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| • January 9 | Parent Empowerment Meeting, 7 PM |
| • January 10 | No Academic Extended Day |
| • January 12 | Elementary Mid-Term Missing Work Deadline |
| • January 13 | Band Camp 10am - 1pm |
| • January 15 | NO SCHOOL, Martin Luther King Jr. Day |
| • January 16 | Maturation Night for 5th Grade, Girls at 5 PM and Boys at 6 PM |
| • January 16 | Re-enrollment/Celebration of Excellence Meeting, 7 PM |
| • January 17 | Re-enrollment/Celebration of Excellence Meeting, 8:30 AM |
| • January 19 | NOON Dismissal |
| • January 27 | Saturday School - Secondary students remediate tardies |

January Builders Theme: I am a builder when I work diligently

One of the biggest deterrents to working diligently is wasting time. When we look back on our day and how time passed –often we realize what could’ve been accomplished with that time. There are many ways to waste time, but one of the most common is by allowing ourselves to get distracted or discouraged about our tasks and assignments. When the urge to roam hits, take a deep breath and be still while you refocus yourself by remembering your objective.

Parent Empowerment Meeting - January 9

Our next parent empowerment meeting will be about child safety and human trafficking. This will be a virtual meeting at 7 PM on January 9th. You can join this meeting by using the following zoom link: <https://uetn-org.zoom.us/j/84062701727>. *Reminder - Secondary students can remediate tardies by joining the meeting with their parents. One tardy per student/parent who attends.*

Secondary Band Camp - January 13, 10am - 1pm

All 7-9th grade band students should plan to attend. If you can only be there part of the time, that’s more preferable than you not being there at all. Lunch will be served (pizza and pop). Please confirm with Ms. Shearer at sshearer@apamail.org.

Celebration of Excellence Re-enrollment Meetings- January 16 and 17

Returning families, these are the required steps for re-enrollment for next school year.

1. Attend Celebration of Excellence Meeting. These will take place on January 16th at 7 PM or January 17th at 8:30 AM.
2. Your student must meet all promotion benchmarks.
3. Fill out re-enrollment via Skyward. This will only be opened after you attend a celebration of excellence meeting and any meetings regarding promotion.

Elementary Builders of the Month

Congratulations to our Elementary Builders of the Month for December.

MiKale Bateman	Jessica Dominguez	Piper Farish	Chloe Hicks	Cordelia Kellersberger	Ezra Lingwall	Izzy Lingwall
Emberlee Meyers	Dawson Nielson	Sage Nielson	Steel Peterson	Kenzie Shubin	Colin Stetser	Lachlyn Watson

Winterim Assistance

We have several classes that would benefit from parent volunteers during Winterim. Please contact the teachers listed if you are available.

Winter Adventure (going outside regularly) - Period 1 from 8:00 am - 9:47 am whillyard@apamail.org

Cooking - Periods 1&2 from 8:00 am - 11:18 am thicks@apamail.org

We also have several field trips that we would love to have parents help supervise:

Hill Air Force Base - Wednesday, January 10 8:00 am - 1:30 pm nabraham@apamail.org

Cooking - Friday, January 12 8:00 am - 11:18 am thicks@apamail.org

Service - Wednesday, January 17 8:00 am - 1:30 pm whillyard@apamail.org

Mrs. Hillyard is looking for plastic grocery bags and clean, empty water bottles for a couple of service projects for her winterim classes. If you have some that you'd be willing to share, you can have your students drop them off at the front offices, and she will collect them.

Names on Personal Items

Please make sure that your students' names are on all personal items they bring from home. Winter coats, water bottles, sweaters (students take them off frequently at recess and forget them), lunchboxes, and backpacks should all have a name written on the inside tag. Every break, we clean out the lost and found and donate all unclaimed items to a charity.