

October 25, 2019

Draper 2

Upcoming Events



Tuesday, October 29th Wednesday, October 30th Picture Retake Day

Early Dismissal - Parent Teacher Conferences

12:15 pm/12:30 pm/12:45 pm

AM Kindergarten attends today

Uniform Sale, 12:30 - 7:00 pm

Wednesday, October 30th Wednesday, October 30th Thursday, October 31st

Watch for sticker on Learning plan for Jeans day Early Dismissal - Parent Teacher Conferences

12:15 pm/12:30 pm/12:45 pm *PM Kindergarten attends today*

Thursday, October 31st
Thursday, October 31st
Friday, November 1st
Friday, November 8th

Jeans & Polo Day -Please see information below

Uniform Sale, 12:30 - 2:00 pm *No School - Professional Development*

Spirit Wear Day

Wednesday, November 13th

Veterans Day Assemblies, 9:00 am & 12:00 pm

Friday, November 15th Jeans Day

Jeans Day

Friday, November 22nd

Mid-term missing work deadline

For updates and additional information, please visit our campus website: https://draper2.americanprep.org/

Report volunteer hours via email: volunteerdraper2@apamail.org

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October Builders Theme - I am a Builder when I am Perfectly Honest

Why should we be perfectly honest? Because honesty lets people trust us. Having others' trust is vital to our success both in school and in life. If our friends trust us perfectly, they can count on us to speak and act truthfully and be there for them in every way. When our parents trust us perfectly, they can allow us to make more choices and have more freedom.

Honesty is a life-long quest and something we have to work on all of the time, not just when we are young. If we make a mistake by telling a lie or leaving out important information or fail to be perfectly honest in any way, we can always try again tomorrow. Being perfectly honest is a great goal for our whole life.

From the Academic Office

Academic Update - Parent Teacher Conferences

The Parent Student Handbook states:

Parent-Teacher conferences will be held at the end of first and beginning of the 5th terms, in which academic goals are set for each student with input from parents and, at times, students. Parent-Teacher conferences are listed in the school calendar and all parents are expected to attend these conferences. A third Parent-Teacher conference is held mid-year which is an optional conference that parents or teachers may request.

Parent-Teacher Conferences will be held Wednesday, October 30 and Thursday, October 31. These will be a 12:15/12:30/12:45 pm dismissal day for all students. There are no after school activities on these days. This is a mandatory PTC and all parents are required to schedule a 15 minute block to meet with their student's homeroom teacher. Please watch your email for a sign-up genius link that will be sent.

It is important to have the opportunity to meet with the teachers to discuss your student's progress. If needed, teachers will bring up concerns and make goals to help your student be successful throughout the year. Thank you for your participation.

Field Trips & Donations

All of our 1st - 6th grade students have taken a fun field trip! The cost of buses for field trips is about \$11.00 per student per trip. We would appreciate your kind donation to support these experiences (\$11 for Kindergarten, \$22 for grades 1-6).

Please go to https://www.americanprepfoundation.org/draper-2 to donate. All donations are tax deductible.



Jeans & Polo Day - Thursday, October 31st

Jeans and polo day is scheduled for any student who had no #7 card moves (unprepareds) for the previous two weeks. Please watch your student's learning plan on October 30th for the jeans sticker. Uniform polo shirts can be worn with jeans.

If your student did not earn jeans and polo day for Thursday, October 31st, they are to wear their regular Thursday uniform.

E-Books Available!!

Need a book quick? Want easy access to RU books? Try checking out e-books. No trip to find one! No late fees ever! Find 4th-6th grade RU books available through the Salt Lake County Library by using the e-book downloadable lists found on the APA RU website, aparu.weebly.com, under the More tab. Many thanks to the Reading University Committee for providing these lists.

From the Administrative Office

Drop Off

Please be extra aware and vigilant in the mornings. These are the darkest mornings of the year before Daylight Savings begins. Please watch carefully on the roads and as you drive on our property.

Pictures, Pictures, Pictures

We are starting to gather pictures for our 2019-2020 Draper 2 yearbook. Some of our best yearbook pictures last year were submitted by our parents taken at various school events, field trips and programs!

We would appreciate any pictures that you might take that would be suitable for the yearbook. Please submit them to mminson@apamail.org and, as always, thank you so much for your help.

School Lunch

REMINDER!! ORDER YOUR STUDENT LUNCHES FOR NOVEMBER!! https://apalunch.h1.hotlunchonline.net/ Please email lunch@apamail.org for assistance.



Upcoming Event Details

Early Dismissal Days - October 30th, 31st

School will dismiss at 12:15 pm, 12:30 pm, and 12:45 pm. The buses will leave at 12:25 pm. Please make arrangements for your students to be picked up early on these days.

Kindergarten students will attend *for the entire time listed above.*

- AM Kindergarten attends October 30th please watch for an email with details about afternoon pickup
- PM Kindergarten attends October 31st

Uniform Sale - October 30th, 31st

We will have a uniform sale on Wednesday, October 30th, 12:30-7:00 pm, and Thursday, October 31st, 12:30-2:30 pm. Both new and used uniforms will be available.

If you plan to purchase used uniforms, please be sure to bring plenty of \$1.00 bills. We will NOT have change to exchange your large bills to put the proper amount of money in the envelopes.

Lost and Found

We have been holding all the items collected during the first part of the year and will have tables with all of these items during our Parent-Teacher Conferences at the end of October.

