

2023-2024 College Pathways

Weekly News--Week of April 22



Spring drew on...and a greenness grew over those brown beds, which, freshening daily, suggested the thought that Hope traversed them at night, and left each morning brighter traces of her steps.

~ Charlotte Brontë

In Partnership,

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NEW CP Student Survey

Starting the week of May 6, CP students will be asked to complete [THIS](#) survey. Several of the questions are taken from the parent survey and adapted for students. My hope is to glean valuable input from students about their experience at CP. If you would like to opt your student out of the survey, please email jpeterston1@asd20.org.

Announcements

UPCOMING EVENTS:

April 8 - 26

- Shoe and clothing drive for Charity's Hope...more details below!

April 26

- CP Movie Night, 6:30-8:30 PM (for all CP students; no guests)

April 27

- Prom, 8-11 PM (for CP juniors and seniors only and their guests with approved Guest Form)

Week of May 20

- CP Finals Week. More info below. The final exam schedule can be found [HERE](#).

NEW AND STILL IMPORTANT INFORMATION:

- **CP Finals Week** - Please make sure your student is present at school during finals week, May 20th-24th. Finals start on Monday, May 20th. No finals will be administered early. Students missing a final will need to make it up after the exam date has passed. The final exam schedule can be found [HERE](#).
- **Ongoing NHS activity - Charity's Hope Shoe and Clothing Drive** - Our CP National Honor Society will be hosting a shoes and clothing drive for Charity's Hope! (an organization that assists children and teens in need in our community). During April 8th – 26th (middle week is testing week) please have your student bring in your gently used or new shoes and clothing to put into the box in the CP hallway. It's a change in the seasons – as you are putting away winter clothes and bringing out the Spring garb, please bag up your outgrown, out spaced, outward bound shoes and clothes, bring them into our collection of gifts for Charity's Hope.
- **Understanding Stress Today** - Stress is an ever-present part of life, and Mrs. Wehrman, CP's school counselor, has written another article making sense of what impacts all of us. You can read the article [here](#).
- **TCA SUBSTITUTES NEEDED!**

Types of jobs available: Teacher, Tutor, Office/Kiosk/Health Room, Test Proctoring
Requirements--

- **TEACHER:** Bachelor's degree in any subject **or** HS Diploma + CDE Substitute Teacher Authorization
- **PARAPROFESSIONAL:** High School Diploma or GED
- **Office/Kiosk/Health Room/:** High School Diploma/GED and additional training in the specific area
- **Proctoring:** Bachelor's degree in any subject and additional training in the specific area

To apply please visit TCA's employment site at [here](#) and submit an application for Substitute

IMPORTANT REMINDERS:

- **Immediate Need for CSP and CP** - It's that time of year when we find ourselves running low on both Kleenex and paper towels. If you would be able to pick up an extra box/roll and have your student bring it to the front office, we would be so grateful! Thank you!
- **Looking for ways to bless our staff?** Food is always welcome! We have a "Sunshine Cabinet" in the Staff Lounge that we like to keep stocked with snacks and goodies for staff members to enjoy throughout the week. If ever you want to contribute a treat to the cabinet (whether store bought or homemade, savory or sweet), items can be dropped off in the CSP/CP office.

SNOW DAY AND 2-HOUR DELAY POLICY

Winter weather will undoubtedly impact the school week at some point in the coming months, so I wanted to send out CP's snow day and 2-hour delay policy. As a reminder, TCA follows D20's delay and closure status.

SNOW DAYS

CP functions as an online school. Therefore, snow days or delays are not considered a day off. Students should expect to communicate with teachers via Schoology, Math XL, email, etc., and remain engaged and productive *as per teacher direction* in those classes affected by inclement weather. College Pathways, along with TCA, will follow District 20 closure status.

2-HOUR DELAYS

In the event of a delayed start, the following schedule will apply:

- Classes scheduled prior to 9:45am will be cancelled for meeting on campus – students should expect to communicate with teachers via Schoology, Math XL, email, etc., and to remain engaged and productive *as per teacher direction* in those classes affected by inclement weather.
- Classes scheduled at or after 9:45am will be conducted according to their regular schedule.
- Students may wear blue or black jeans with a CP/TCA approved logo shirt/sweatshirt or an appropriate solid color shirt/sweatshirt.



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