

**OREGON NATIONAL PRIMATE RESEARCH CENTER**  
**Science Ambassadors Program**  
**MENTEE Meeting Schedule (and other important dates)**  
**2022-2023**

Science Ambassador 5<sup>th</sup> graders (“mentees”) generally meet on the 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesdays of the month, unless otherwise indicated on the schedule (below). Meetings during the 2022-2023 school year will be held in person at the Oregon National Primate Research Center from 4-6:00 p.m.

November 2	Mentee Applications AND Teacher Recommendation forms <b>due by 11:59 p.m.</b>
November 7/8	Applicants notified of their acceptance status (by email)
November 19	<b>Mentee Meeting:</b> Introduction Activities and Virtual Tour of the Center (10:00 a.m. – 2:45 p.m.) <b>MANDATORY for parents and mentees!</b> (10:00 a.m. – 12 noon <b>MENTEES ONLY</b> ; Parents join for lunch and activities 12:00 noon – 2:45 p.m.)
December 14	<b>Mentee Meeting:</b> <i>Caring for our Animals: Enrichment for Monkeys</i>
December 21	<b>NO MEETING: Winter Break</b>
January 18	<b>Mentee Meeting:</b> <i>Cells, Part 1</i>
January 25	<b>Mentee Meeting:</b> <i>Cells, Part 2</i>
February 15	<b>Mentee Meeting:</b> <i>Genetics, Part 1</i>
February 22	<b>Mentee Meeting:</b> <i>Genetics, Part 2</i>
March 15	<b>Mentee Meeting:</b> <i>Circulatory and Respiratory Systems, Part 1</i>
March 22	<b>NO MEETING: Spring Break</b>
March 29	<b>Mentee Meeting:</b> <i>Circulatory and Respiratory Systems, Part 2</i>
April 19	<b>Mentee Meeting:</b> <i>The Brain, Part 1</i>
April 26	<b>Mentee Meeting:</b> <i>The Brain, Part 2</i>
May 17	<b>Mentee Meeting:</b> Final Ceremony and Year-End Celebration (6:30-8:30 p.m., families/teachers/etc. invited to presentation and ice cream social that follows) <b>MANDATORY for parents and mentees!</b>