



Dear Parents and Guardians,

As part of our ongoing commitment to maintaining a safe and secure learning environment for all students, I am writing to inform you about an important initiative that we will be implementing at USD 420 - Osage City Schools.

In light of the increasing concerns regarding school safety and the prevention of potential threats, we have decided to adopt the Comprehensive School Threat Assessment Guidelines. These guidelines provide a structured and comprehensive approach to assessing and responding to threats made by students within our school community.

The safety and well-being of our students and staff are of paramount importance to us, and the adoption of these guidelines is a proactive measure to ensure that we are equipped to address any potential threats in a thorough and effective manner. By implementing this framework, we aim to identify and assess potential threats early on, and to intervene and provide support to students who may be in distress or exhibiting concerning behavior.

It is important to emphasize that the implementation of the Comprehensive School Threat Assessment Guidelines does not mean that we view our students as potential threats. Rather, it reflects our commitment to creating a safe and supportive environment where all students can thrive academically, socially, and emotionally.

As part of this process, we will be working closely with our school administration, counselors, and staff to ensure that everyone is trained and familiar with the guidelines and protocols outlined in the Comprehensive School Threat Assessment Guidelines. We will also be providing resources and support to students and families who may have questions or concerns about this initiative.

I want to assure you that our primary goal is to prevent incidents before they occur and to create a school culture where students feel safe, supported, and empowered to seek help when needed. We believe that by working together as a community, we can ensure the safety and well-being of all our students.

If you have any questions or concerns about the Comprehensive School Threat Assessment Guidelines or any other aspect of our school safety initiatives, please do not hesitate to contact me or your building principal.

Thank you for your continued support and partnership in keeping our school community safe.

[Comprehensive School Threat Assessment Guidelines](#)

Sincerely,  
Ted Hessong  
Superintendent, USD 420 – Osage City Schools



### **Third Quarter Coming to An End/Weekly Eligibility**

The end of the third quarter will be on March 8, 2024. The F list will be compiled the third Friday of each quarter. There will be no school on Friday, March 29th, so the ineligibility list will be pulled on Thursday, March 28th. Eligibility will begin the week of April 1st.

### **Sub-State Basketball**

This will take place the week of February 26th-March 2nd at Gypsum Southeast of Saline. The teams participating in our sub state include: Osage City, Burlington, Council Grove, Gypsum Southeast of Saline, Halstead, Hesston, Lindsborg-Smoky Valley, Sante Fe Trail.

### **Site Council**

We will be hosting a site council meeting on March 4th at 6:00 pm in the high school library for parents/guardians to attend. The purpose of the site council is to provide support to help us reach our mission and goals. Please come join if you would like to be a part of our site council team!

### **State Basketball-March 6th-9th**

The first round of State Basketball will begin Wednesday, March 6th with boys and Thursday, March 7th with the girls. Friday, March 8th will be semifinals with Championships on Saturday, March 9th. In the event that either our girls or boys win their sub-state and qualify for the state tournament and play in one of the first two time slots, school would be dismissed at 11:00 am for a 2:00 pm game and 12:30 pm for a 4:00 pm game. School will not be dismissed early for any games played at 6:00 pm or 8:00 pm.

### **Dance Team Tryout Schedule**

March 19th 6:00 -8:00 pm  
March 20th 7:00- 8:30 pm  
March 22nd - 6:00 pm - Dance Tryouts

### **Cheer Team Tryout Schedule**

March 25th- 6:30 am  
                  3:30 pm  
March 26th- 6:30 am  
                  1:30 pm  
March 27th- 6:00 pm - Cheer Tryouts

### **Senior Composite Retakes**

If your student has not had their senior composite picture taken or they would like to have it retaken, this will happen on Wednesday, March 27th at 1:00pm. This will be their last time to take their composite picture if they would like for it to be placed on the composite board.

### **Spring Break/Important Dates**

March 11th-15th - No School

March 20th - No School - Teacher Collaboration - Conferences 3:30-7:30 pm

March 26th- Early Dismissal @ 1:30 pm - Hosting FHL Forensics

March 29th- Good Friday- No School

### **State Assessments**

We will begin taking our high school math state assessments on Monday and Tuesday, March 18th and 19th. As well as on Thursday and Friday, March 21st and 22nd. These will be given to sophomore students. On March 25th and March 27th, junior students will be taking the science state assessments. These tests represent how our school and students perform. Please help ensure they get a good night's sleep and eat a healthy breakfast in the morning while encouraging them to put forth their best effort.

