



AMERICAN PREPARATORY ACADEMY

March 30, 2020

Draper 2

Home Learning Edition



Friday, April 3
April 6 - 10

Last Day of Term 4
Spring Break - No School, School Closed

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

March Builders Theme

I am a builder when I am willing to try and believe in myself.

“A person who has never made a mistake has never tried something new.”

- Albert Einstein

Our willingness to try is directly correlated to our ability to handle mistakes. Whenever engaging in a learning situation with anything new, it is inevitable that one will make a few mistakes. If we view mistakes as learning instead of failure, it can improve our willingness to try and boost our confidence. Confident people are not afraid of making a mistake or being corrected. Viewing mistakes as learning opportunities helps us get things correct and forms one of the foundations of the Classical Liberal Arts Education Model.



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From the Academic Office

Message from Director

Character Development

Our amazing Character Development team has made this new video for your students:

- https://youtu.be/ds1V_l-FHQg

Reading University - E-books available

[E-book resources can be found here.](#)

Parent Assistance with ALMA

Here is a [Cheat Sheet for Parents](#) needing help logging into Alma. Feel free to contact the Academic Coordinators for help.

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From the Administrative Office

Coming to the School

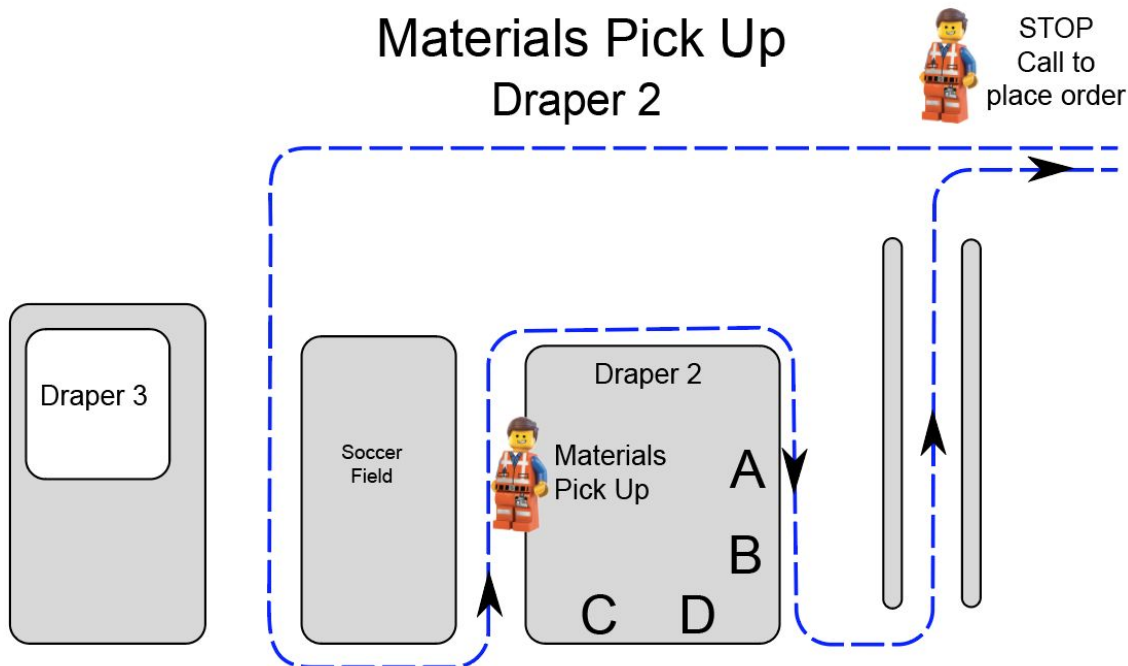
To reduce exposure to our staff and families, we are no longer scheduling appointments to come into the school. All items will be distributed in a “drive through” method as outlined below. However, schools are an essential service, and parents should feel confident driving to the school to get necessary materials or packets.

Groups Materials Pick Up

Groups classes (Intensive Math, Reading, and/or Spelling) will begin this Friday. Some students did not take home their books and notebooks for groups. Others left personal items or books. We are delivering these materials as follows:

Tuesday March 31 3:00 pm to 8:00 pm - Please come get ALL materials on this day!

All materials will be delivered in a “drive through” line. **Please do not park or come into the school**, but follow the map below.





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Packet Pick Up

If your student needs to pick up packets from the school, you will receive an email from the homeroom teacher with the date and time. All pick ups will happen behind the school in a “drive through” line. Teachers and instructors will stand outside to distribute packets while you stay in the car.

How to Call or Leave a Message

- Call 801-810-3590
- Press 0001 or 0002 during the message
- If you go to voicemail, leave a message
- Press #
- Press 0

All messages are forwarded to the secretaries and will be answered as soon as possible.

Yearbook Orders

This is the school year we will never forget! Our yearbook will contain four extra pages reflecting our Learning at Home experience. Please order now!

ONLINE ORDERS ONLY

Cost: \$20.00 Softcover \$25.00 Hardcover

All orders must be placed by Sunday, April 12th, 2020

<https://draper2.americanprep.org/yearbook-orders/>

Emails are monitored

Parents, please monitor all communication that your students are having on the computer, including emails and group chats. We want you to know that we also have a program that monitors ALL communication, and the Academic team is alerted to anything that is troubling in the text that is sent out. This includes conversations between students.

If there are inappropriate conversations happening, you will receive a phone call from your Academic Director. Thank you so much for your help in helping our students learn proper online etiquette.



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Home Learning Resources

We have developed a website page for Home Learning Resources:

<https://draper2.americanprep.org/home-learning-resources/>

Re-Enrollment Update

We have canceled all our re-enrollment meetings due to the restrictions from COVID-19. We are creating an online meeting that parents will attend virtually - it is a short video, followed by a survey. Once the video and survey are ready, we will send the link and unique enrollment code for each student. After you complete the form for each student, they will be registered for next year.

Campus Transfers

If you want to transfer your student to a different American Prep campus, please complete this form: <https://www.americanprep.org/enrollment/utah-application/> Use the code: Transfer2020

Enrolling Siblings

If you have a child that does not yet attend APA, but you want to enroll them for this coming school year, they will receive priority enrollment. This includes incoming kindergarten students. However, they get priority based on available seats, and we are filling up fast! Be sure to complete this form ASAP. Use the code Sibling2020

<https://www.americanprep.org/enrollment/utah-application/>

School Lunch Update

We are not serving school lunch during the dismissal due to COVID-19. You can find locations near you that serve free breakfast and lunch to children ages 1-18 by [clicking here](#).

All About Activities

Learn to Code Online - Another Free Offer

Tynker is offering free access to their coding courses during the Covid-19 outbreak.

<https://www.tynker.com/>



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Free Audio Books - Audible.com

For as long as schools are closed, we're open. Starting today, kids everywhere can instantly stream an incredible collection of stories, including titles across six different languages, that will help them continue dreaming, learning, and just being kids.

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<http://stories.audible.com>

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