Spirit Wear

American Prep Apparel will have a pop-up store at Draper 2 during parent teacher conferences. We will have spirit wear and NEW SWEATSHIRTS available to try on and purchase. Come check it out!

Don't forget that we also carry the uniform pants now. We have the new girls blue pants and the boys/girls Friday uniform khaki pants. :-)

If you have any additional questions, please email apparel@apamail.org.

Veterans Day - Celebration Details - November 13th

We are very excited for our Veterans Day celebration which will take place on Wednesday, November 13th! We will have two assemblies to honor our Veterans, one at 9:00 a.m. and one at 12:00 p.m. This assembly is an opportunity for students and families to invite a Veteran friend or family member to come and be honored by our student body. We usually have about 80 Veteran guests! It is a wonderful event. Due to



space constraints in our gymnasium, only parents who are accompanying Veteran guests or parents who are volunteering at the event are able to attend in person. We hope to livestream the assembly so parents can watch it online!

Be thinking about a Veteran you could invite to this wonderful assembly! We will be sending home an invitation you can give to a Veteran in your youngest or only student's docket, next week. Watch future emails from your student's teacher, or look at the list below, to learn which assembly your child will be attending.

9:00 am Assembly

First Grade	Durling	Henry	Limbean
Second Grade	Diamond	Mair	Hooley
Third Grade	Tefteller	Palumbos	Strong
Fourth Grade	Hyer	Jaccard	Cain
Fifth Grade	Bodily	McKeever	Ames
Sixth Grade	Henderson	Weiss	Burkholder

12:00 pm Assembly

First Grade	Davis	Nath	Botcher
Second Grade	Foster	Herrera	Johanson
Third Grade	Wanner	McKeague	
Fourth Grade	Minniear	Pope	Malan
Fourth Grade Fifth Grade	Minniear Wilding	Pope Sahagun	Malan Erickson

<u>Character Development Corner - Mandy Brown</u>

This week we added a new video to watch during chew time. It is a video where we interviewed "Charlie Bucket" from "Charlie and the Chocolate Factory" by Roald Dahl. Ask your student what advice they learned from him.

- 5th and 6th Grade students have events coming up in December, so save the date! Sign up information will be in next week's newsletter.
- BEACH BASH
- Thursday, December 5th, 12:30 to 3:00, FIFTH GRADE
- Thursday, December 12th, 12:30 to 3:00, SIXTH GRADE

Have a great week practicing being **perfectly honest!**



From our Family School Organization (FSO) - Nicole Harman

The FSO has a few volunteer opportunities available right now and we would really appreciate your help. Next week will be our first Parent Teacher Conferences for this school year. Our staff works so hard during these conferences and we like to say thank you by providing them a dinner and lunch. The dinner signup is mostly full but we are still in need of quite a bit of help with the lunch. Please follow the following links to sign up.

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050844a8ac22a7fd0-parent1 https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050844a8ac22a7fd0-parent2

Another way that you can help ASAP is by sending in any Boxtops you have collected. These can be turned in to your teachers or the front office. Our first deadline is next Friday and we would like to send in at least 1000 Boxtops. All proceeds from this Boxtop drive will be used during staff appreciation week to help make it even more special for our staff.

Lastly before we went on break, you should have received some papers regarding Boxtops and the new app that they have developed. This app is a quick and easy way for you as parents to support our school. Please check out the following flyers for more information. Our Boxtop goal for this year is \$3500. This is about \$5 per family and we believe this goal can be achieved! Once we reach this goal, your children will earn a free shoe day. If you have any questions, please contact us at draper2fso@apamail.org

https://www.boxtops4education.com/-/media/GMI/boxtopsforyoureducation/CRC-Downloads/June_19/BTFE_Overview.ashx?la=en

https://www.boxtops4education.com/-/media/GMI/boxtopsforyoureducation/CRC-Downloads/BTFE_FamilyLetter-Final.ashx?la=en

Other Items

There will be a Fitness Class (PUSH) on Saturday mornings at the Draper 3 campus. PUSH fitness classes will be taught by our Track and XC coach Donald Brown for all adults and older students (16-18 with permission from parents). If you are interested, please check out the attached flyer.



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Looking For An Accountant

APEF is in search of an accountant. If you are a CPA with experience working with non-profits, please email me. Feel free to pass this information on to your friends and family members as well.

APEF Board Of Directors

The APEF Board is looking for energetic leaders to fill vacancies on the Board. More details to come soon. If you have an interest in applying for one of these positions, please contact me.

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Turn your everyday shopping into earnings for Builders Club and contribute to our teacher and staff bonuses. At Shop with Scrip you buy gift cards at face value (e-gift cards to use right away or physical gift cards to be delivered to APA and then distributed to you) and APEF earns rebates up to 20% of the value of the gift cards. With more than 750 companies participating (Target, WalMart, Chipotle, Wendy's, Starbucks, etc.), the rebates can add up quickly with your participation. Go to www.shopwithscrip and use enrollment code 3BC6A91D65L66. Thank you for your support of our teachers and staff!

4th Annual Holiday Boutique

APA's 4th Annual Holiday Boutique is just 2 weeks away! We still have space for vendors and student vendors. Details, as well as the vendor and student applications, can be found at https://www.facebook.com/groups/apaboutiquevendors/. The cost for a student booth is \$10.

Can you help us? Please go to the following link to sign up:

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050548A5AB2EA7F49-4thannual



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