

OLIVER AMES HIGH SCHOOL CLUBS/ORGANIZATIONS 2025-2026



Active Minds

Advisors: Kristin Urciuoli and Leanne Fleming

Active Minds is a nonprofit organization that aims to reduce the stigma surrounding mental health. There are hundreds of Active Minds chapters across the country on both college and high school campuses. The consistent message of this club is that mental health needs to be discussed as openly as physical health. Only then can we bring suicide and mental health into the open, so no one struggles alone. This club will plan events throughout the year for the Oliver Ames Community, including awareness events, assemblies, guest speakers, and more. Active Minds meets twice a month on Thursday afternoons. Google Classroom Code: wuw72if

Anatomy Club

Advisor: Ryan Mulcahy

The Anatomy Club is a place where students can come to learn about their bodies and different career paths. This is a stress-free environment where everyone is welcome to ask any questions they may have. We discuss different anatomical diseases, the cures, and the different professionals who are relevant in the process. We created a Google Classroom where we will post the meeting times along with the link to the Google Meet. **The Google Classroom code is: uu4kl4e**

Architectural / Engineering Society

Advisor: Tom Baldino

The Architectural and Engineering Society is a student-run organization with a faculty advisor created to allow the students of OA Architecture and Engineering classes to foster an appreciation of these fields and related disciplines. The club plans Architectural and Engineering design activities, forums on post-secondary schools that specialize in these related fields, and trips and events so students may explore current trends throughout the engineering and architectural fields.

Art Club

Advisor: Kristyn Shea

The Art Club is primarily a mural painting club where members dedicate long hours to beautifying the school one mural at a time. Each mural is meant to promote school spirit and celebrate all that is OAHS. The Art Club also hosts the annual Art Show each year, through which hosting members can learn how to curate a show. Members who are not ready for mural painting also contribute to beautifying the school through other various art-related activities. At the end of each school year, we elect senior officers for the upcoming school year. Muralists meet twice weekly, and members who have not completed Art 1 meet monthly.

***Requirement: Must have completed Art 1 to paint on the wall.**

Astronomy Club
Advisor: Ryan Ring

The OA Astronomy Club is committed to fostering a welcoming community of students passionate about observational and experimental astronomy and astrophysics. In our meetings, we discuss the latest astronomical discoveries and events, watch documentaries on related topics, host lectures, hold engaging discussions, participate in hands-on activities, and observe the night sky through telescopes and other instruments. Meetings are held bi-weekly on Mondays in room 318. **The Google classroom code is nngtzme.**

Aviation Club
Advisor: TBD

We aim to educate individuals about the intricate manufacturing process and the art of flying various aircraft. We try to reflect upon the complexities of the engineering, design, and technology needed to create planes. Additionally, we aspire to appreciate the profound history of aircraft and the evolution of aviation. If you are interested, the **Google Classroom code is: 7inlyjc**

Best Buddies Program
Advisor: Rosana de la Torre

Best Buddies is an international nonprofit organization dedicated to establishing a global volunteer movement that creates opportunities for one-to-one friendships, integrated employment, and leadership development for people with intellectual and developmental disabilities. At Oliver Ames, students have multiple opportunities to become involved. Regardless of their role, members develop friendships with their buddies and help spread inclusion within the school community. The chapter meets once a month to share ideas and information, and to plan events. Additionally, there are typically one or two chapter events/activities per month. The chapter brings together people of all abilities and backgrounds to establish new friendships and, most importantly, to have fun!

Biology Club
Advisor: Maria Annunziato & Michelle Makrinos

Biology club aims to create an informal place for students interested in science or medicine to meet and discuss various topics regarding biology in a no-stress environment. It's a great place for prospering STEM students to learn more about the biological sciences and everything they cover! Meetings are once per month. **Google Classroom Code: kcvzc73**

Book Club

Advisors: Stefania Hynes & Ali Binney

The OA book club is a place for students to gather and discuss their favorite books. Whether you are an experienced reader or just starting to get into the scene, we will welcome you into our community. Meetings will be held once a month, and polls will be held to see which book we should read for that month. Our schedule will change from time to time based on how long the books are, so join our Google Classroom to get more information about that. **The Google classroom code is iiwrwsb.** Hope to see you there!

