



Upcoming Events and Calendar Dates

Friday, April 7th

- End of Quarter 3

Monday, April 10th

- Teacher Planning Day- No School for Students

Tuesday, April 11th-14th

- Vernon Pride Week See flyer for more information on events and themes

Sunday, April 16th

- Garden work party 10-12

Monday, April 17th

- Families of Black Students affinity meeting 5:45 PM

Tuesday, April 18th

- Kindergarten Connect- Information event for 23-24 5-6 PM

Below is the Vernon Cell Phone Policy- We periodically review rules and expectations with students. Please take a minute to read over these guidelines and go over them with your child. Thanks in advance for helping us make sure that cell phones are not an unnecessary distraction from learning for Vernon students.

The policy for cell phone use for PYP (K-5) students is: cell phones and devices are off and away the entire school day.

The policy for cell phone use for MYP (6-8) students is: cell phones and devices are off and away the entire day, with the exception of recess and lunch. Students are allowed to use their phones in the cafeteria and outside at recess.

This means that no cell phones should be out in the hallways, classrooms or bathrooms at Vernon. If a student violates the policy, the following steps will be taken:

1st violation- Phone will be confiscated and turned into the office to be picked up at the end of the day by the student.

2nd violation- Phone will be confiscated and parents will have to pick up the phone in the office.

If a student needs to reach a parent, they need to come to the Office to make the call, so the Office is aware of any emergency or concern. We ask parents to not engage in phone or text conversations with your child during the school day for K-5 or other than at lunch and recess for 6-8. Instead, please remind students to contact the Main Office at 503-916-6415 if they need to connect with their parents.

Wings of Freedom, Vernon Gay Straight Alliance presents



Vernon Pride Week

April 11-14



CELEBRATION OF the LGBTQIA+ MOVEMENT:

**the promotion of the self-affirmation, dignity, equality,
and increased visibility of (LGBT) people as a social group.**

Tuesday April 11
Pride Week Kick Off Celebration
Assembly

Friday April 14
Day of Silence Protest Parade March

Pride Week Dress Up Days:
Tuesday: Tie Dye
Wednesday: Rainbow
Thursday: Favorite **Pride** Flag
Friday: Black for Day of Silence

**HEY VERNON,
SAVE THE DATE!**

end of the
school year
celebration

OWL FEST

Saturday, June 3rd
3:00 - 7:00



All Vernon families and community members are welcome to join in and celebrate the end of an incredible school year!

**WE NEED
(A LOT OF)
VOLUNTEERS**

Vernon Parent Band
Food Trucks
Bounce House + Slide
Silent Bidding
Games + Activities

email vernonpta@gmail.com to get involved
in this awesome community event

VERNON OWL FEST

Saturday, June 3rd 3:00pm - 7:00pm

WAYS TO GET INVOLVED

1

SILENT BIDDING TEAM

- Gather donations from local business
- Acquire donations for items / events from Vernon families
- Coordinate and track donated items at event

OWL FEST ACTIVITIES TEAM

- Coordinate game and booth ideas
- Run an activity booth or game at Owl Fest
- Sell wristbands at event entrance

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3

FACILITATE CLASSROOM ART PROJECTS

- Volunteer to facilitate the Classroom Art Project in your child's room that is sold in the silent bidding event

SET UP TEAM

- Work together to set up Owl Fest
 - Games / Booths / Activities Area
 - Dining Area
 - Silent Bidding Area

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CLEAN UP TEAM

- Work together to clean up Owl Fest
 - Games / Booths / Activities Area
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MARKETING TEAM

- Advertise Event - social media posts, flyers in local shops, signs around Vernon
- Sell Owl Fest merch before and at event

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VERNON PARENT BAND

- Join the Vernon Parent Band and preform a live set with with your new bandmates at Owl Fest

VOLUNTEER FOR A TEAM - vernonptavolunteers@gmail.com

CLASSROOM ART - simone.nagle.msw@gmail.com

VERNON PARENT BAND - oscarmurden@gmail.com



- * Enjoy summer fun activities
- * Prepare to be successful in high school
- * Meet your teachers and classmates
- * Explore different career pathways
- * Earn .5 high school elective credit

LEAP INTO 9TH GRADE

JULY 17 - AUGUST 4, 2023

STUDENT TESTIMONIALS

Former Leap into 9th grade students shared:

- "It was useful for getting prepared for the school year."
- "I know the school now and met some teachers."
- "I won't get so lost on my first day. This school is like a maze!"
- "I got better at math because that is my worst subject."
- "I made some friends before school starts so I will know some people."



9:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

QUESTIONS? Talk to your counselor
or call (503) 916-5180
REGISTER ONLINE AT bit.ly/2023leapinto9th



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Vernon SUN School Class Schedule - Spring 2023

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
3:15-3:35pm	Check-in & Supper cafeteria	Check-in & Supper cafeteria	Check-in & Supper cafeteria	Check-in & Supper cafeteria	
BLOCK 1 Classes: 3:40-4:40pm	Contemporary Ceramics Mr. Brett of Mudshark Studios (Kinder-3rd) Mon & Wed	Academic Start & Cup Stacking Ms. Nikki (K-3rd)	Contemporary Ceramics Mr. Brett of Mudshark Studios (Kinder-3rd) Mon & Wed	Piano, Maker's Space, & Academics Mr. Munya & Ms. Nikki (K-3rd) ENDS AT 5:30pm	
	Math & Reading Ms. Bruce & Ms. Mashia (2nd & 3rd) Mon & Wed Continued from Fall Term - By teacher recommendation)	Garden Ms. Jane (K-2nd)	Math & Reading Ms. Bruce & Ms. Mashia (2nd & 3rd) Mon & Wed Continued from Fall Term - By teacher recommendation)	Lego Robotics Scott of Saturday Academy (3rd-5th) ENDS AT 5:30pm	
	Academic Start & Sports & Games Mr. Albino (4th-8th)	Spanish Ms. Barbara (3rd-5th)	Academic Start & Tabletop Games Ms. Nikki (3rd-5th)		
	Video Game Design (Scratch) Ms. Nikki (4th-8th)	Basketball Coach Nathan (4th & 5th) Tues & Thurs; Friday Games @SEI	Vernon Inspired: School Beautification Project Ms. Maya & Ms. Anna (5th-8th) ENDS AT 5:30	Basketball Coach Nathan (4th & 5th) Tues & Thurs; Friday Games @SEI ENDS AT 5:30pm	Basketball GAMES Coach Nathan (4th & 5th) <i>Family must provide transportation to SEI Center</i>
		Northwest Children's Theater (3rd-8th)		Creative Writing Ms. J (6th-8th) ENDS AT 5:30pm	
BLOCK 2 Classes 4:45-5:30pm	Sports & Games Mr. Albino	Sports & Games Coach Nathan	Sports & Games Ms. Sincere		
	Maker's Space Ms. Nikki	Maker's Space Ms. Nikki	Maker's Space Ms. Nikki		
	Ceramics Mr. Brett	Cultural Arts Barbara	Ceramics Mr. Brett		

Program Daily Schedule Mon- Thurs

Time	Activity	Locations
3:15-3:35	Check-in & Supper in cafeteria	Cafeteria
3:40-4:40pm	Block 1 Classes	See class schedule
4:45-5:30pm	Block 2 Classes	See class schedule
5:30pm	<i>Dismissal</i>	Main Entrance



SUN Site Manager:

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Extended-day Coordinator & Family Resource Navigator:

Sincere 503-850-8418

sincerec@selfenhancement.org

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