# Archway Glendale Bi-Weekly E-Blast August 22nd, 2019

## Please Read - Even if You Don't Plan on Reading Anything Else in This Blast!

Drop-off:

- Tardies are now counting against students. We suggest you arrive on campus between 7 and 7:15 when there are hardly any cars on campus to prevent your student from being tardy. Students must be unpacked and in their chairs by 7:40.
- You do not have to immediately get in the left lane to drop off. Please flow with the traffic and move over when you are able to.
- Please pay attention to the faculty that is directing traffic and working outside. They are there to help maintain safety.
- Please DO NOT drop students off anywhere other than the curb near the school.
- Police and Archway Glendale staff will be intermittently monitoring Planada Ln to be sure students are not being dropped off. Please pay attention to the signs all along the streets surrounding Archway Glendale:





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## **Important Dates**

8/22 Fourth and Fifth Grade Curriculum Night 6 to 7 pm

8/23

Half Day K-2 pickup at 11:30 am 3-5 pickup at 11:45 am

8/27 Second and Third Grade Curriculum Night 6 to 7 pm • Please watch these drop-off videos and contact the school office if you have any questions. <u>Archway Glendale Drop-off, entering from the South</u> <u>Archway Glendale Drop-off, entering from the North</u>

Pick-up

- Pick-up has been going better this week.
- If you have a pink tag and arrive on campus before 2:40, you will be asked to circle around until students arrive in the MPR. Third through fifth grade students do not arrive to the MPR until 2:45. Adding the names of third through fifth grade students to the queue clogs it up.
- Please watch this pick-up video and contact the school office if you have any questions. <u>Archway Glendale Pick-up</u>

# **Curriculum Events**

Parents are invited to attend grade level curriculum events this month! The kindergarten and first grade event was on Saturday, August 17th. Thank you to all the kindergarten and first grade parents who attended! Curriculum Night for fourth and fifth grade is tonight from 6 to 7 pm and Curriculum Night for second and third grade will be held on Tuesday, August 27th, from 6 to 7 pm.

## **Upcoming Parent Events**

On Tuesday, September 10th, Archway Glendale will host a Singapore/Spalding Night for parents. Singapore training for parents only will take place from 6 to 6:45 pm, followed by Spalding training from 7 to 7:45 pm. Come for one or the other or stay for both!

The goal for Archway Glendale this year is, WE CHOOSE JOY! Please join us for a Choose Joy Night for parents only on Tuesday, September 24th, 6 to 7 pm in the MPR. Parents will learn more about the goal and gain some techniques to help their children choose joy!

# Academy Giving

Hello Archway Glendale families!

What an exciting year we all have ahead of us! We have the privilege of serving as your Academy Giving workforce for Archway Glendale. Our role is to raise the necessary funds for our school that make our classical liberal arts curriculum possible. We do this through two campaigns that are vital to our school, the Community Investment Campaign and Arizona Public School Tax Credit Campaign. We look forward to partnering with you throughout the school year in supporting our great academy. In the meantime, please feel free to contact us at 623.889.0822 should you need any assistance starting your school year.

9/2 **No School** Labor Day

9/10

Singapore/Spalding Night For Parents 6 to 6:45 pm and 7 to 7:45 pm MPR

> 9/13 St Jude's Math-a-Thon 4th and 5th Grade

> > 9/16

**No School** Great Hearts In-Service

> 9/17 Picture Day

9/24 Choose Joy Night For Parents 6 to 7 pm MPR

#### Save The Dates

10/14 - 10/18 **NO SCHOOL** Fall Break

10/23 - 10/25 MANDATORY PARENT/TEACHER CONFERENCES

> 10/30 **READ-A-THON**

In the service of our students and teachers,

Cathy Sparks and Tonya McHale

#### TAX CREDIT



What happens outside the classroom is an important part of our students' education. It is Archway Glendale's mission to bring up Great-Hearted young people who learn and develop not only through rigorous academics, but also through our after-school clubs, field trips, on-campus events, and other character building programs. The funding for these activities is provided through our Tax Credit drive.

Please help us support our students by giving your Arizona Tax Credit to Archway Glendale. Remember, you will receive you contribution back as a *dollar-for-dollar credit on your Arizona State taxes*. Just <u>click here</u> to make your contribution today. Thank you for supporting Archway Glendale! GO GOLDEN EAGLES!

## Headmaster's Corner

#### WE CHOOSE JOY!

Please remember the happiness advantage at home. Help everyone in the family smile, say please, be polite, friendly, and forgiving. Joy and happiness are wonderful to experience, but they also put us in the best mood to learn and grow.

Are you continuing or will you begin your evening ritual of parents reading to their children? All the research concludes that this is one of the most positively impactful things we parents can do for our children. The effects are quantifiable and multifarious. One of the effects is that the reading ritual at home correlates 1:1 with learning success at school!

Last, but not least, remember an attitude of gratitude leads to beatitude! Be thankful and say thank you from the heart to all those wonderful people who give us blessings and joy in our lives.