the "Turley?" Ask a second or third grader! We researched the history of the turkey and the biology of the turkey. The turkey has an interesting internal make up. We also learned about what happens when the turkey becomes irritated. The snood becomes very red! Our class drew the turkey and added a writing activity about being thankful. Look for the cards to come home in your childs' backpack before Thanksgiving! Our class used google classroom while we were distance learning this month. It worked very well and we were able to complete our math and reading assignments! Our Christmas Program is fast approaching and we have begun to practice our songs!



Mrs. J 4-6 grades After a week of distance learning students in the 4-6 class have been learning how to write code and using that to program a robot to do different tasks. They have been having a lot of fun with it and are looking forward to building robots out of Legos soon!





Misko-anang Each week we recognize a student who has done excellent work in Ojibwe class with a "Ho-Wah! Award." Here are our "Ho-Wah Award" recipients so far this month:

October 29: Elanna Hannen

November 4: Preston James-Olson & Francis Denny

November 12: Shoni James

Congratulations Elanna, Preston, Franny, and Shoni! Mino-anokiiwin!

The boys in Grades 2-6 have started weekly drumming class on Monday afternoons.

Oshki offers weekly language class on every Monday 5:30-7. Beginners are welcome! Join any time! Classes are held on Zoom:





