

Oak Canyon



Mission Statement:

Together, We
Learn for Life.

Vision:

Ensuring student success
through collaboration, data
analysis, and collective inquiry.

Values:

- Education becomes a lifelong process when students enjoy learning.
- Students learn responsible behavior when respect for others is encouraged, expected, and modeled.
- Quality education results when all students' needs are met through the cooperative efforts of diligent students, effective educators, involved and concerned families, and the community.
- The ethical use of technology combined with effective teaching promotes student learning.
- Skills, knowledge, and values are best acquired in a safe environment.
- Students learn to become well-rounded, contributing citizens in a world community.
- Students learn best when academic learning time is valued and protected from distractions.

Goals for 2014-2015

- Reduce the number of students with a credit deficiency to less than 5 percent.
- Oak Canyon will work with students with D, F, or I grades to decrease the overall percentage of students with a failing grade as compared to that percentage in their class the previous year.

Oak Canyon Junior High

Stakeholders' Report Academic Results 2013-2014

We are pleased to present to the patrons of Oak Canyon Junior High School our annual Stakeholders' Report. We are privileged to be in the education profession and look forward to serving you and your student(s) with a high quality



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Oak Canyon Junior High Message

As the administration of Oak Canyon Junior High School, We are proud to work in a wonderful community. We are very impressed with the involvement of parents, teachers and students in the collaboration process. We are committed to all students and their success. There are many opportunities for all students to get involved. We encourage all students to find their interests and get involved in school.

We are involved in an ongoing process at Oak Canyon where our teachers work collaboratively each Monday to identify students who are struggling with various concepts, and those who are excelling in their studies. They also examine areas where they can improve their own teaching skills and instruction. We also participate in E-Time every Tuesday through Friday. Students have a 25 minute block of time which is based on the student's needs. When students are struggling in one or more of their classes, they have the opportunity to go to those classes and work one on one with their teacher's to gain a better understanding in those subject areas. When the students are passing all of their classes, they have the opportunity to participate in other educational activities. The collaborative model and E-Time activities have been extremely valuable in improving student learning.

We have recently received our data from the spring SAGE testing. As a school we received a B grade. This is a great score as we were only 1% away from receiving an A. Oak Canyon continues to be a great school. This is the first year this scoring method has been used. This is new and exciting! As the state and schools move forward, our understanding of the data will improve, and we will continue to grow. We are excited about where we are as a school and are very proud of the faculty, staff, students and parents who are involved in this great community.

Educational Opportunities:

Oak Canyon offers a variety of high quality educational and extracurricular opportunities for students.

Career & Technical Education

- Computer Technology
- Clothing (I), FACS Clothing
- CTE Intro
- Foods (I) FACS Foods
- Keyboarding (I)
- Technology 7
- Technology & Engineering
- Teen Living
- Woods (I, II)

Math (continued)

- Intermediate II
- Secondary I, Honors
- Secondary II Honors

Physical Education

- Ballroom (I, II)
- Health
- Physical Education (7,8)
- Physical Education Skills (9)

English

- Creative Writing (I, II)
- English 7, 8, 9
- English ALL (7, 8)
- English 9 Honors
- Humanities (I, II)
- Popular Literature
- Read 180

Social Studies

- Geography
- Geography Honors
- Human Geography AP
- Utah History
- Utah History ALL
- U.S. History
- U.S. History ALL
- World Civilization
- World Civilization Honors

Fine Arts

- Art
 - Art Foundations (I, II)
 - Art Media Methods
 - Young Masters
- Band
 - Beginning
 - Concert Jazz
 - Percussion
 - Symphonic
- Choir
 - AWE
 - Beginning
 - ENCORE
 - Intermediate
 - Men's Chorus
 - Women's Chorus
- Drama (I, II, III)
- Orchestra
 - Beginning
 - Intermediate
 - Advanced
- Photography (I)

Science

- Biology
- Biology Honors
- Earth Systems
- Integrated Science 7
- Integrated Science 8

Additional Opportunities

- 4-H
- Basketball (9th Grade)
- Book Club
- eTime
- Geographic Olympiad
- Peer Tutor
- PTSA Student Leadership
- Resource
- School Plays
- Science Demo Team
- Service Opportunities
- Spelling Bee
- Student Council
- Teacher Aide
- Track and Field (7th, 8th, 9th)
- TSA
- Yearbook

Math

- Intermediate I

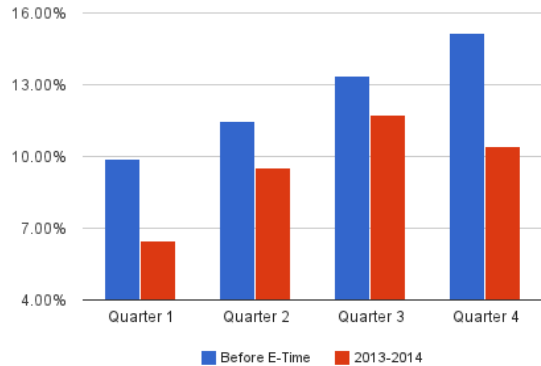
Oak Canyon Report Card

Below is the decreased amount of failing grades since implementing E-Time.

