



Charter Oak

INTERNATIONAL ACADEMY

Presents

The Inquiry Gallery

Thursday, April 5, 2018

6:30-7:30pm

Library

Join Mrs. Cochrane and Ms. Coyne in the library to use your cooperation skills as a family and be thinkers as you think critically and problem solve to see if you can "Breakout of the Box!" Join us for an **early start** at **6:15pm-6:45 pm** for **Session 1: geared toward our younger students and their families**. Or join us at **7:00-7:30 pm** for **Session 2: geared towards our older students and their families**.

The Literacy Center (Room 143)

Come to the Literacy Center to get your hands dirty and explore ways to have fun with letters. Learn letter formation and sight words through exploration of a variety of materials.

Speech (Room 117)

Join Mrs. Goldberg for an inquiry into language and play. Come see the games we have in the lending library and sign one out if you'd like to!

Resource (Room 129)

Transforming Learning with iPads:

Learn how iPads are creating opportunities for individualized learning and transforming learning in the classroom as students apply the approaches to learning (thinking, communication, research, social & self-management skills).

Art (Hallway Art Gallery)

View the amazing student artwork on display all over the building and see connections to IB! Enjoy the Impressionist frog pond in our entryway. Visit the 5th Grade Peace Sculpture Gallery on the 2nd floor. Use a QR code to hear first grade students tell their story. Kindergarten "Roller-Coaster" sculptures will be found in the media center

World Language (Room 163)

Learn the fundamentals of how a language works (Linguistics) through multiple lenses.

Quest (Room 107)

Check out the Odyssey of the Mind (OM) props and scenery that Charter Oak's award winning teams will be showcasing at Worlds when they compete at Iowa State University in May.

Visit the silent auction in the main lobby if you'd like to help Charter Oak's OM Team fund their trip!

ESOL (Room 119)

Come see students showcase their inquiry skills and language skills through our ESOL curriculum:

- Learn how animals use different features to survive
- Hear Kindergartners talk about their community
- View fables and fairy tales and our interpretation



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Pre-k: (Pre-K Commons)

Children will use their curiosity and knowledge of forces and motion to manipulate and control objects. Come explore different types of ramps, pathways and mazes with your family!

Kindergarten (Rooms 146, 147, 148, 149)

Children will lead you in hands-on discoveries:

- Visit with little critters from the Children's Museum and plant seeds as we inquire into living and non living things
- Explore tools and materials used in construction and put your building skills to the test
- Bring your creative mind and try out different ways to show off your artistic expression
- Learn about the power of play as you explore creative ways to use your imagination, social skills and IB attitudes

Grade 1 (Rooms 128, 130, 134, 136)

Join our first graders as they share their Expeditions into Animal Adaptations. See the beautiful artwork and books they created with Mr. Labadia and learn the process of writing, illustrating and publishing books!

Grade 2 (Rooms 203, 205, 208, 210)

Measurement Olympics - Where sports and the metric system meet.

Use your measurement skills as you try out a variety of sports like: Cotton Ball Shot Put, Paper Plate Discus, and Post-It Note High Jump.

Grade 3: (Rooms 204, 206, 207)

Join your children as they take on different roles:

- Be an author—express yourself through poetry
- Be an engineer-- use your thinking skills to create your own animal out of various materials
- Be a scientist —conduct investigations

Grade 4 (Rooms 214, 217, 221)

Come see inquiry in action.

- Hands on sound and light experiments
- Hands on rocks and minerals experiments
- Take action to support a local organization Asante Sana

Grade 5: (Rooms 220 and 223)

Students will lead their families in investigations into the senses and electricity. Learn about fifth grade Exhibition!

