Healthy Schools Oklahoma

Family Engagement
Strategies using
Physical Activity







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About KYM!











HSOK Mission Statement:

To promote and maintain healthy lifestyle choices in Oklahoma through preventive, community-based school health education programs for students, their families, and faculty.

EST. 1997



Program Timeline:

1997

Schools for Healthy Lifestyles is formed

2017

Name is changed to Healthy Schools Oklahoma

2021

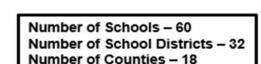
The Children's Center Rehabilitation Hospital becomes HSOK's lead agency







Healthy Schools Oklahoma 2022-23



Canadian County - Mustang

Meadow Brook

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- Centennial
- Trails

Canadian County - Yukon

- Central
- · Surrey Hills

Carter County - Lone Grove

· Lone Grove

Carter County - Wilson

Wilson

Cleveland County - Norman

- Jefferson
- · John Adams

Comanche County - Flower Mound

· Flower Mound

Creek County - Bristow

Collins

Creek County - Drumright

· Bradley

Garfield County - Cimarron

Cimarron

Garfield County - Enid

- Garfield
- Hayes

Garvin County - Whitebead

- · Whitebead
- Maysville

Kingfisher County - Okarche

Okarche

McClain County - Purcell

· Purcell

Muskogee County - OSB

· Oklahoma School for the Blind

Nowata County - OK Union

· Oklahoma Union

OK County - Bethany

· Earl Harris

OK County - Choctaw

- Choctaw
- Indian Meridian

OK County - Deer Creek

- · Deer Creek
- Grove Valley
- · Spring Creek

OK County - Edmond

- Charles Haskell
- Frontier
- Heritage
- · Washington Irving

OK County - Jones

Jones

OK County - Luther
Luther

Roger Mills

OK County - Midwest City

- Epperly Heights
- Tinker

OK County - Moore

Red Oak

OK County - OKC

- Bodine
- Britton
- Coolidge
- Eugene Field
- Esperanza
- Fillmore
- Hupfeld Academy
- Kaiser
- ML King
- Lee
- Nichols Hills
- Rockwood
- Rogers
- Shidler
 Southern Hills

OK County - Putnam City

· Windsor Hills

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Payne County - Cushing

- · Cushing Lower
- · Cushing Upper

Pottawatomie County - Shawnee

· Horace Mann

Stephens County - Duncan

· Mark Twain

Tulsa County - Jenks

· Jenks Southeast

Tulsa County - Tulsa Legacy Charter

· Tulsa Legacy Charter Primary

Washita County - Burns Flat/Dill City

· Will Rogers

Woods County - Alva

Washington



McCurtain





STAND OR SIT





Morning person

Night owl



STAND
OR
OR





Teacher



Administrator

STAND
OR
OR





Feel your school is good at family Engagement.



STAND
OR
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Your school needs
help with family
Engagement.





Family engagement excites you

Family engagement frightens you.



STAND
OR
OR





What is Family Engagement?

Family and community engagement in school-based physical activity programs provides numerous benefits. When families are active together, they spend additional time together and experience health benefits. Parents, guardians, or other family members can support a CSPAP by participating in evening or weekend special events, or by serving as physical education or physical activity volunteers. Community involvement allows maximum use of school and community resources and creates a connection between school and community-based physical activity opportunities. Community organizations might provide programs before or after school or establish joint-use or shared-use agreements with schools.

- SHAPE America



Family Engagement with schools

Did you know?

Students whose parents are more involved in their schooling are more likely to have higher grades and test scores, attend school regularly, have better social skills, show improved behavior, and adapt well to school.



Ways to Engage Your Parents

- Monthly Newsletters
- Literacy Night
- Math Night
- Health Fairs
- Virtual Events
- Volunteer Opportunities
- Wellness Activities
- Social Media
-And More!

What can this look like?



Literacy Night

- Exercise Word Scrambler
 - Resource
- Heart Hero Storytime
- Ahh, Umm, Err
- Roll & Go
 - Resource





Discussion



Math Night

- High-5 Bank Account
- **Shoot 11**
- Tax Day Tag
 - Resource
- Once, Twice, Show





Let's GO!





SHOOT 11

EQUIPMENT NEEDED:

None

ORGANIZE:

- Space: Divide activity area into 4 quadrants.
- **Students:** Divide space into 4 quadrants. Create 8 teams; 2 teams compete in each quadrant. Each team forms a small circle.

PROCEDURES:

- The Object: Have the total number of fingers shown from all team members add up to 11.
- The Process: Team members place 1 hand behind their back. The team chants "1,2,3, show!" Everyone takes their hands from behind their backs and shows any number of fingers (1–5). Add up the fingers from each student to get the group total.
- If the sum adds up to 11 exactly, you have successfully completed this challenge. If the sum does not total 11, perform the task listed below and then repeat the process above.
- Students cannot throw the same number with consecutive throws.
- Exercises:
 - o Day 1: 10 Jumping Jacks
 - Day 2: 10 Plank Shoulder Taps
 - o Day 3: Downward Dog Pose for 10 Count
 - o Day 4: Name 1 Fruit (No Repeats!)



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Discussion



Health Fairs



- Invite community partners that promote physical activity, nutrition or other health areas you need in your schools.
- Have a section for parents to see what students are doing in the PE program.
- Include activities you are doing to promote lifelong fitness.



Social Media



- Start a social media page for the physical education program.
- Engage parents by posting weekly content about what you are doing in PE.
- Include activities, or fun challenges they can participate in.
- Keep is simple and easy



Family PE Week



- Invite Families to come with their student to their PE class!
- Invite Parents to participate virtually
- Ask parents to pick the activity
- You can have Family PE week whenever it best works for you and your school!



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Walk to School Day

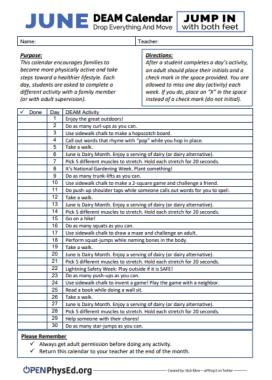
Bike/Roll to School Day



- Invite families to walk to school the first Wednesday in October
- Invite families to bike or roll to school in May
- Make the day work for YOU! Pick a day that works for your school if you need to!
- Don't have a safe route to school? Find a meeting spot to start and walk as a school together!
- Make it fun! Have some music playing and lead some exercises when the students reach the school



DEAM Calendars



- Families can get physical activity together at home
- Encourage families to participate by putting the calendars on each monthly newsletter
- Host a social media challenge!



Field Day/Super Kids Day



- Volunteers can run stations
- Volunteers can bring water and snacks
- Volunteers can help set up or clean up
- Volunteers can help groups of students go to each station

OPEN National Field Day - OPEN Physical Education
Curriculum (openphysed.org)



Pathways to Engaging Families, Schools & Communities: Oklahoma's Framework



The Oklahoma State Department of Education (OSDE) worked with family engagement expert Dr. Steve Constantino in creating a series of webinars to operationalize the framework across the state. These webinars, as well as other valuable family engagement resources, are included in this course.



Questions?



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