



CALENDAR:

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| December 17 th | End of Term 2 |
| December 20-31 | Winter Break - NO SCHOOL |
| January 3 rd | Term 3 Begins |
| January 17 th | Martin Luther King Jr. Day – NO SCHOOL |
| January 20 th | Professional Development Day – PM and Full day K only Early Dismissal 8:30 – 11:30. NO AM Session |
| January 28 th | Show What You Know Program AM Class: 8:30am PM Class: 12:00pm FULL DAY: 8:30am |

DECEMBER'S BUILDER OF THE MONTH THEME: KIGATSUKU - LOOKING FOR WAYS TO SERVE OTHERS

Our students are off the charts fabulous!! They exhibit it in so many ways. Looking for ways to serve others just seems to come naturally to them.

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR DECEMBER BUILDER'S OF THE MONTH:

Ms. Buell's AM Class: **JAYNE MCMILLIAN**

Ms. Buell's PM Class: **MILIKA PIKULA**

Ms. Saguilan's FULL Day Class: **AITANA BURGGRAA**

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR READING UNIVERSITY WINNERS:

Book, Books, and more books! Our students love to read and be read to!

Ms. Buell's AM Class: **JACKSON COTTAM**

Ms. Buell's PM Class: **BEAU HENDRICKS**

Ms. Saguilan's FULL Day Class: RU: **HARI MOTHE**



ROCK THE SOCKS!

Drum roll please.....At the ELC our goal was to collect 250 socks for the Road Home. **We were able to collect a Grand Total of 900.** Yes, you read that correctly, 900! We are so proud of our students and parents that helped make this drive such a success!! What a great opportunity for our students to participate in such an incredible cause. We greatly appreciate your support!

ENROLLMENT 2022-23

"We have now begun the 2022-2023 NEW STUDENT enrollment process. We are now accepting applications for NEW siblings (including kindergarten students) and transfers. Please remember that new kindergarten students must be 5 on or before September 1st to qualify for enrollment; there are no exceptions to this rule. Lotteries will begin on January 3rd so make sure you have completed the application prior to then to increase the likelihood of receiving your priority enrollment status. Please visit www.americanprep.org/enrollment to complete the application.

The codes for siblings (including kinder), staff, transfer, etc. are as follows: sibling2022, staff2022, transfer2022, and we have added a section for Covid re-enrollment using code covid2022.

SHOW WHAT YOU KNOW PROGRAM:

Rest up for our next Show What You Know. We are confident you will enjoy every minute of it!

Ms. Buell's Class Friday, January 28th 8:30 for AM and 12:00 for PM

Ms. Piper's Class Friday, January 28th 8:30 for AM and 12:00 for PM



CLEANING OUT YOUR STUDENT'S DOCKET:

Parents, we hope to clear up any confusion concerning your student's docket. The docket contains several colored file folders representing the following subjects.

Plain Manila Folder: TAKE HOME FOLDER

Yellow – Math

Blue – History

Orange – Spelling

Red - Reading

Green - Science

Purple - Language Arts

Gray - Reading University

We have instructed our teachers and instructors to please mark a star on the top of all papers and place them in the "TAKE HOME FOLDER". This will indicate to our parents that these papers have been reviewed and can stay at home. These papers should be taken out of the dockets and keep at home. If the student has homework, these papers will be in the proper labeled folder; i.e. math homework will be in the yellow math folder, etc.

One purpose of the docket is to help American Prep implement a "no loose papers" policy. All papers should be placed in the correct file folder inside the docket. That way, students always have what they need with them in class and at home. Please remove all stickers from the outside of your student's docket. We love that our students are learning the importance of organization and being responsible for their own paperwork and homework.

SCHOOL CLOSURES WITH WINTER QUICKLY APPROACHING: - FROM THE PARENT STUDENT HANDBOOK—

American Prep follows Canyons School District (CSD) with regard to school closures due to inclement weather or emergencies. Parents should listen to these designated radio or television stations for school closure information between the hours of 6-8 am. If school for CSD is cancelled, school at American Prep will be cancelled. If there is a late start for CSD, we will have the late start at American Prep. If only selected schools in CSD are closed or have a late start schedule, American Prep will operate as NORMAL. Parents are ultimately responsible for deciding if inclement weather is severe enough that they cannot drive to school. (If schools dismiss early, the media will air the announcement as soon as possible.) If CSD dismisses early, American Prep will dismiss early.

TV STATIONS

KSL – Channel 5

KUTV- Channel 2

KTVX – Channel 4

Fox News – Channel 13

One of the following messages will be aired by the media:

- "Schools Will Be Closed" (day and date)
- "Schools Will Start Two Hours Late" (day and date)
- "Schools Will Dismiss Early" (day and date)

RADIO STATIONS

KSL - 1160

Metro Networks – 25 stations

In addition, school closures will be posted by 6:30 am on Canyons School District's Web site at www.canyonsdistrict.org

HIGHLY QUALIFIED TEACHER:

At American Prep we hire the most capable people to do the best job for our students. The USBE (Utah State Board of Education) sets standards for teachers in the state of Utah to be highly qualified. All of the teachers at American Preparatory Academy are licensed and considered highly qualified to teach by the state of Utah (USBE qualified).

KINDERGARTEN CORNER: (Sayings from our kindergarten students) ☺

Teacher: "I need everyone to please stay right with me."

Student: "Sorry teacher. We were looking but we weren't thinking".

Our next ELC newsletter will be distributed Friday, January 7th. We therefore, want to take this opportunity to wish you a wonderful and safe winter break! Thank you for your continual support, your kind words, countless volunteer hours, and most importantly the opportunity to associate with and teach your sweet, smart children! They truly brighten our day!

Warm Regards
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