Careers Club

Advisor: Michelle Makrinos

Careers Club is a club at OA where we invite professionals from all sorts of jobs in science and health-related fields to learn more about possible occupations ranging from physician's assistant to biotechnology. Students can ask open questions and have conversations with our visitors. All grade levels are welcome! It's a great way to learn more about possible career paths. **Google Classroom Code is: 5gpweal**

Ceramics Club

Advisor: Jillian Sapienza Hunt

The OA Ceramics Club strives to create a safe and welcoming space for all students to gather and learn about working with clay. No ceramics or art experience is necessary! Members meet once a week. Our vision for the future of the club is to host our own annual "Empty Bowls Project" event to raise awareness and funds for hungry children. **Google Classroom Code: aq3olc7**

Chamber Orchestra

Advisor: Anastasia Pavlov

The Oliver Ames High School Chamber Orchestra is based on the requirements for the High School Orchestra but necessitates a more advanced playing ability. This is an auditioned group that rehearses once a week for two hours or twice a week for one hour each time. There are several additional rehearsals that typically take place before performances as well. The Chamber Orchestra's main performance of the year is the Annual Easton Messiah Sing. They also perform at the Spring Scholarship Concert, String Night, and other performances. In addition, the Chamber Orchestra and/or its members play at community events throughout the year. A variety of string techniques and styles will be studied and played. Students who audition for the OA Chamber Orchestra must be independent learners who are very self-motivated. Students are strongly encouraged to study their instruments privately to promote individual growth. Students accepted into the Chamber Orchestra must be scheduled in an Ensemble Class.

Chem Club

Advisor: Lanlan Bao & Chris Koutros

Chem Club provides students with a unique opportunity to experience chemistry. Chem Club invites, motivates, and encourages members to explore how chemistry connects to their world. It provides fun, authentic, and hands-on opportunities beyond what is taught in the classroom. Students learn about career opportunities in chemistry and discover and pursue connections within the larger chemistry community. **Google Classroom Code:** [wqakyphi](#)

Class of 2026

Advisors: Ryan Ring & Catherine Murphy

The Class of 2026 enters its senior year as an established group of hardworking and creative students. We are fortunate to have an extremely dedicated Executive Board that works tirelessly on every class activity. Junior year is filled with opportunities to make lasting memories and will be capped off by what is certain to be an amazing prom night. We are always looking for more members of the Class of 2026 to attend meetings, share ideas, and help find creative ways to fund our exciting class activities. High school is a time filled with memories, and we are here to make sure the class of 2026 has an unforgettable experience.

Class of 2027

Advisors: Tara Bailey & Leanne Fleming

Welcome back to the Class of 2027! We're excited to share another great year making great memories with you at Oliver Ames! Your Executive Board is working hard to ensure the class gets the most out of their time at OA. We will work together to come up with fun fundraisers, organize class activities like the sophomore semi, participate in school spirit events, and build a strong foundation for the years to come! We invite you to attend meetings, get engaged, and help make this our best year yet! Please watch for information through the class Google Classroom.

Class of 2028

Advisor: Andy Kelly & Maria Palma

We are excited to welcome back the sophomore class to Oliver Ames High School. Our Executive Board will reflect hard-working students who are dedicated to making sure that their class gets the most out of their time here at OA. New members are ALWAYS welcome! We will work together to fundraise, organize class activities like the Sophomore Semi, participate in school spirit events, and continue to build a strong foundation for the years to come. We look forward to creating memories with you over the next 3 years!

Class of 2029

Advisors: Drew Doulette & Victoria Shields

We are thrilled to welcome the incoming freshman class to Oliver Ames High School! The class of 2029 is beginning an exciting new journey, and this year is all about exploring opportunities and finding ways to get involved. Our Executive Board is ready to help make the transition into high school a positive and memorable one. From fundraisers to school spirit events, class activities, and community-building opportunities, we strive to ensure that every student feels connected and supported. Ninth grade is the perfect time to try new things, meet new people, and begin creating the high school experience you want. We can't wait to see the class of 2029 step up and make their mark at OAHS.

Close Up Program - Washington D.C.

Advisor: Courtney Kenney

The Washington D.C. Close Up program allows students to travel to our nation's capital for six days, where they will visit and have workshops at monuments and memorials, tour the Supreme Court, Senate, House of Representatives, and Library of Congress, have the option to earn credit from the University of Virginia, meet with experts in media and government, and share the experience with classmates and other students from around the country. The 2026 trip will run from March 1st to 6th.

