



# AMERICAN PREPARATORY ACADEMY

January 10th, 2025

DRAPER 3



## UPCOMING EVENTS

Tuesday, January 14th

Wednesday, January 15th

Monday, January 20th

January 21st-24th

Friday, January 24th

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Tuesday, January 28th

Virtual Parent Empowerment Night (7pm)

SGL Training (2-4pm)

MLK Day- **NO SCHOOL**

Spirit Week

Noon Dismissal- Early Release

Winterim Spirit Assembly

**9th-12th Grade Spirit Stomp (8-10pm)**

9th Grade Capitol Trip (8am-1:45pm)

### **Virtual Parent Empowerment Night**

Did you know there were around 580 victims of human trafficking IN UTAH in 2022? And over 700 cases since 2007 IN UTAH. This issue is not happening just in other places: this is happening on our streets. Sex trafficking, labor trafficking, male, old, young. Do you know how to spot? Please join us for our Virtual Parent Empowerment night on **Tuesday, January 14th at 7pm** to learn what human trafficking is, how to spot it, how to arm yourself against it, and how to report it. Join us with this link:

<https://uetn-org.zoom.us/j/84652487368>



## **From the American Prep Education Foundation**

Happy New Year! We are excited to offer a new opportunity for our APA community this year! We are fortunate to be part of a vibrant community filled with successful, entrepreneurial, and creative individuals like you. In the spirit of supporting one another, we are excited to offer our APA Community's Business Directory. It's easy to join. Visit [APA Community Business Directory Form](#). Let's work together to build a thriving, interconnected community. We hope you'll join us in making this directory a success!

## **Spirit Week**

Spirit Week 2025 is almost here! January 21-24, students will have fun-filled opportunities to show their school pride and compete for the ultimate bragging rights! Each day, students earn points for their grade by dressing up and participating in the themed activities, culminating in the White Out Assembly on Friday. To ensure a positive and respectful environment, we ask all students to follow the school's dress code guidelines while participating.

Here's the Spirit Week schedule:

- Tuesday, Jan 21: Spirit Wear! Students can wear APA spirit gear to show their pride.
- Wednesday, Jan 22: Color Day! Each grade is assigned a color to wear—students should check with their teachers for details. The student council will be selling pizza slices for \$3 and cookies for \$2 at lunch. Each grade can find their assigned color in the attached document.
- Thursday, Jan 23: USA Day! Students are encouraged to wear red, white, and blue to celebrate patriotic pride.
- Friday, Jan 24: White Out! Everyone dresses in white for the grand finale, with the White Out Assembly to close out the week.

We can't wait to see everyone's creative and spirited outfits while fostering a sense of community and friendly competition! Please visit the following link for more details:

[https://docs.google.com/document/d/1C5NTqN9Z0Lqcv61j-2nlkh3uLZ7BPt6ArrnOIA2\\_IOA/edit?usp=drive\\_link](https://docs.google.com/document/d/1C5NTqN9Z0Lqcv61j-2nlkh3uLZ7BPt6ArrnOIA2_IOA/edit?usp=drive_link)

## **Spirit Stomp**

9-12th graders: The Spirit Stomp dance is on Friday, January 24th! The dance will run from 8:00-9:30, after the basketball game. Tickets are on sale now in the front office for \$5!

## **-Reminders-**

## **Science Fair Judges Needed**

You are cordially invited to be one of our esteemed judges at the **2025 Salt Lake Charter Schools Scientific Forum**. Science competitions are not possible without many people generously donating their time to judge and, in doing so, provide meaningful feedback and inspiration to student scientists.



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**Date:** **Friday, February 7, 2025**

**Location:** Salt Lake Community College - Miller Campus on 9750 S 300 W Sandy, UT 84070. ([map](#)).

**Time:** 1:00 PM- 4:15 PM

**What:** 150 projects from 15 different schools, grades 5-12.

**Food:** Yes, **we will be providing lunch: Sandwiches, chips, salad, fruit, drink**

If you would like to judge this year, please register from our website using the following link.

[Judge Registration](#)

The registration form will help us better match your expertise to that of the students competing in this fair. The most important requirement is that you are willing to talk with students and encourage their interest in the sciences. Please contact Tara Wion at [chartersciencefair@gmail.com](mailto:chartersciencefair@gmail.com) if you have any questions.