



Oak Cliff Elementary

School Gram

September 22, 2011

Special points of interest:

- Calendar
- Oak Cliff Elementary celebrates Mexican Independence Day
- Safety Procedures
- Picture Day
- Parenting Night
- Library Book Fair

Calendar

9/22	Parenting Night 6:30pm– Updates 7:00pm– Seminars
9/23	No School– Staff Development
9/23	End of the 1st 6 weeks
9/27	Fall Picture Day for students
9/30	Report Cards Go Home
10/7	Fair Day– No School
10/14	Progress Report Go Home

Life School Oak Cliff Elementary Celebrates Mexican Independence Day



Friday, September 16, 2011 was Mexican Independence Day. Students were invited to celebrate by wearing Mexican National dress or the

colors of the Mexican flag which are green, red and white. During morning announcements students were treated to a demonstration of Mexican national dance and a video celebrating the beautiful sights, sounds, smells and tastes of Mexico.

This was a opportuni-

ty for students to learn about and appreciate their own culture and the culture of others. Thank you to our Dual-Language teachers for organizing this event.



Safety Procedures

Students are to be dropped off at the Ann Arbor side door between 7:45 – 8:15 a.m. Supervision is not provided, and students must not be dropped off before 7:45 a.m. Life School is not responsible for the well being of students be-

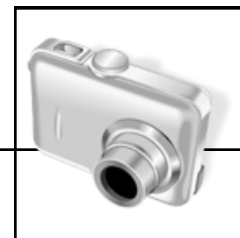
fore or after school hours. Students must be in their seats in the Auditorium with their class by 8:15 a.m. After 8:30 a.m., the Ann Arbor side door is closed and locked, and parents must take students around to the south side door (near

the playground). Being in school and being at school on time is critical. Students who are late not only miss out on important instructional time, but they also interrupt the flow of instruction in the classroom.



Picture Day

Our Picture Day will be held on Tuesday, September 27, 2011. Students will take pictures in school uniform. Order forms for pictures are being sent home today. Complete your students order form and send the order form and money with your student. Please check your student's backpack for order forms.



Parenting Night

Parenting Night will be held on Thursday, September 22, 2011.

There will be an Make Up Parent Orientation for any parent that missed the mandatory orientation in August.

Other seminars will be provided for parents that completed Parent Orientation.



At 6:30pm parents will attend classroom updates and at 7:00pm Parent Seminars.

Library Book Fair

Did you know that Life School added over 600 new books to the Library Collection with money earned from Book Fair Funds?

Did you know that we could add even more new books, with your support of our Book Fair?

Let's get prepared now to support our first Book Fair.

Come by and visit

Clifford the Big Red Dog!

Clifford will be here to Kick-off the Book Fair **Oct. 17th-21st, 2011**

If you have questions, you may send emails to carolyn.martindale@lifeschools.net or

Call the Library for Mrs. Martindale at 214-376-8200 x162