### **Student Led Parent Teacher Conferences**

There will be no school on Wednesday, March 20th due to teacher collaboration and student led conferences. Student led conferences will be held on this day from 3:30-7:30. Your student or your student's seminar teacher will reach out to schedule a time to meet. This time will be allotted for pre enrollment for the Fall 2024 school year. Please make time to help your student ensure they are on the right track that is best for them when scheduling courses.

### **Flint Hills League Band/Choir**

The Osage City High School Music Program will be hosting our annual Flint Hills League Music Festival on March 20th. All high school band and choir students will be performing in the event. There are eight total schools in the Flint Hills League that are also participating. This event is a combination of band/choir, and solo/small ensemble performances. The event begins at around 8:00 AM and runs until approximately 3:00 PM. This event is mandatory for all music students as it is in preparation for regional contests. Our groups have been working hard and making great improvements. We are excited to showcase our growing programs!

### **Winter Sports Awards**

This awards ceremony will be held on Monday, March 25, 2024 in the auditorium beginning at 2:00 pm. We will celebrate the following sports: Basketball, wrestling, scholars bowl, cheer and dance.

### **8th Grade Transition Meeting/Enrollment - Cafeteria**

We are so excited and are looking forward to the 8th grade students being promoted to high school! We will have a parent meeting to help ease their transition to high school, learn about high school credits, graduation requirements, and begin to choose classes for next year. Please plan to attend on Monday, March 25th in the cafeteria at 6:00 pm. We look forward to seeing all 8th grade students and their families. If you are unable to attend, please contact Mrs. Smith at [shana.smith@usd420.org](mailto:shana.smith@usd420.org).

### **CTE Classes**



In the fall, the Osage City golf course board members asked if the pathways could create a new sign at the entrance. If anybody had looked closely, they would have noticed the old one was about ready to fall apart due to decay. With this being such a great opportunity for our pathways, it was a no brainer. The engineering pathway was in charge of designing and 3D printing templates, and the construction pathway was in charge of routing out the letters and painting. We are

proud to say, the result looks great, and this really motivates us to complete more projects for the community! We are taking requests.

### **Activities/Athletics**

For all activities dates and times, please visit our district web page. You can find this at [www.usd420.org](http://www.usd420.org). Click on Events, see all events, and choose high school! You can also download the Osage City School app on your phone!

### **Principal's Message**

As spring approaches, we begin to plan for all assessments, spring activities, award ceremonies and graduation! Please encourage your student to attend class everyday and be an active participant.

Natosha Jenkins  
High School Principal  
785-528-3172  
[njenkins@usd420.org](mailto:njenkins@usd420.org)



*How to get the most out of:*

**PRE-ENROLLMENT**

Foundation for selecting courses – review:  
 Student Transcript/Current classes  
 OCHS Graduation Requirements  
 Career Interests/Pathways  
 Personal Goals

To include: Dual Credit Options, Honors  
 and Regents Scholar Requirements,  
 NCAA and NAIA Requirements

- 1st Select classes NEEDED to meet HS Graduation
- 2nd Select classes NEEDED to meet Personal Goals & Career Interests
- 3rd Select classes of interest/enjoy for electives

**FRIENDLY REMINDERS**

- ✓ HS Parent Teacher Conferences March 20th for Pre-Enrollment Fall 2024 Courses
- ✓ 8th Grade Pre-Enrollment March 25th @ 6:00 p.m. in the Cafeteria
- ✓ ACC Enrollment for Fall 2024 can be completed at Parent Teacher Conferences
- ✓ Tech enrollment forms submitted, awaiting confirmation of enrollment. (Depending on spots available in the program.)
- ✓ Students need to communicate with teachers about absences, prior to absence if possible in order to keep grades up!

**MARCH MADNESS**

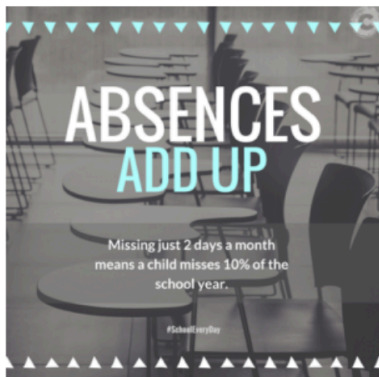
Much like the popular basketball tournament, Spring is the season for being busy, excited, and stressed (think bracket buster). Ways to “predict” or “influence” your students spring outcome is to encourage consistency, promote healthy sleep and eating routines. Although they may not always appreciate these, their Spring semester will be better off because of them.

