

# Golden Eagle E-Blast

## January 6, 2022



### Report Cards Available Today

Archway Glendale Quarter 2 Report Cards are now live on the [Great Hearts Parent Portal](#).

**Report Card Details** - Quarter 2 Report Cards are unique in that they contain a lengthier narrative evaluation. A liberal arts education requires a special kind of evaluation - one that offers a narrative account of the student's development in sense of wonder, depth of inquiry, participation, specific areas of mastery and needs for improvement, and dispositions toward learning and towards teachers and fellow students. The narrative evaluation is much more meaningful than the assignment of a single letter grade or a percentage.

Please use your discretion as your child's primary educator in determining the appropriateness of showing your child his report card. The report card is meant to be a communication tool between you and your child's teacher. You should decide whether it will help or hinder your child's learning to view the report card.

Use the link above to be sure you are able to log in to the Great Hearts Parent Portal. There should be only one account per family for all students who attend a Great Hearts School. For example, if you have students at both Archway Glendale and Glendale Prep, their report cards will be under the same account. Google Chrome or Firefox are the best browsers to use. If you do not remember your Password, please click on the "Forgot Password" button. Please note, the password reset email may take up to 24 hours to receive. Please email [Erinn Mobley](#) if you need any help.

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### Important Dates

**1/14**

HALF DAY

Pickup:

Half-day Kinder @ 11

Full-day Kinder, 1st and 2nd @

11:30

3rd, 4th and 5th @ 11:45

**1/17**

NO SCHOOL

MLK Jr. Day

## Quarter 3 Homework and Enrichment Club

If you would like to register for Q3 Homework and Enrichment Club, please click [here](#). The purpose of the Archway Glendale Homework and Enrichment Club is to provide students an opportunity to start homework in a safe environment with an Archway Glendale teacher after school. Students will take a short break at the end of the school day and then begin focused silent study. Additional Q3 clubs will be announced shortly after Winter Break. Please watch future e-blasts for more information.

## Quarter 3 Faculty/Staff Led Clubs

Quarter 3 Faculty/Staff Led Clubs will begin the week of 1/24 and go through the week of 2/28. Club information will be posted to the Archway Glendale website by 1/14 and club sign ups will go live at 7 pm on 1/18.

## The Griffin Experience Winter Sports Camp on Wednesdays

Glendale Prep is excited to announce the second season of The Griffin Experience: Winter Sports Camp! Basketball, volleyball, softball, baseball, track, and tennis will be included. When registration opens, details will be posted on the Archway Glendale and GP Athletics social media pages. For any questions or concerns, contact Mr. Hawkins at [mhawkins1@glendaleprep.org](mailto:mhawkins1@glendaleprep.org).

## Updated Great Hearts Academies Mitigation Plan

Please visit the school website for the most updated information on the mitigation plan for Great Hearts Academies. Quarantine guidelines have been revised to follow the CDC's most recent recommendations. The full plan may be viewed [here](#).

## GP (Glendale Prep) Sports Info

**Game Schedules:** Visit [Glendale Prep Athletics](#) to view Middle School and High School game schedules. High School schedules and rankings may also be found on

**1/20**  
CLASS PHOTOS

**2/4**  
FUN RUN

**2/4**  
HALF DAY  
Pickup:  
Half-day Kinder @ 11  
Full-day Kinder, 1st and 2nd @  
11:30  
3rd, 4th and 5th @ 11:45

**2/18**  
HALF DAY  
Pickup:  
Half-day Kinder @ 11  
Full-day Kinder, 1st and 2nd @  
11:30  
3rd, 4th and 5th @ 11:45

**2/21**  
NO SCHOOL  
PRESIDENT'S DAY

[AZPreps365.com](http://AZPreps365.com). Middle School standings may be found on [GameSource](#), search for GHMSL.

**APO Volunteers:** The APO is a group of parent volunteers at games! Email the [APO](#) to join or learn more!

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Contact them today and tell them Glendale Prep sent you!

## What Are All These Portals?

Archway Glendale and Great Hearts use many different portals. It can be confusing to know which portal to use for what. Hopefully, the list below will help you:

**Enrollment Portal:** The Enrollment Portal is used to apply for enrollment or to re-enroll in a Great Hearts school.

**Payment Portal:** The Payment Portal is unique to Archway Glendale and is where you will go to purchase Student Materials, register for clubs and other special events, etc. If you have students at other Great Hearts schools, you will have a separate Payment Portal for each school. Please note there is also a Great Hearts Payment Portal used for students who attend Athenaeum.

