



AMERICAN PREPARATORY
ACADEMY

D1 Newsletter



Upcoming Events

- Friday, Sept 15 **Midterm Missing Work Deadline**
- Friday, Sept 15 **Fall Festival at D2/D3**
5-8 pm
- Tuesday, Sept 19 **Constitution Reading**
Flyer in this newsletter!
- Friday, Sept 22 **"Friendship" Amb Event**
5th Grade- 12:50-3:20
- Tuesday, Sept 26 **4-6 Field Trip**
- Friday, Sept 29 **"Friendship" Amb Event**
6th Grade- 12:50-3:20
- Tuesday, Oct 3 **APA Community Event**
Classic Skate Night
- Wednesday, Oct 4 **School Picture Day**
- Thursday, Oct 5 **I-3 Field Trip**
- Friday, Oct 3 **EARLY DISMISSAL**
12:15 1st // 12:30 2nd
Term 1 Missing work
Deadline

August: Reading University Winners

Congratulations to the following readers for going above and beyond for reading university!

- 1st Grade Mrs. Coe *Jonah Sharette*
Mrs. Toale *Leo Gao*
Ms. Oveson *Brady Hansen*
- 2nd Grade Ms. Cripps *Jaxon Halfpenny*
Mrs. Dumont *Alice Van Dam*
Mr. Mazinni *Ridley O'Dell*
- 3rd Grade Mrs. Jhaveri *Caylee Coccimiglio*
Mrs. Wanner *Eshaani Batra*
Mrs. Pineda *Dithya Veeramachineni*
- 4th Grade Mrs. Thornock *Jordan Baugh*
Mrs. Arabyan *Evaline Cooke*
Mrs. Evans *Adhvik Parashar*
- 5th Grade Mrs. Anderson *Nicolas Laguna*
Mrs. Williams *Victoria Green*
Mrs. Diamond *Noah Reynoso*
- 6th Grade Mrs. Peery *Keslyn Burton*
Mrs. Curtis *Aliyah Hall*
Ms. Morris *Saachi Kabra*



Every 1st and
3rd Friday



FSO Corner

Would you like to be a part of seeing the excitement and joy on the students faces as they are rewarded for what they recorded on their Reading University reading charts?

We need about three people to help at each RU Store.
Click Here

COME AND JOIN US..

American Prep. Academy–Draper 1

FREE FAMILY SKATE NIGHT!

Tue. Oct. 3rd
5-8:30p.m.



SKATING ADMISSION INCLUDED FREE!

(Rollerskate, Rollerblade and Scooter Rentals Only...\$3.00)
OR just bring your own from home!



School Spirit Night
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BLAST ZONE
5000 FOAM BALLS & AIR CANNONS

ZOMBIE SURVIVAL
LASER TAG + SHOOTING GALLERY

Hope to see you tonight!

ANNUAL FALL FESTIVAL

FRIDAY SEPT. 15 | 5-8pm



at D2 gym and D3 soccer field

WANTED

Still looking for an AST or “room parent” for the following classrooms:
Mrs. Oveson (1), Mr. Mazinni (2), and Mrs. Thornock (4).

Please Help Us If You Can!

We are excited to announce the unique opportunity to offer some seats at our APA Draper 1 campus in the following grades:

3rd grade- 5 open seats
4th grade- 3 open seats
6th grade- 5 open seats

If you have any family members, friends, and neighbors who are interested in learning what APA can offer their student(s), please have them contact our Front Office Registrar, Mrs Forbes at 801-553-8500 bforbes@apamail.org and apply for the limited seats today!

CHARACTER DEVELOPMENT

CALLING ALL PARENTS!
ANNOUNCING our first annual College Fair!! This is only possible with amazing parent volunteers. Did you love your college experience? Do you have a career you are passionate about? Then you would be PERFECT to join us this year!

Upcoming Events

- FIFTH GRADE students have their first ambassador event on FRIDAY September 22nd during the school day. Please come help us and volunteer!