**OCHS Volunteer Recognition**

Reminder - Seniors get your Volunteer Forms Turned in by April 1st:

- Complete 60 Volunteer Hours
- Turn in required verification forms
- Recognized in the program at their Graduation

If you have hours to log, submit an OCHS Volunteer Log google form for each volunteer event (Link on Counselors Webpage) or Give the volunteer event supervisor the Paper Volunteer Verification Form & turn the forms in to the HS Counseling Office “Turn In” Folder.



**ATTENDANCE MATTERS**

GOOD SCHOOL ATTENDANCE MEANS...

<b>PRESCHOOLERS</b> Build skills and develop good habits for showing up on time	<b>ELEMENTARY STUDENTS</b> Read well by the end of third grade	<b>MIDDLE SCHOOLERS</b> Pass important courses	<b>HIGH SCHOOLERS</b> Stay on track for graduation	<b>COLLEGE STUDENTS</b> Earn their degrees	<b>WORKERS</b> Succeed in their jobs
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### **Yearbook**

Yearbooks are now on sale! Yearbooks will only be able to be purchased online through Strawbridge at [www.strawbridge.net](http://www.strawbridge.net). Click on Order Pictures and Yearbooks and enter the Online Code: **YB29154**. The direct link to order online is

<https://strawbridge.fotomerchanthv.com/clients/osage-city-middle/2023-2024-yearbooks-243/access?clearSessionAuthentication=1>

Orders are due by May 17, 2024. Purchase today! The cost of the yearbook is \$22. Contact Mr. Gonzalez in the Middle School for any questions. Yearbooks will be delivered to students next year at the beginning of the school year in August.

### **Osage County Spelling Bee**

The Osage County Spelling Bee was held at Marais des Cygnes Valley on Thursday, February 8, 2024 at 9:30 am. Liam Vaughn and Jayla Jenkins represented Osage City and Kendyl Boss was the alternate. Liam Vaughn won and will represent Osage City and Osage County in the Sunflower State Spelling Bee on Saturday, March 23, 2024 at Mabee Arena in Salina, KS. The winner of the State Spelling Bee will move on to the Scripps Howard National Spelling Bee in Washington, D.C. in May 2024. Good Luck Liam!

### **Quiz Bowl**

The Middle School Quiz Bowl teams are having a great season!

- Mission Valley (January 29, 2024)      A-team 1st place, B-team 5th place
- Osage City (February 5, 2024)      A-team 3rd place, B-team 1st place
- North Lyon County (February 12, 2024)      A-team 2nd place, B-team 3rd place

Students participating in Quiz Bowl this year are: Dillon Decker, Alaynah Dorsey, Madison Karnes, Jack Moulin, Hazel Phillips, Korbin Reeves, Lena Stucky, Avery Thielen, and Liam Vaughn. If you see these students wish them continued success at the league meet on March 4th at Council Grove.

### **Young American Poetry Digest National Contest**

Exciting announcement, sixty-three 6th and 7th grade students are entering into the Young American Poetry Digest National Contest. If a student wins, the school will receive a \$100 prize and get the student's poem published into the Young American Poetry Digest, plus a complimentary copy for the school library.

Elizabeth Vehige has been selected to be published in this newsletter. This is an example of one student's Haiku based on the novel Summer of the Mariposas.

#### **The Disguised Witch**

A witch in disguise  
She sedated the sisters  
With sugary treats

### **Track**

Track practice will begin on Monday, March 4, 2024. There is also a Parent Meeting on Monday, March 4, 2024 at 5:30 pm at the Track. The head boys track coach is Derek Patterson and you can reach him here at school or by email at [dpatterson@usd420.org](mailto:dpatterson@usd420.org). The head girls track coach is Lucas Boss and you can reach him here at school or by email at [lboss@usd420.org](mailto:lboss@usd420.org).

### **Middle School Site Council**

The Middle School Site Council is looking for some volunteers to serve on our council. The council will discuss topics of improvement and make recommendations accordingly to the building principal and/or superintendent of schools. Site Council is also a very important part of the Kansas Education Systems Accreditation process and making decisions to help improve our school. If you would like to be a member of the Middle School Site Council please notify the Middle School Office.

