

Our Fourth Graders Are Headed to College!



Dear Parents,

On November 1st our Tom McCall fourth graders will be traveling to Corvallis to tour Oregon State University. Our goal in taking this field trip is for students to have a realistic college experience and begin to set goals for attending the college of their choice when they will be a member of the incoming freshman class. Our classroom motto is, "It's not too early to start planning for your future; do it today." We want students to begin thinking NOW about going to the college of their choice.

Students will tour the world famous Hinsdale Wave Research Lab and see the wave simulation pool. We will also take a campus tour, participate in engineering activities, and will eat in the dining hall.

Would you like to chaperone? If so, please make sure your volunteer form has been approved on file with the district. If you have not already filled out and turned in your form, you need to do so **no later than Friday, September 30**. If you are unsure whether or not you have already been approved, please check with your child's teacher. **Chaperones will need to drive their own vehicle to relieve overcrowding on the long bus ride. On campus parking at OSU is \$7.** Students will all ride the bus to Oregon State but may ride HOME accompanied by their parent. Please remember, if you chaperone, you MUST have a Redmond School District Volunteer form approved and only children in our fourth classes will be able to attend.

The field trip fee for all of our field trips this year is \$13. This fee is due by Monday, October 10th. If you write a check, please make it payable to "Tom McCall School."

Students and chaperones need to **be at school by 5:00 am on TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 1st**. We will leave at 5:10 am promptly! **We will return to school at 6:00 pm.** If you have any OSU Beaver clothing, be sure to wear it! Duck fans, we appreciate you too, but please wear your school colors a different day.

This will be a field trip students won't soon forget! Thank you for your support.

Heather Renz and Michelle Zistel
Fourth Grade Teachers

OSU Field Trip Permission

Student Name _____

_____ My child has permission to attend the Oregon State University field trip.

_____ My child WILL NOT be attending the Oregon State University field trip.

_____ Enclosed is the \$13.00 field trip fee.

_____ I will pay the \$13.00 field trip fee by Monday, October 10.

Parent Signature _____



_____ I would like to chaperone on this trip and understand I will be driving my own vehicle and paying \$7 for parking.

_____ Yes, my volunteer form is turned in at school.

Parent chaperone: _____ Cell Phone _____