Computer Science Club

Advisor: Tanner Kranich

Computer Science Club meets once a week to discuss and use skills from computer science. Challenge problems are often worked on, with the goal of sharing the many unique solutions a programming problem can have. Competitions are also entered, when available, throughout the year. If you have any questions, please email Mr.Kranich. **Google Classroom Code: fkuatee**

Debate Club

Advisor: Stefania Hynes

The Debate Club provides a platform for students to engage with controversial, relevant, and thought-provoking issues, fostering their comfort with public speaking and developing skills in forming and defending arguments. We spend our meetings engaging in icebreakers, learning about debate techniques, and conducting informal debates. Anyone interested in joining should add themselves to our **Google Classroom page (code: kfd6kay)** and drop into our next meeting! Our meeting schedule may change occasionally, so look for announcements posted to Google Classroom about upcoming meetings.

Advisor: TBD

DECA is a national organization that prepares emerging leaders and entrepreneurs for careers in marketing, finance, hospitality, and management. DECA provides co-curricular programs that integrate into classroom instruction, apply learning in the context of business, connect to business and the community, and promote competition. Student members leverage their DECA experience to become academically prepared, community-oriented, professionally responsible, and experienced leaders. DECA members embrace competence, innovation, integrity, and teamwork. Oliver Ames DECA was established in 2007 and has continued to grow in membership yearly. Students participate in competitive business events through role-play case studies and paper submissions coupled with oral presentations. Students initially participate in a district conference. Successful performance at the district competition will allow students to move to the next level of competition at the state level. The ultimate goal is to achieve a spot at the annual International Career Development Conference. DECA Conferences bring members into the larger DECA community while providing unique opportunities to extend classroom learning.

Disc Golf

Advisor: TBD

The OA disc golf club is ideal for individuals who enjoy playing disc golf or simply want to try something new. The disc golf club is a stress-free, judgment-free community. Whether you have played in tournaments or never even heard of disc golf, you are welcome! This club is aimed at teaching members the basics of disc golf. We will learn the sport's history, different throwing forms, techniques, types of discs, and strategies. Mini matches will be played around the OA campus. Discs can be provided if you do not own any. This club is open to all grades, and meetings are held on Thursdays in Mr. Lawrence's room. We are super excited about this club, and we hope you are, too. If you want to sharpen your skills or try something new, try out OA disc golf club! **Google Classroom Code: 5shwz5b**

Drama Club

Advisor: John Visnauskis

The Drama Club is your place for all things theater! Whether acting, directing, stage management, set building, costumes, props, etc., all students are welcome to join (no experience necessary). Every year, a major play production occurs at the end of November/beginning of December. Auditions for the next year's play occur at the end of the previous school year. Rehearsals run until the production, which is usually just before Thanksgiving. In the spring, the club hosts a few open improv practices, with a possible small show towards the end of the year. Club members fundraise throughout the year to go on a field trip to see a live performance. **Google Classroom Code: d72lnbk**

Dungeons & Dragons

Advisor: Zachary Dyer

In Dungeons and Dragons, a group of students get together after school and engage in a collaborative storytelling experience. This experience involves team building and critical thinking, as the group's characters must work together to make it through risky situations and solve complex problems. All students are welcome to attend, whether you are a veteran player or a total beginner. Please email Mr. Dyer or find him in room 220 if you have any questions.

Easton Wings of Hope Student Coalition

Advisor: Lisa St. Mary and Easton Wings of Hope Staff

Easton Wings of Hope is a community coalition that seeks to prevent youth substance use in Easton, MA, through education, awareness, and policy change. The Easton Wings of Hope's Student Coalition consists of dedicated students from 7th to 12th grade who volunteer to uplift our school community by trying to reduce substance misuse and its respective stigma. Through meetings, events, activities, and more, we strive to emphasize the positive norms in our community and provide notable resources to aid students in Easton Public Schools. We hold bi-monthly meetings, typically on Thursdays. **Google Classroom Code: pxam4nc**

Economics Club

Advisor: Paul Flaherty

The Economics Club's main goal is to support students who wish to compete in the National Economics Challenge, which is a country-wide competition that tests microeconomic and macroeconomic principles as well as knowledge of the world economy. All students are welcome to join, but having a background in economics is helpful. The first round of competition is typically in April, so the club is most active beginning in January. Please email Mr. Flaherty or find him in room 207 if you have any questions.