### **Spring Parent/Teacher Conferences**

The teachers and administration of the Middle School would like to invite all parents and students to take time to visit with your student's teachers. We all know the number one factor that determines a student's success in school is parent involvement, which means, the more the parent is involved the better chance your student will succeed. Furthermore, conferences shouldn't be just once or twice a year; this open communication should be constant and continuous throughout the school year. Please know that you can call and visit with a teacher during their planning period or make an appointment to visit in person. All teachers also have an e-mail address that you may use to contact them. Just go to <http://www.usd420.org> and click on STAFF, then search and look for the teacher you would like to communicate with. E-mail may be the fastest and easiest way to take care of simple questions or concerns.

Wednesday, March 20, 2024 Spring Conferences will be held from 3:30 pm to 7:30 pm for the Middle School. Teachers will be scheduling conferences with students and parents as needed. This conference will consist of any concerns the teacher may have with the student concerning grades, behavior, or any other issues. If you would like to schedule a conference with an individual teacher please contact them and set up an appointment. The Middle School principal will also be available during this time. Please feel free to set up an appointment to discuss any concerns or successes that you may have.

### **High School Pre-Enrollment for 8th Grade Students**

We are so excited and are looking forward to the 8th grade students being promoted to high school! We will have a parent meeting to help ease their transition to high school, learn about high school credits, new graduation requirements, and begin to choose classes for next year. Please plan to attend on Monday, March 25, 2024 in the cafeteria at 6:00 pm. We look forward to seeing all 8th grade students and their families. If you are unable to attend, please contact Shana Smith at [shana.smith@usd420.org](mailto:shana.smith@usd420.org).

**State Assessments**

Osage City Middle School will begin taking State Assessments starting in late March and early April. All students will take Math and ELA Assessments. 8th Graders will also be taking a Science Assessment. 7th Graders have already completed their Social Studies State Assessment this year. Teachers and students have been working hard to prepare for these assessments all year long. These assessments are important to our school and show us where we have weaknesses and also our strengths. The proper amount of sleep, a good breakfast, regular attendance, and a good attitude will be essential to be successful on these assessments. Please encourage your child to work hard on these assessments so that we get a true measurement of the areas that we need to improve upon as well as the areas that we are doing great at.

Here is the schedule for each grade.

**7th Grade** will have State Assessments on March 26 and March 27.

**6th Grade** will have State Assessments on April 2 and April 3.

**8th Grade** will have State Assessments on April 10, April 11, and April 12.

Please do your best to make sure that your student is in school on these days. We will have make-up opportunities available, but students may miss valuable class time. Thank you for helping your student and our school be successful.

**Eighth Grade Promotion Date**

Eighth Grade Promotion will be on Monday, May 20, 2024 at 7:00 pm in the Richard Homewood Gymnasium. Pictures will start at 6:15 pm for those who are interested in having a professional portrait in the Elementary School Gym.

**Dates to remember:**

- March 4 FHJL Quiz Bowl @ Council Grove 4:30 pm  
First Day of Track Practice  
Track Parent Meeting 5:30 pm
- March 5 6-12 Choir Concert 7:00 pm
- March 8 End of the 3rd Quarter
- March 10 Daylight Savings Time Begins
- March 11-15 Spring Break
- March 18 Classes Resume  
Board of Education Meeting 7:00 pm
- March 20 No School – Parent / Teacher Conferences 3:30 – 7:30 pm
- March 25 High School Pre-Enrollment Meeting for 8th Grade Students - Cafeteria 6:00 pm
- March 26 Early Dismissal – 1:30 pm  
7thGrade State Assessments (Math and ELA)
- March 27 7th Grade State Assessments (Math and ELA)
- March 29 No School – Good Friday
- April 1 No School – Easter Monday

**Driver's Education meeting on April 24, 2024**  
**MANDATORY ATTENDANCE REQUIRED**

There will be a Parent/Student Driver's Education information meeting in the Cafeteria at 6:00 pm on Wednesday, April 24, 2024. Driver's Education will be provided to Osage City students with class and driving time taking place in Osage City. The class will be on weekdays May 28 - June 7 from 8:00 am to 12:00 pm each day and driving schedules will be flexible and assigned at a later date. Students must be 14 by April 15, 2024 to participate in the class. Parents and students MUST attend this meeting to participate in this program. Please bring \$150, a pen, license/permit if possible, medication list, glasses if needed to drive, proof of birth and Kansas residence, and a parent to this meeting. The meeting should last approximately 30 minutes. If you have questions or need more information, please contact the instructor John Petrie by email at [jpetrie@usd420.org](mailto:jpetrie@usd420.org).