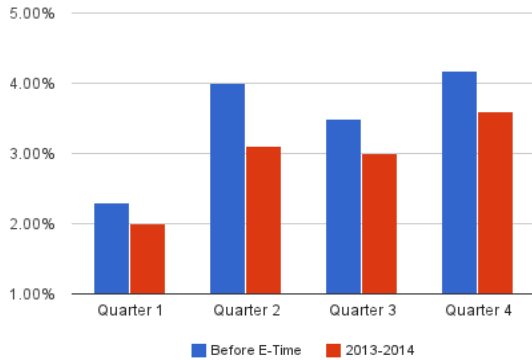
Oak Canyon Sage testing Results

The proficiency levels established for SAGE are more challenging than prior assessments. They provide a more realistic assessment of what your student will need to know to succeed in college or start his or her career. These Standards include rigorous expectations for post high school readiness that meet nationally and internationally competitive standards.

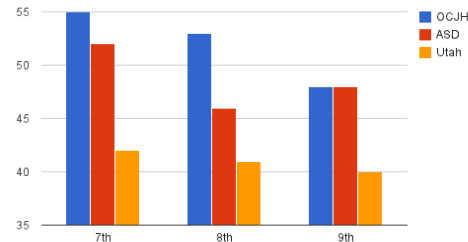
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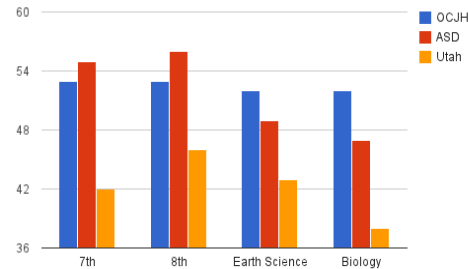
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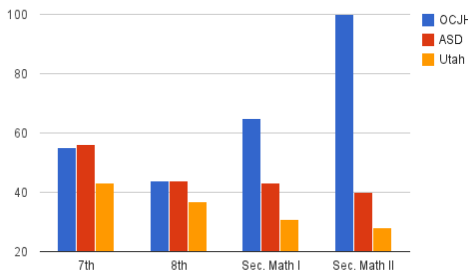
ELA Proficiency



Science Proficiency

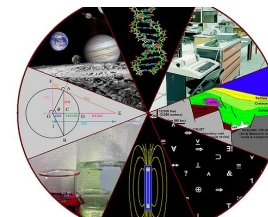


Math Proficiency



Fast Facts:

- All 9th grade students had the opportunity in October to take the ACT Explore Test. This test provides information for planning high school courses and prepares students for the ACT.
- Over 50 students are involved in serving the school and community through PTSA Student Leadership.
- Seven students from Oak Canyon attended the National Technology Student Association (TSA) conference in Washington D.C. last June. They participated with 5,000 other students in 4 of the 32 contests. Two of our students took fourth place! We also had three 7th place winners.
- For the past 18 years Oak Canyon Jr. High School has had an award winning Science Demo Team wowing audiences across the state of Utah with spectacular science experiments and demonstrations. This same team has taught and performed for over 60,000 Utah students as well. Mr. Panee and Mr. Hodges are the team advisors and each year train, motivate, and have an enjoyable time with 50 plus ninth graders who conduct 45 different and compelling experiments. We are not a magic show but a science assembly that magically excites students about the world around us.



School Community Council:

Employee SCC Members:

Doug Webb (Principal), Michael Bearden (Co-Chair), Jennifer Batchler, Mike Redford, Jed Francis.

Parent SCC Members:

Darla Baker, Saori Barlow, Mariam Erickson, Marjorie Holt, William Shupe, Cristie Wood (Chair) Leslie Randall, Camille Buhman.

The School Community Council (SCC) oversees the Trust Land money received from the legislature each year. Guidelines for the expenditure of this money are used to "focus on the most critical academic needs to directly impact instruction and enhance academic excellence." 2013-14 trust land money has been spent in the following ways:

Hourly/Certified Help

Double Dose Math\$15,000
For 9th grade students who need extra help with math; there are two sections being taught.

Math Lab.....\$2,000
After school math help provided to all students needing assistance from one of our certified math teachers.

Math Aides.....\$6,000
Math help is provided to all students needing assistance.

Guided Studies.....\$10,000
These classes are structured to provide students with individual guidance and support needed for success in school.

Read 180.....\$10,000
This class provides direct instruction in reading comprehension, vocabulary building, and reading strategies to students needing additional support, based on data from CRTs and Lexile scores.

Total:\$43,000

Benefits on above account @ 24%..... \$11,395
Equipment (MyAccess Software).....\$10,210

Grand Total:\$64,605