Environmental Society

Advisors: Maria Annunziato

This Club is dedicated to creating a more sustainable Oliver Ames. Green Team members manage the school's recycling program and work to raise awareness of important environmental issues. Members identify new projects of interest each year, such as creating a native plant garden, and fundraise using products from environmentally friendly companies. Meetings are Thursdays after school in room 314. Please join us and bring a friend! **The Google Classroom page: nc3tlky**

Envirothon

Advisors: Lanlan Bao

The Envirothon Team is a group of students interested in learning more about the environment. Envirothon Team members prepare to participate in a statewide competition held each May. The competition tests knowledge in five major environmental areas: aquatics, forestry, wildlife, soils, and general ecology. In addition, each year, the Envirothon Team must complete a community project based on a different environmental topic. They accomplish this by going out into the community and researching an environmental issue. **Google Classroom Code is: [fqk4gv7t](#)**

eSports

Advisor: Adam Pomella

eSports is a team of players that play team-based video games versus other schools. There is a regular season and playoffs, just like any sports team in the school. The Games offered this season are:

Mondays - Chess Solos

Tuesdays - Splatoon 3, Chess, League of Legends, Valorant, and Street Fighter 6

Wednesdays - Super Smash Bros Ultimate and Overwatch 2

Thursdays - Rocket League, Mario Kart 8 Deluxe, Hearthstone, and Fortnite Zone Wars, Marvel Rivals

Other games are Marvel Rivals and Pokemon Unite.

Games are on the same day every week and have two seasons (fall and spring) each year. Some games are PC or Nintendo Switch-based; however, many games can be played on multiple platforms for competitions.

The Feminism Club

Advisor: Gianna Gioscia

The Feminism Club aims to raise awareness, educate others, and create a supportive community for discussing and advocating gender equality. We intend for this club to be a safe space where women can become leaders and talk about ongoing gender-related issues and life challenges for teenage girls.

Foods Club

Advisor: Betti Almeida

Foods Club provides a fun space for students to explore and experience new types of foods. This club meets once a month and combines both scientific and cultural aspects of foods, introducing students to new and interesting textures and flavors. For more information, please join our **Google Classroom using code: [shjrgqn](#)**

French Club

Advisor: Patrick Sharkey

The French Club provides an environment for all students to explore French culture, customs, and cuisine. The club hosts gatherings throughout the year that include games, arts and crafts, cooking, movies, and holiday celebrations. You do

not need to be a French student to participate, so «venez nombreux!» or “come one, come all!” **Google Classroom Code: 77ruwj2**

Future Educators of America

Advisor: Betti Almeida

Future Educators of America allows high school students to explore teaching as a viable career option. Club activities may include volunteering in elementary school classrooms, reading to children, attending state conferences, and creating activities/games for children. New members and ideas are always welcome!

Google Classroom code: uvncxsh

Gender Sexuality Alliance

Advisor: Lisa St. Mary

The Gender Sexuality Alliance is a group committed to providing the Oliver Ames High School community with (1) a safe and relaxed environment for discussion and education about gay, lesbian, bisexual, and transgender issues, (2) support and social connection for all LGBTQ students and allies, and (3) advocacy efforts to promote awareness and inclusion for all students in the OA community. People of all sexualities, gender identities, and viewpoints join together in an atmosphere of mutual respect and acceptance. All are welcome! Meetings are on Wednesdays in room 220. **Google Classroom code: daij7xf**

Greek Club

Advisor: TBD

Greek Club is an after-school, extracurricular club that focuses on the cultural, historical, and ethnic aspects of Greece. Interested students are welcome to indulge in discussions on Greek History, lessons in the Greek language, share stories on Greek mythology, listen to Greek music and learn Greek dance, and even try different, prominent foods to gain a more holistic understanding of Greek culture. It does not matter whether you have any preexisting knowledge of Greek culture or are ethnically derived from Greece. Any and all are welcome! Meetings will be held bi-weekly in Mr. Stamoulis's room. Use **Google Classroom Code: rsa7h6n** to get further information covering the agenda of each meeting.

Hockomock Model Senate

Advisor: Craig Goldberg

The Hockomock Model Senate is a two-day simulation of the US Senate with other Hockomock League schools where members draft, debate, and vote on student-created legislation. The Model Senate creates informed and politically active students who, as future voters, have a voice in society. **Google Classroom Code: wimbdc**

HUGS (Help Us Get Safe)

Advisor: Ali Binney and Michael Cahill

HUGS stands for Help Us Get Safe. H.U.G.S. It is the domestic violence prevention organization in Easton working to help families and victims of domestic violence. This chapter will focus on fundraising and raising awareness for the organization and its cause. We meet two times a month in room 225, and dates are flexible. Our advisors are Mrs. Binney and Mr. Cahill. **The Google Classroom code is bftsqcz.** We would love to have you!"