**A Note from the Middle School Principal**

Parents please be sure to contact any school office to update your contact numbers and information. It is important to have updated information so that we can contact you if needed.

When your child is going to be absent, please notify the office at (785)528-3175 before 9:00 am.

Students just a reminder that it is important that if you are absent to check with your teachers to make sure that everything is turned in and you are not missing anything. We will do our best to get you everything you need when you are absent, but it is up to the student to make sure nothing is missing and everything is turned in. Make sure to check your Google Classroom.

Please have your child make arrangements in the morning before coming to school about their plans after school or where they need to be. The middle school telephone should not be used as a message center by parents. Interrupting classes with a student message is disruptive to the whole class and should be avoided except for emergencies. We understand that things come up, but please help keep these phone calls to a minimum. Parents if you need to get a message to your student please get this to the office as early as possible.

If you have any questions about any middle school issue, please feel free to email me at [triemann@usd420.org](mailto:triemann@usd420.org) or call me here at school (785) 528-3175.

Tim Riemann

# COUNSELOR'S CORNER

## Osage City Middle School

Carly Spicer cspicer@usd420.org

### Monthly Middle School

#### Parent Tip

#### **SEND YOUR CHILD TO SCHOOL READY TO LEARN!**

A nutritious breakfast fuels up middle schoolers and gets them ready for the day. In general, preteens and teens who eat breakfast have more energy and do better in school.

You can help boost your child's attention span, concentration, and memory by providing breakfast foods that are rich in whole grains, fiber, and protein, as well as low in added sugar. If your child is running late some mornings, send along fresh fruit, nuts, yogurt, or a peanut butter and banana sandwich.

Preteens and teens also need the right amount of sleep to be alert and ready to learn all day. In general, preteens need about 10 to 12 hours of sleep each night and teens need about 8½ to 9½ hours.

Bedtime difficulties can arise at this age for a variety of reasons. Homework, sports, after-school activities, texting, TVs, computers, and video games, as well as hectic family schedules, can contribute to students not getting enough sleep. Also try to prevent kids from napping after school to ensure they can fall asleep at an appropriate time each night.

### March Newsletter

While it is hard to believe that it is already March, the thought of warmer weather and being outside is exciting! Throughout the month of March, we will be doing a variety of activities in seminar time. We will continue to have grade and social emotional check-ins on Mondays. Also, students will participate in career exploration activities as well as second step social-emotional lessons.

Students will be finishing up their thoughts, emotions and decisions unit in Second Step in February. In March, we will begin the next unit which is managing relationships and social conflict. This is a great unit for students to work on recognizing when conflict is escalating and how to resolve it in a respectful way.



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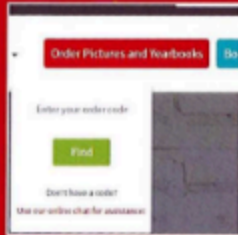
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### **Goatz Fundraiser**

Thank you to all of the parents, family members, and friends who purchased items or donated money during our Goatz Fundraiser! The school raised \$4834.40 which will be used to purchase books for the Book Vending Machine and school supplies.

### **Parent-Teacher Conferences**

The elementary teachers will be hosting Parent-Teacher Conferences on Wednesday, March 20th from 3:30-7:30 pm. Notices will be sent home to parents/guardians before Spring Break. Not all parents will be invited to attend the conferences. However, if parents want to schedule a conference with teachers, please email, text, or call teachers to verify a time.

Third grade teachers are required to meet with ALL parents of third graders. Therefore, third grade conferences will be held on Tuesday, March 19th from 12:00-3:30 pm in the elementary library and March 20th from 3:30-7:30 pm in the classrooms. This is due to the Every Child Can Read Act. Part of this law requires third grade teachers to meet with parents of third grade students at least once a semester regarding each student's reading skills. The following link provides additional information. [Information on Kansas Every Child Can Read Act](#)

### **Grade Cards**

Grade cards will be sent home with students on Tuesday, March 19th. Parents need to look for student grade cards in their book bags or red folders.

