

EARLY LEARNING CENTER NEWSLETTER

November 12, 2021

CALENDAR :	
November 19th	Parent Teacher Conference - NO SCHOOL
November 23rd	Pilgrims Play and Feast AM Class: 10:30am PM Class: 2:00pm FULL DAY: 2:00pm
	Show What You Know Program
November 24-26	5 Thanksgiving Break - NO SCHOOL
November 30 th	Picture Make up Day
December 6 th	RU logs due
December 16 th	RU store
December 17 th	Show What You Know Program AM Class: 8:30am PM Class: 12:00pm FULL DAY: 8:30am
	End of Term 2 (Report Cards go home)
December 20-31	Winter Break - NO SCHOOL
Jan 3 rd	Term 3 Begins

NOVEMBER BUILDER'S THEME: "EXPRESSING GRATITUDE IN WORD AND DEED"

Many Veterans and their families were able to attend the Veteran's Day Assembly at Draper 1 this past week. There is so much preparation that goes into this special event! This celebration allows American Preparatory Academy to show our respect and gratitude to all those that have served or continue to serve our country. Thank you, Veterans, for serving our great country!

PARENT TEACHER CONFERENCE: NOVEMBER 18TH & 19TH

We have our Parent Teacher Conferences November 18th with times in the evening and during the day on the 19th. If you have not had the opportunity to sign up for your parent teacher conference, please use the following link to do so. Our teachers are looking forward to meeting with each of our wonderful parents!

Ms. Saguilan Full Day K Ms. Buell AM and PM https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0D4FA9AC2CA2FB6-mandatory1 https://www.signupgenius.com/go/508084baeae2ea6fc1-parent



(Students will go home with parents after the program and feast)

PARENT VOLUNTEERS:

Here we go again, bragging about our terrific, fabulous, tremendous, out of this world, parent volunteers. We just have to send a THANK YOU out to all of our parents that continue to find ways to help the ELC be so successful. You truly help pave the way for our teachers and staff. Thank you for being willing to take time out of your busy schedule to volunteer on our behalf.

If you have any questions or would like further information regarding volunteer opportunities, please contact your class AST leader, our FSO, or your student's teacher. YOU ARE AMAZING!!

If you are unsure of number of hours you have volunteered thus far, please contact Mrs. Miles at kmiles@apamail.org or contact her directly at 801-797-0069.

PBS KIDS READING MARATHON:

Achieving Academic Success and Developing Good Character



We are excited to let you know about our local Reading Marathon taking place during the month of November. Children (ages preschool - 6th grade) are encouraged to read 20 minutes per day or 600 minutes total throughout the month. From December 1-15 parents will then go on to our PBS website and log their minutes for AMAZING prizes around town during 2022!

Each Reading Marathon participant will receive a personalized Adventure Pass which will give them the following:

- FREE entrance to Hogle Zoo
- FREE entrance to Red Butte Garden
- FREE entrance to Tracy Aviary
- FREE entrance to Clark Planetarium
- HALF PRICE entrance to Discovery Gateway
- FREE entrance to the Utah Museum of Contemporary Art
- FREE entrance to the Ogden Nature Center (2 adults and 2 children)
- FREE entrance to the Natural History Museum of Utah
- FREE book from The City Library
- FREE book from Intermountain Therapy Animals
- ****ONE** child's visit per venue with accompanying adult

Enclosed is the Reading Logs (in English and Spanish), general information, as well as website links below. Please help us by forwarding this email on to those in your community who serve children ages preschool - 6th grade as you see fit.

We also have many resources on our PBS Utah website and PBS Learning Media Library. These resources are FREE to our community members (easy to use) and are research based, developmentally appropriate, and created with the meaningful intention that you've come to trust from PBS!

https://www.pbsutah.org/kids/

Kids - PBS Utah

Our Mission. PBS KIDS has an unwavering vision of a world where all children can reach their potential and is committed to using the power of media to work towards that goal. www.pbsutah.org

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PBS LearningMedia | Teaching Resources For Students And Teachers

Inspire your students with thousands of free teaching resources including videos, lesson plans, and games aligned to state and national standards. <u>utah.pbslearningmedia.org</u>

KINDERGARTEN CORNER:

Student to parent: "I don't like shrimp that's naked. I like shrimp with clothes on." (battered shrimp)

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