Investment Club

Advisor: Michael Cahill

The investment club was created to assist students in learning various ways to invest for the future. The club introduces students to not only stock market investment but also investment in Certificates of Deposits, Real Estate, and the general concept of basic interest-bearing accounts. During the meetings, students will also discuss legal issues that are encountered in investing, as well as understand the basic application of accounting as it relates to research.

Jazz Ensemble

Advisor: Peter daSilva

The Jazz Ensemble is open to students in grades 9-12 by audition. This group rehearses a minimum of one day each week during the months of October through May. A variety of big band jazz, blues, and jazz-rock is studied and played in order to learn the various styles of this American art form. Students accepted into Jazz Ensemble must make every attempt to be scheduled in Band Class. (Exceptions are made for bass, guitar, and piano players). Additionally, students accepted into the ensemble must take a regularly scheduled private lesson on the instrument they play. This ensemble performs a minimum of three jazz festivals per year.

The Jewish Culture Club

Advisor: Craig Goldberg & Ira Kitrell

The Jewish Culture Club provides a safe space for Jewish students or those interested in Jewish culture to connect with one another, fostering a sense of community, cultural awareness, and religious identity. It can also be a safe space to discuss facing antisemitism within the community and globally. It is a group designed for students to engage in meaningful discussion about history, current events, or seasonal Jewish events and holidays, to connect with Jewish and Israeli culture, and with other teens who also wish to do so. The goal is to periodically have special guest speakers either virtually or in person, snacks to share, and activities to learn about activism within and for the Jewish community and for the greater community as part of the Jewish tenet of "Tikun Olam" or healing the

world. All are welcome! Classroom code: **xl24xfg**

Kids For Wish Kids Club

Advisor: Marisa Sousa

This club is affiliated with the Make-a-Wish Foundation, which provides students with the opportunity to engage in philanthropy and service activities to help grant wishes to children with life-threatening medical conditions. This program encourages community service, leadership, volunteerism, and teamwork. The club typically meets monthly (except around planned fundraisers), and meeting times are established through our **Google Classroom page (code: lxhktdt)**

Latin Club

Advisor: Rebecca Gove

Salvete, omnes! The Latin Club, also known as the Dead Language League, is a club open to all students who are currently taking Latin or are interested in the Latin language. This is a social and academic club for those who are enthusiastic about Roman culture/history/language and are interested in sharing their enthusiasm with other like-minded Latin Lovers. Activities include mythology trivia, exploring Roman culinary arts, hosting Roman dinner parties, and discussing Latin. Traditional field trips to Amorino, a European *gelateria*, are a fan favorite. Carpe diem!

Leo Club

Advisor: Malathy Sankaran

The Leo Club is sponsored and supported by the Easton Lions Club. Leo is an acronym for Leadership, Experience, and Opportunity. The club is a completely community service-based organization that promotes leadership and gives students a wide range of opportunities, service projects, and fundraisers to help their community and get several volunteer hours! **Please join our Google classroom using this code 4lpgxt4** to be a part of this service-oriented club.

Marching Band

Advisor: Jon Farrell

The Oliver Ames Marching Band is an award-winning competitive marching unit consisting of a horn line, color guard, and percussion section, all working together to form the Marching Band. The group rehearses at least twice weekly and competes on the weekends from the end of September through November. Rehearsals begin in mid-August, and the group performs at all town parades and civic functions. All are welcome, and no experience is necessary. Students interested in participating are welcome to come to the spring open house rehearsals beginning in April and must make every attempt to schedule an ensemble class during the day (Band, Chorus, Orchestra)

Math Team

Advisor: Amanda Glatthorn

The Math Team participates in a variety of virtual math competitions throughout the year. In addition, there are opportunities to learn about math topics and projects beyond the high school curriculum. We typically hold meetings on Mondays from 2:30-3:00. Join our Google Classroom to stay updated with all important information and dates for the team! **Google classroom code: 3oifpp**

Medium

Advisor: Kristin Marani

Medium is the official literary magazine of Oliver Ames High School. Members collaborate to produce a publication that showcases the original writing, art, photography, music, and other creative talents of OA students and teachers. Right now, we publish this work via our Instagram page, @oaliterarymagazine. Our Google Classroom can be accessed using the code: latz7g6w.

