Winter Break Office Hours

Friday, December 22 - School Out for Winter Break 3PM
Monday, December 25 - Office Closed
Tuesday, December 26 - Office Closed
Wednesday, December 27 - Office Hours 7:30 AM - 4:30PM
Thursday, December 28 - Office Hours 7:30AM - 4:30PM
Friday, December 29 - Office Hours 7:30AM - 3PM
Monday, January 1 - Office Closed
Tuesday, January 2 - Office Hours 7:30AM - 4:30PM
Wednesday, January 3 - Office Hours 7:30AM - 4:30PM
Thursday, January 4 - Office Hours 7:30AM - 4:30PM
Friday, January 5 - Office Hours 7:30AM - 4:30PM
Monday, January 8 - SCHOOL BACK IN SESSION!!!
Do you speak Spanish and would be willing to help in an elementary classroom teaching introduction Spanish for 1/2 hour or more a week. Please contact the Burris Office.

The chemistry class worked with the kindergarten classes to make a crystal ornament for the holidays.
Burris Winter Concerts starring our Burris elementary students
Beef and Boards Presents a Christmas Carol

6th grade class field trip to Beef and Boards to enjoy a meal and production of A Christmas Carol to culminate our unit on Charles Dickens and his most famous work. The students had a great time, were exemplary in their behavior, and enjoyed comparing the written work to the dramatic interpretation.
Effect of color

Of light on

photosynthesis

Chemistry students created a silvered ornament using a redox reaction. Christmas Chemistry!!
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2nd Graders—Design Thinking Christmas Tree Project
Owl fans, if you ordered Owl wear and did not pick it up from Mr. Wlodarek, your order will be available in the Burris Main Office over break.

Over break the Boys JV and Varsity teams will host Eastbrook on Tuesday, January 2nd with tip off at 6:00 pm while our Lady Owls Middle School Basketball team will travel to Elwood. Also over break our High School Swimming and Diving teams will host the Pioneer Academic Athletic Conference Championship meet at Lewellen pool starting at 12:30 pm. Admission will be $5 and since this is a Conference Championship event season passes will not be accepted. Our Boys team will be aiming for their third straight championship while the girls team will look to win their first after finishing as runner up the past two years. Later that evening, our Boys JV and Varsity Basketball teams will host Delaware County foe Wapahani with JV tip off scheduled at 6:00 pm.

From Owl family to yours we wish you all a Happy Holidays and Happy New Year.
News From the Nurse’s Office

Illnesses

Please remember to advise the nurse if your student has any contagious illness such as: Pink Eye, Fifth Disease, Hand Foot and Mouth, Ringworm, Impetigo, MRSA, Strep throat, Scarlet Fever, Flu, Pertussis (Whooping Cough) this allows the school to implement deep cleaning of the classrooms among other things.

Do you have a set of crutches or a wheelchair that you would like to donate to Burris? If so, please contact the clinic

Prescription Medications – Antibiotics/Short term

Antibiotics: All doses can be given at home. Medications given 1x, 2x, 3x a day can be arranged around school hours.

Eye Drops: All doses can be given at home, doses can be arranged around school hours.

Prednisone: All doses can be given at home.

Nebulizers/Inhalers: If needed can be administered at school. Parents supply medication, and supplies. Burris does have a nebulizer.

The following MUST be met before a prescription medication can be administered at school

- A signed note from the physician with student’s name, DOB and directions for administration
- Medication and note brought to the clinic by the parent
- A signed prescription administration form by parents

Illnesses & Antibiotics

Fever, Diarrhea and Vomiting: Students should have 24 hours with no episodes of vomiting or diarrhea before returning to school. Fever: Students should be fever free with no fever reducing medications for 24 hours before returning to school. Please report any contagious illnesses to the clinic such as flu, pink eye, impetigo, strep throat. Antibiotics: These medications can be taken at home. Three times a day can be given before school, after school and before bed....If a medication is necessary at school you MUST bring a SIGNED physician order for it to be given at school along with the medication.

Chapped Lips: Put Chap Stick in your student’s backpack, lips and mouths are chapped – the clinic does not stock chap stick.

Clinic Needs: Elementary aged pants/leggings, underwear, socks and feminine hygiene pads.
Our Mission

Burris Laboratory School fosters a culture of respect and trust where every student is challenged to pursue excellence by engaging in a well-rounded, technologically-enhanced, rigorous curriculum in a safe and secure environment. As a model school, engaged in best-practice research and the preparation of highly effective educators, we collaborate with community partners to prepare students for success in an ever-changing world.