



Lake Orienta Elementary School (LOES)

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An "A" Rated School District

A Word From Our Principal

Welcome to Lake Orienta Home of the Penguins! We are proud to deliver a great elementary school experience for students. Our motto is "Success for every student." We showcase "Penguin Pride" daily! This school report outlines the key characteristics of our school from both an academic and non-academic perspective. I hope it helps you understand what makes Lake Orienta unique. Please reach out to us if you have any questions about our school.

Donna Weaver

What Makes Us Special

- We offer enrichment in the Arts with our Lake Orienta Theatre Company. Students in grade 3-5 can join to produce a full theatrical production of a Disney Musical. In 2018, we produced the Lion King.
- Additionally, we offer Makerspace which allows students to create and problem solve real world problems. Through grants and donations, we have expanded the space for grade K-5
- Our teachers actively pursue grants to expand and add to the learning environment in their classrooms. Last year we received over \$5000 in grants to support academic achievement.

Advanced Academics

2018-2019 Data

Program of Rigorous Integrated Mathematics for Elementary Students (PRIMES) is available for mathematically talented students in grades 4 through 5.

Lake Orienta offers Spanish as world language option(s).

Family Engagement

2018-2019 Data



Dividends is the volunteer program for SCPS.

Our incredible Lake Orienta volunteers gave **6,948** hours of their time to support students.

Technology and the Future



- Students are introduced to new technologies and activities designed to build their problem solving, logical thinking, and collaboration skills.
- Students participate in coding, Makers' Space and Robotics at all grade levels.
- Computer Science 2020 - Our students participate in at least 10 hours of computer science learning each school year.

Student Achievement

2018-2019 Data

- All students in grades K-5 participate in English and Language Arts (ELA) and Math iReady progress monitoring. **48%** of K-5 students were on or above grade level in ELA and **54%** of K-5 students were on or above grade level in Math.
- The Star Early Literacy Assessment is administered to kindergarten students at the beginning of each school year. **45%** of students demonstrated kindergarten readiness compared to the state average of 54%.

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Lake Orienta Elementary School earned a B grade from the Florida DOE.

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- Technology is integrated into every classroom through computers, iPads, laptops and projectors to enhance instruction.
- Lake Orienta Dividend volunteers logged 7,854 hours in 2017-2018. Dividends are a key component to our success.
- LKO's Music Makers performed at the SCPS Elementary Music Festival and events at Crane's Roost in Altamonte Springs.
- LKO's Art Students had artwork on display at local area art festivals and the Orlando Museum of Art.
- LKO students showcased projects at the SCPS Innovation Evening.
- LKO students are offered numerous opportunities for enrichment and challenging academics.

Future Middle School Pathways for Our Students



Milwee: 95%



South Seminole: 2%



For additional pathways see [Student Assignment and Program Access](#)

School Security

The safety and security of staff and students is a top priority in Seminole County Public Schools. We work closely with local, state, and federal agencies to ensure a safe environment for your child's learning with a focus on preventative action. Our School Resource Officer is Michael Duca with the Altamonte Springs Police Department.



The SpeakOut program provides three 24-hour monitored services that allows students, parents, or community members to anonymously report concerns. www.speakouthotline.org

78% of student respondents would recommend LOES



78% of parent respondents would recommend LOES



Here's what students and parents say they like about Lake Orienta:

" It has a lot of pride and leadership and they make sure every student is learning and has good study skills. "

4th Grade Student

" I like that the teachers are friendly and like to teach. "

4th Grade Student

" I like to see my friends and interact with new people.and meet new people or friends. "

5th Grade Student

" There's no bullying and most teachers are friendly and nice. "

5th Grade Student

" I have friends that I can talk to and play with,there are also programs that are available to everyone. If I could be a teacher here I would definitely do it! "

5th Grade Student

" I like that the teacher's and administrators care about every student. They do their best to help my child succeed. "

4th Grade Parent

" Friendly administrative staff. The office staff is amazing, eager to help, always positive, just an amazing group of people. "

5th Grade Parent

" The teachers are very competent & caring. The school appears to be much safer this year now that the fence was installed the whole way around the campus. We appreciate that. "

Kindergarten Parent