Mock Trial

Advisor:

Mock Trial is a rich curriculum that promotes the development of fundamental knowledge, sound judgment, and critical thinking skills. In Mock Trial, students are placed in a simulated courtroom where they assume the roles of lawyers and witnesses in a hypothetical case. Join the **Google Classroom (code yirbyrj)** to stay updated. We usually do not begin our season until late October/early November.

Model United Nations

Advisor: Craig Goldberg

Model United Nations is a club that simulates the United Nations, with students acting as delegates and debating and discussing global issues at conferences throughout the state. It has opportunities for national conferences, awards, and scholarships. Meetings will be held 1-2 times monthly in Mr. Goldberg's Homeroom 203. **The Google Classroom code is umw33z4.**

Multicultural Club

Advisor: Malathy Sankaran

Mission: To create bridges between various people and cultures, to create a deeper understanding of ideals, and to lead to meaningful friendships. The modeMulticultural Club is designed to build global awareness and reach out to the OA student body and the community. It is open to ALL OA students. The club strives to promote cultural awareness and understanding and increase opportunities for education about the cultures of countries worldwide. We meet

every week, and our goal is to offer students a place and a time to come together and engage in topics such as poetry, food, dance, music, games, issues, cultures, etc. **Please join the Google Classroom using code: jkpht75**

Musical Production

Advisor: Olivia Lancelotta

The OA Musical Production is a full “Broadway Style” musical presented in the spring of each school year. Auditions are open to ALL STUDENTS and are typically held in the fall. We encourage students not interested in performance to participate in the backstage crew, tech, and lighting crew. The commitment for performers is from January to the middle of March and involves one to two rehearsals per week for the Full Ensemble and more for those students in leading roles and the dance ensemble. Rehearsals are also held during the February vacation, but not for the entire week. Rehearsals are primarily two times per week, then increase significantly as the show dates become closer to production. Students who work backstage become involved three weeks before the show dates, meeting once or twice per week. Everyone interested in performing is welcome to audition, and crew members just need to sign up!! If you have further questions, please email Ms. Rhein at orhein@easton.k12.ma.us.

National Honor Society

Advisors: Tara Bailey & Mary Visnauskis

The National Honor Society is a community service project recognizing high scholastic achievement, leadership, service, and outstanding character. NHS members fulfill a commitment to individual/school services, participate in a group service project, assist with the induction of new members (juniors/seniors) and run Easton Finest. Meetings are held on the first Tuesday of each month.

Random Acts of Kindness Club

Advisor: Maria Annunziato

The Random Acts of Kindness Club is dedicated to spreading positivity and fostering a caring environment within the school community. The club encourages members to engage in simple, thoughtful acts that brighten others' days, such as writing encouraging notes, organizing small surprises for staff or students, or helping those in need. Through its initiatives, the club promotes inclusivity, empathy, and the importance of making a difference, no matter how small. Members meet regularly to brainstorm new ways to create a culture of kindness and inspire others to do the same. **Google Classroom Code: 7ajfmjq**

Robotics Club

Advisor: Helder Lobo

Thinking about becoming an engineer? Want to experience engineering and interpersonal skills that are in high demand? Join the Robotics Club! It's a fun and

rewarding student-run team that competes annually in the FIRST Robotics Competition. Every year, our team, the “Iron Tigers 4176”, works together to design, program, fabricate, and test a land-based, robotic vehicle. After building the vehicle, we compete at the local, regional, and national levels. The team welcomes students interested in STEM (science, technology, engineering, math), as well as those interested in marketing and media. We meet in room 114 weekly throughout the year and as needed during the build season. To find out more about the club, view our website, www.eastonrobotics.org, **join our Google classroom (code: vw6rp32)**, or you can talk to Mr. Lobo (hlobo@easton.k12.ma.us) in Room 114 if you have questions about joining the team. Join us!

Rugby Football Club

Advisor: Alex Schervish

The Oliver Ames Rugby Football Club was founded in March 2015 with a focus on teaching new players the rules, strategies, and values in the game of rugby. OA Rugby finished its sixth season with ten registered members and a fantastic core of players entering the 2022 Spring Season. The Club is looking to recruit new players for the 2022 season when the team returns to competitive play and contends for a playoff berth. The club is aiming to rebuild a roster of 25 or more players. Both boys and girls are welcome! The Oliver Ames Rugby Club was awarded a \$1000 equipment Grant from Boston Touch Rugby that included brand new professional quality hit pads, Canterbury Tag-Belts, and 4 high-end Gilbert Rugby Game Balls. There are currently three volunteer coaches who run the program, and with continued growth, we will be setting goals to one day become a Varsity Program. Oliver Ames is also proud to announce that OA Rugby alumni Albert Basse is the Boosters President for the 2022 season! Congratulations to Senior Will Gianni ('21) for extending his playing career into college at St. Michael's! Good luck, Will! This program has produced over 20 players who have chosen to play Rugby in college! We are currently working to build relationships with the New England Freejacks, the new Major League Rugby team in the area! Ask us about their games!

