

Golden Eagle E- Blast September 10, 2020



Quarter Two TriMega Youth Sports Program

Coach Chris Thomas (GP Cross Country Coach) will be starting the Wednesday sports program in the second quarter. His company is TriMega Youth Sports and he will be offering three classes on Wednesday afternoons from dismissal to 2:45. Please click [here](#) to get more information or to register. Classes will begin on 10/21.

Updated 20/21 Academic Calendar

Please find an updated 20/21 Academic Calendar [here](#). The updates include R and R days (days without homework) and our updated picture day, 10/22.

Distance Learning Attendance and Guidelines

Distance Learning attendance is being taken during the main live Zoom Session with the class, only. If your student is not on time or misses most of the session due to a poor connection, he may be counted absent for the day. Attendance will not be based on Google Classroom work.

Distance Learners must be prepared with all needed materials each day. Please be sure your child is in a quiet place, free of distractions and muted so that no background conversations can be heard.

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Important Dates

9/14

**NO SCHOOL - GREAT HEARTS
PROFESSIONAL
DEVELOPMENT**

Distance Learners who are not able to attend the Zoom sessions should call the attendance line to report the absence.

Please reach out to the [school office](#) with any questions or concerns.

ID's Required on Campus for Visitors and Volunteers

The school office doors are now locked all day. Please ring the doorbell if you are not buzzed in by the office staff. **All volunteers and visitors are required to bring a state issued ID with them!**

For those of you who would like to volunteer, please be sure you fill out the [new volunteer application](#). Arizona Level One Clearance Cards are no longer accepted. The new volunteer background check is more extensive.

Opt-In to Get Text Messages

Text messaging is a quick and easy way to alert parents during an emergency or send reminders. To opt-in, please text "Y" or "Yes" to 67587.

Health and Safety Update from the Dean of Students

Archway Glendale is proud to announce added hand sanitizer and hand washing stations throughout the building. The playground is now equipped with 4 new handwashing stations. The main student entrance lobby has 6 touchless sanitizer stations that service students arriving on campus, entering the lunch room, and going to and from recess. Each classroom has 2 hand sanitizing stations as well. The best way to prevent the spread of infections and decrease the risk of getting sick is by washing your hands, advises the CDC. Archway Glendale is committed to support proper hand hygiene.

Pickup - Orange Tags

9/18

HALF-DAY

Half-Day K pickup @ 11

K-2 pickup @ 11:30

3-5 pickup @ 11:45

9/25

SECOND QUARTER CHANGE DEADLINE

10/2

HALF-DAY

Half-Day K pickup @ 11

K-2 pickup @ 11:30

3-5 pickup @ 11:45

10/5 - 10/9

NO SCHOOL - FALL BREAK

10/12 - 10/16

NO SCHOOL - PROJECT WEEK
AND PARENT/TEACHER
CONFERENCES

If you have an orange pickup tag, please try not to arrive on campus before 2:40 on full school days. The pickup for those with orange tags begins at 2:45.

Second Quarter Change

Families with students in Distance Learning that want to change to Brick and Mortar for the second quarter, should email [Erinn Mobley](#) by 3 pm on Friday, September 25th.

Academy Giving



Did you know that you can **double** or even **triple** your Community Investment and Tax Credit donations to Archway Glendale? Many companies will **match your donations** to our school through their Corporate Gift Matching Programs. Simply reach out to your Human Resources department to find out if your company offers a Corporate Matching Gifts Program. Our teachers and scholars will thank you!

Still, need to make your Community Investment pledge for 2020-21? Just [click here](#) to make a one-time gift or to set up monthly gifts. Thank you for supporting Archway Glendale. We need you now more than ever!

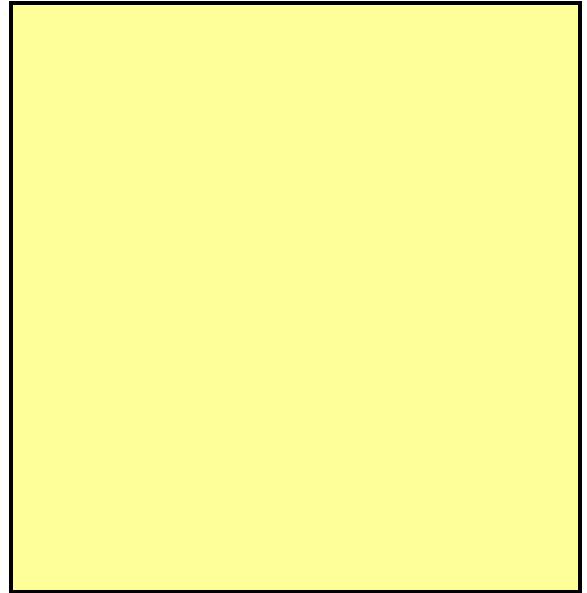
Message from Mr. Kersting

Wow! I cannot believe we are doing Blended, Concurrent, Distance, and Brick and Mortar Learning! Amazing! Who could have imagined back in January of 2020!

I hope your family is surviving and thriving during COVID 2020 Archway Glendale schooling. Please let me know what is working well, and what you think needs to improve. I cannot promise we can improve immediately because my sense is teachers and most families are working at max capacity. However, Nunc

Coepi. We will begin to do better with each new day and each new moment.

If your family is ready to send students back to campus after one quarter of Distance Learning, let us know ASAP (see above for how to notify us) and no later than September 25 so we can make the best possible plans for the 2nd quarter. Remember, if you choose Distance Learning for the 2nd quarter that means your students will not be on campus until 2021. If that is what is best and safest for your family, we support you. If your student is having difficulty thriving in the Distance Learning environment, we are eager to welcome him back to campus. So far we have had no positive COVID cases. Let us hope and pray that continues!



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