### **Important Dates in March**

March 8th	End of 3rd Quarter
March 10th	Daylight Saving Time starts (jump up one hour)
March 11th-15th	Spring Break–NO SCHOOL
March 20th	NO SCHOOL–Collaboration Day/PT Conferences
March 26th	Early Dismissal at 1:30 pm/FHL Forensics
March 29th	NO SCHOOL–Good Friday

### **Preschool Parents**

Preschool students will NOT be attending school on every Friday in April. We apologize for the inconvenience. Here are the dates:

April 5th	Smoke In The Spring–No School
April 12th	Well Child Screenings at school–No Preschool
April 19th	Kindergarten Round-Up–No Preschool/No Kindergarten
April 26th	Early Childhood Work Day–No Preschool

### **Kindergarten Round-Up**

Students who will be 5 years old on or before August 31, 2024 are invited to attend Kindergarten Round-Up with their parents on Friday, April 19th. There will be 2 sessions for Round-Up. The morning session will be 8:30-11:30 am. The afternoon session will be

12:30-3:30 pm. During Round-Up, parents and students will be taking the ASQ-3 and ASQ: SE-2. These are State mandated surveys that ask questions about the academic preparedness and social-emotional skills of the future kindergarteners. Parents will also learn more about the expectations of kindergarten while students will be screened by the kindergarten teachers.

**Kansas Youth Art Month**

Congratulations to Kinsley Goodyear, third grade student, daughter of Jessica and Eric Goodyear! Kinsley will be representing Osage City Elementary School in the Kansas Youth Art Month Exhibition. Kinsley’s artwork will be displayed at the Topeka Shawnee County Public Library from February 27th-March 25th. Youth Art Month is celebrated annually in March to recognize and showcase the importance of art education and the creative achievements of young people across the United States.

The goals of Youth Art Month are to promote art education as a vital part of a child’s education, to emphasize the value of art and creativity in developing critical thinking skills, and to encourage public support for quality art programs in schools. The month-long celebration provides an opportunity to showcase the artistic talents of young people and to recognize the important role that art education plays in their lives and in society as a whole.

**K-Kids Valentine Sales**

Thank you to everyone who purchased Valentine goodies from K-Kids! Members raised \$253.50 selling cards, chocolates, and pencils. Great work, K-Kids!

**Arbor Day Poster Contest**

Congratulations to Angel Rose Salter, a fifth grader, daughter of Lisa Salter, was recently selected as the Northeast District winner for the Arbor Day Poster Contest in Kansas! The State winner will be announced by March 8th. Good luck, Angel Rose! Thank you to Mrs. Holly Savage, elementary art director, for expanding the talents of our young artists!

**Gearing Up for State Assessments**

Third, fourth and fifth grade students will be taking State Assessments in the month of April. Please help your children do their very best by having your students do the following:

- \*get plenty of rest the week of tests.
- \*eat a good breakfast on the days of testing.
- \*not attend any appointments during testing days.
- \*take their time on the tests.

***Students will be tested according to the following schedule:***

April 3-4	5th Grade Science
	4th Grade Math
April 8-11	5th Grade Math
	3rd Grade Math
April 15-18	5th Grade ELA
	4th Grade ELA
	3rd Grade ELA

# COUNSELOR'S CORNER

## Osage City Elementary School

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March is here, and hopefully it has brought some warmer, sunnier weather! Our counseling time theme for March is Respecting Ourselves & Others. We will work on activities involving manners, self-esteem, self-acceptance and family differences. Students will really get a chance to highlight all of the amazing things about themselves as well as learn how to identify these attributes in the people around them.

If at any time your student needs to see me or you would like to talk to me, please don't hesitate to contact me. My email is [dkeeffe@usd420.org](mailto:dkeeffe@usd420.org), and my phone number is 785-528-3171.

### New Student Ambassadors!

**3rd Grade:** Arianna Moon, Dglan Britton, Hadley Bosse, Kaiden Hardin, Jeremiah Funk, and Kinsley Goodgear

**4th Grade:** Jack Ferrer, Ruby Stucky, Mikey Noble, Sadie Harmon, Kyndell Pressgrove-Martin, and Jace Burton

**5th Grade:** Madisyn Allen, Lauren Riemann, William Jones, Taylor Lickteig, Bryson Garner, Elissa Julian, and Rowen Weaver

### March Guidance Lessons: *Respecting Ourselves and Others*