Sewing Club

Advisor: Betti Almeida

Sewing Club is a student-run organization that gives its members an opportunity to create projects and collaborate with students who share similar skill levels and interests. Club activities may include both hand sewing, machine sewing, and a community service component. Aside from hands-on tasks, the sewing club focuses on fashion analysis, including movie screenings, discussing fashion week and red carpets, creating Pinterest boards, and analyzing fashion brands. No prior sewing experience is necessary, but self-motivation is needed. New members are welcome to join! **Google Classroom Code: uu5oan5.**

School on Wheels
Advisor: Marisa Sousa

School on Wheels provides educational support services for students who are experiencing homelessness. Students at Oliver Ames coordinate school supply collections and fundraisers to assist the mission of the Massachusetts School on Wheels. School on Wheels meets on an as-needed basis. We do not have a set day, but we post our meetings through the daily announcements and our **Google Classroom page (code: elhbhvc)**.

Science Team
Advisor: Victoria Shields & Drew Doulette

The Science Team is open to all students and competes in the Southeastern Massachusetts League as well as the State Science Olympiad. Students prepare for events in areas such as Earth Science, Biology, Chemistry, and Physics. There is usually one competition per month from October through March. There is also a state competition on a Saturday in March. Meetings are held after school approximately once a month, and the Google classroom code and page are as follows: **Science Team Google Classroom page (Code edhsbkv)**.

Show Choir Pit Band
Advisor: Jon Farrell

The Show Choir Pit Band is the instrumental ensemble that provides the band accompaniment for the Show Choir. Rehearsals are held once per week, with students also making a commitment to participate in weekend festivals and performances. Pit Band members can perform jazz and popular repertoire in a small group setting with work on improvisation. Students learn techniques and styles of show and jazz literature. The Combo consists of the following instruments: piano, synthesizer, drums, auxiliary percussion, bass guitar, lead guitar, trumpets (2), trombones (2), and saxophones (alto, tenor, baritone). Students are selected by audition in the spring of each year. Students must make every attempt to schedule an ensemble class during the day (Band, Ch, Orch)

Show Choir (Panache)
Advisor: TJ Clifford

Show Choir is a musical performing ensemble that involves singing and dancing. While no prior experience is required, students who want to participate in show choir must be enrolled in concert choir or another musical ensemble class. Panache performs multiple times throughout the year at OA events and competes in 2-3 competitions in Massachusetts that take place from January - April. Rehearsals are held once a week for vocals and one Saturday a month for choreography. As competitions approach, there may be extra rehearsals. Students of all genders and ages are encouraged to sign up. If you have any questions,

please email Ms. Rhein at orhein@easton.k12.ma.us.

Sign Language Club
Advisor: Elizabeth Starr

The Sign Language Club was founded by two students who wanted to offer the opportunity to learn to sign. One of the founders was hearing impaired himself, so he was especially interested in sharing, as well as educating. The mission of "OASL" is to provide an opportunity for students to learn the basics of sign language (ASL-American Sign Language form) and to gain insight into the deaf culture. Recently, it has become a tradition for the OASL club president and upcoming president to sign the National Anthem at OA graduation and Class Night. OASL welcomes all who are interested, and there are no requirements to know any sign language to be a member of this club. **Our Google Classroom: Code qk625ct.** Also, for further information, email Mrs. Starr at estarr@easton.k12.ma.us

Spanish Club
Advisor: Meghan Sharkey

Stock Market Club
Advisor: Michael Santoro

The Stock Market Club is a group in which students interested in a career in finance can compete as a team on a state, national, and global level in competitions such as the Wharton Global High School Competition and the Ithaca College High School Investment Competition. These competitions can vary from managing stock portfolios to writing reports on future stock price movements. Investing competitions run throughout the entire school year. Once a competition has commenced, students cannot join it, but can still attend the meetings to prepare for upcoming competitions. Students from all grades can participate. It is highly recommended that students attend all meetings held every Monday. **The classroom code is zhok6lc.**

Student Council
Advisors: Courtney Kenney & Catherine Murphy

Oliver Ames Student Council provides support and assistance to all other clubs and organizations in the school. Student Council is a group of elected officers with previous experience and representatives from each class. The Student Council runs many school events throughout the year, all aimed achieving our four goals; spirit, service, inclusion and connections. Some of these events include the Homecoming Dance, Spirit Week, Pep Rallies, Before Vacation Celebrations, Teacher Appreciation Week, Extracurricular Awards Night, the Take What You Need Closet and various other school-related and fundraising activities both at the

high school and other buildings within the Easton Public Schools.