**Great Hearts Parent Portal:** The Great Hearts Parent Portal is used to access grades for each of your students no matter how many Great Hearts schools they might attend. The Great Hearts Parent Portal is open 4 times a year for parents to view report cards.

## Lost and Found

If your student has lost an item at school, please be sure to send them to the Archway Glendale Lost and Found. It is located right outside the school library and can be checked before or after school or by asking a teacher for permission. Clearly labeled items are returned to the student's

classroom. ALL items that were not claimed before Winter Break have been donated or discarded.

Parents are welcome to check the lost and found themselves. Please come to the school office to sign in (make sure to bring your ID).

## Headmaster Corner

Dear Archway Glendale Families,

Happy New Year!

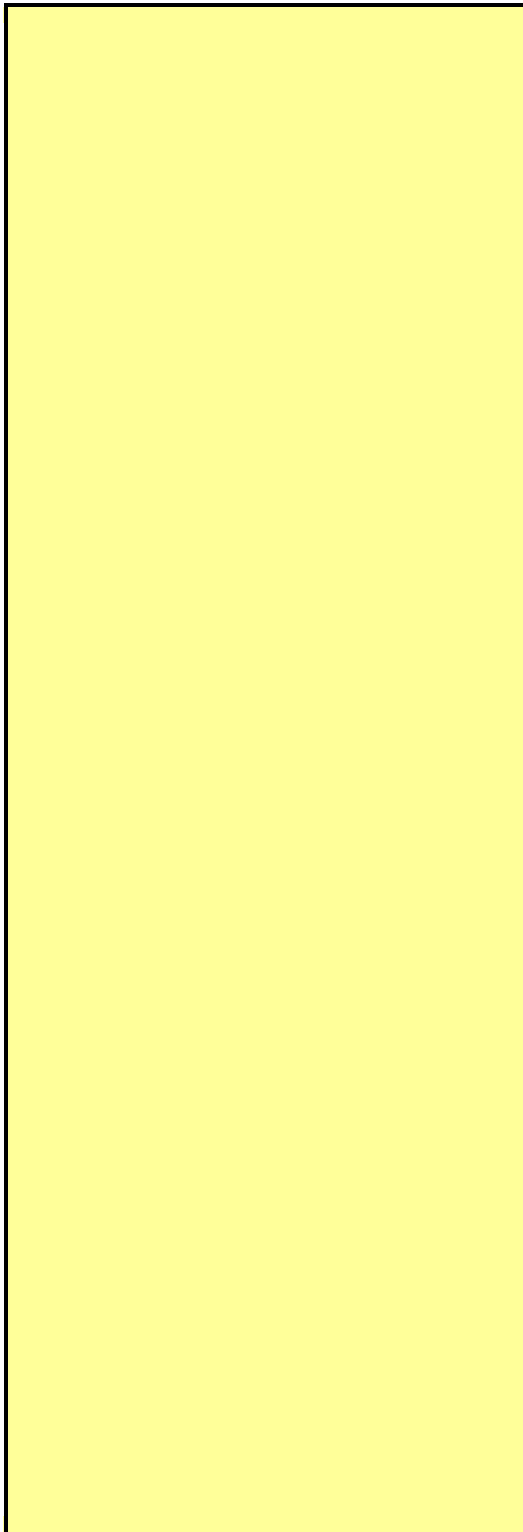
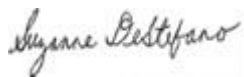
During this year of strengthening our roots, our teachers spent time yesterday reviewing previous thematic goals integral to our school's culture--building growth mindsets and building a culture of joy. I truly believe that these two foundations of our culture helped us to successfully navigate many of the challenges that Covid has presented.

Growth mindset is a mental framework that helps people enjoy the process and challenge of learning something new. It replaces the shame and shutdown of making a mistake with respect and inspection for tackling a new endeavor. To create a culture of growth mindset in the classrooms, teachers use specific praise that acknowledges the process rather than the product, and they show appreciation for students' mistakes as part of the learning process.

In the 2019-20 school year, our thematic goal was "Choose Joy," and joy has remained a steady part of our beautiful school. We focus on gratitude for small things, build a strong social network, and let praise flow.

I am so proud to be a part of a community that embraces a growth mindset and actively chooses to be happy even when faced with obstacles.

With gratitude,



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