CLICK HERE TO *Volunteer!*

- SIXTH GRADE students have their first ambassador event on FRIDAY September 29th during the school day. Please come help us and volunteer!

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MONDAY OCTOBER 23rd is the date!

Sign up here and START YOUR ENGINES...
we are going to have a PHENOMENAL College fair!

Stumped on what presentation you could give? Here's one idea:
EXAMPLE: One of our Draper 2 dads is a computer programmer. He brought nut free butter, jam and a loaf of bread. Then he told the kids he *WAS* a computer that they had to program. The kids might raise their hand with one step such as "put the peanut butter on the bread." The dad put the jar on top of the bread. The kids would laugh and correct the mistake... "open the jar. get a knife. dip the knife in the jar to get a glob of peanut butter on it. Spread the peanut butter from the knife onto the bread." This demonstration was interactive, fun, and very memorable.

District Parent and Family Engagement Policy

American Prep recognizes that parent and family engagement is key to student achievement. We provide many opportunities for parents and family members to participate in, and stay informed of, their student's academic achievement. American Preparatory Academy trains staff annually during pre-service and teacher academy on how to communicate, build meaningful connections, and otherwise involve parents/families and the school. These topics are reinforced during professional development opportunities throughout the year as needed.

Additional details regarding Parent and Family Engagement are available in the annual Parent-Student Handbooks (PSHB) which are distributed annually, posted on the school websites, and available in Spanish at our West Valley campuses.

For the full District Parent and Family Engagement Policy, please refer to this [link](#) on the Policy page of the americanprep.org website.

Mandated Assessments and Opt-Outs

American Preparatory recognizes that Standardized Testing is an essential tool for measuring student learning and teacher success. The data obtained from these assessments may be utilized by teachers and administrators to review student academic progress, plan instruction, and share with students and parents. Summative assessments allow for data to be used in public reporting about school quality. Parent's may opt-out of most state standardized tests by submitting a Parental Exclusion form to the Academic Director. You can learn more about the state assessments administered at American Prep and find the testing schedules for your student's campus by following this link: <https://www.americanprep.org/state-assessments/>.

Professional Qualifications

Our parent surveys consistently express confidence and overwhelming satisfaction with our teachers at American Prep. In accordance with state regulation, all APA teachers are licensed through one of three licensing paths: Professional, Associates and LEA specific. Parents are welcome at any time to request information regarding the professional qualifications of the student's classroom teachers including: 1) whether the teacher has met State qualification and licensing criteria for the grade levels and subject areas in which the teacher provides instruction or whether the teacher is teaching under emergency or other provisional status through which State qualification or licensing criteria have been waived; 2) the baccalaureate degree major of the teacher and any other graduate certification or degree held by the teacher, and the field of discipline of the certification or degree; and 3) whether the child is provided services by paraprofessionals and, if so, their qualifications.

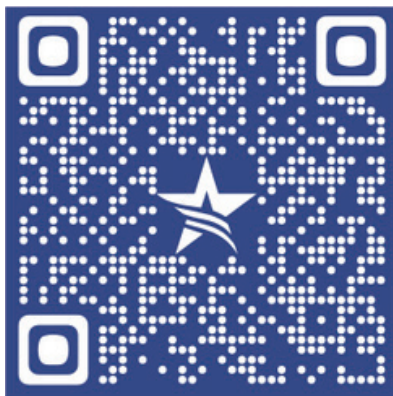
School Parent and Family Engagement Policies

School Parent Involvement Policies vary slightly by campus and are located within the Parent-Student Handbooks <https://www.americanprep.org/parent-student-handbooks/>. These Handbooks are distributed annually to parents and are now accessible on the APA website under the Parent Library drop-down tab.



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**DRAPER 1 IS CELEBRATING
TUESDAY, SEP. 19TH
WATCH LIVE AT 12 PM**

WHY READ WITH US?

To become more knowledgeable about our nation's founding document, the Constitution, and be able to discuss the American Ideals of Liberty, Equality, Democracy, Rule of Law, and Patriotism.