The 84 Club

Advisor: Justin Tienhaara

The 84 is a statewide movement of youth fighting tobacco in Massachusetts. The 84 represents the 84% of Massachusetts youth who did NOT smoke when the movement began. Now, 93.4% of youth do NOT smoke. The purpose of The 84 Club is to bring awareness to the effects of tobacco use and vapes on the body. We focus on fighting back against these big tobacco and vape industries with fun projects and activities. The club meets twice a month on Wednesdays. **Google Classroom Code is: rprldky**

The Think Tank Club

Advisor: Jeff Benson

The Think Tank Club will be a gathering of students of every kind to discuss problems within the culture of OA or the solutions they see working. The idea is to create an open discussion where everyone feels welcome to share their opinions and solutions without judgment, with the overall goal of improving our school community.

Tiger Daily

Advisor: Rodney Schussler

The Tiger Daily is the OA student-run news website. Students generate, edit, design, and illustrate all the content. The site publishes sports, arts, news, and feature stories, as well as student photographs and artwork. Positions are available for students interested in writing, photography, graphic design, editing, website design, marketing, and coding. Staff members work with members of the Tiger Daily staff to contribute content. The Tiger Daily meets every Wednesday at 2:25 p.m. in Room 213.

Tiger Productions

Advisor: Stephen Souza

Have you ever wondered how a movie or TV show is made? Are you creative? Would you like to see your vision on a screen? If you answered yes, Tiger Productions is the club for you. We meet once a week and film all kinds of events around the school and community, including our weekly NEWS show, Tiger Talk. Additionally, we learn how to develop your ideas into visual masterpieces! If this sounds like something you'd be interested in, please email Mr. Souza at ssouza@easton.k12.ma.us. **Or join the Google Classroom page using the code 6eozzqv.** No experience is needed. Join today!!

Tri-M Music Honor Society

Advisor: David Chace

The Tri-M Music Honor Society is the international music honor society for high

school students. It is a service organization designed to recognize students for their academic and musical achievements, reward them for their accomplishments and service activities, and to inspire other students to excel at music and leadership. Tri-M students are chosen for their dedication to music learning and desire to share their skills with others. Music students interested in applying for membership to Tri-M apply in September to be considered. The Tri-M Member Induction then takes place in October.

UNICEF

Advisor: Ali Binney

UNICEF was founded at the beginning of the 2017 school year and is affiliated with and works to raise money for the UNICEF organization. By initiating fundraisers, the club raises money to help children in poverty worldwide get clean water, healthy nutrition, and immunizations. The club enforces qualities of service, leadership, and teamwork. This club allows other students to become aware of the problems children face internationally and encourages them to help the cause. **The Google Classroom code is jsgw3dl.**

We Do Care

WeDoCare is a nonprofit organization dedicated to helping widows through the grieving process, created by a mother who lived through this experience. They provide emotional support, resources, and a community of understanding for those who have lost a loved one. At OA, the mission of our WDC chapter is to help provide this support by volunteering monthly at the Holy Cross Church in town and other seasonal events. **The Google Classroom login code is 3swafjp.** For more information, please go to “wedocare.org”

Weightlifting Club

Advisor: Joseph Abarr

Our club focuses on creating a competitive and enjoyable atmosphere around weightlifting. We aim to get more people in the gym with a more entertaining way of lifting. We focus on self-improvement to get people to compete not only with others but also to better themselves. We promote health and strength. We want to include as many people as possible. We meet on Wednesdays in the fitness center immediately after school September - March. **The Google Classroom login code is 7irbj62.**

Welcoming Committee

Advisor: Justin Smith

In our monthly meetings, we strive to assist the transfer students in creating a smooth transition. With the aid of Oliver Ames students, we create a welcoming environment for all students. Tasks range from discussions on events and actions that should be taken to improve students' transitions to planning events and

partnering with transfer students. Join the Welcoming Committee to support all students.