From the Coordinator’s Desk:

**QUOTE:**
“Education is the key to unlock the golden door of freedom.”
George Washington Carver

**STUDY TIP:**
Get real.

When you’re looking at the homework you have to get done tonight, be realistic about how long things actually take.

Gauging that reading a history chapter will take an hour and writing a response will take another 30 minutes will help you plan how you spend your time.

**COLLEGE PREVIEW:**

University of Utah

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**Tutoring**

Held every Monday and Thursday after school until 5pm, all students must check in at tutoring once a week. If you have a **Cor below** in a class, tutoring is **mandatory**.

**ENRICHMENTS**

Enrichments are held every other Tuesday each month from 3:15-5pm. These lessons are **mandatory**. If you are unable to attend you must contact your Coordinator to plan for a makeup enrichment.

**Stipends**

Stipends are based on your participation hours and grades. You must have a 2.5 GPA or above and no failing grades to be eligible for a stipend. You also need to have 4 contact hours each month, which includes enrichments and tutoring.

**Grade Sheets:**

As a reminder, every student will need to turn in a grade sheet at the end of each month. You can print your grades or use a monthly progress report, you must have your teachers sign and confirm your grade.

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**Salt Lake City, UT**

The U is only minutes from rugged mountain bike trails and downtown amenities. Situated at the foot of the Wasatch Mountains in the state’s capital city, campus benefits from and contributes to the rich cultural history and sophisticated metropolis allure of Salt Lake City.

Learn more at the University of Utah on this month’s **COLLEGE TRIP!**
**ACT PREP**

Remember Students you **ALL** have access to Naviance ACT Test Prep through your high school. Here are the directions to set up your account:

**Student Login Instructions:**

1. Go to [connection.naviance.com/laramiehs](connection.naviance.com/laramiehs)
2. Enter your Username: graduation year, first initial, last name (ex. 19jdoe)
3. Enter your Password: naviance (you will be prompted to change your password after initial login)
4. Select Naviance Test Prep near the bottom of your screen
5. Select Get Started and begin Test Prepping!

**Admissions:**

It’s time to apply! Don’t forget to ask your Coordinator about application fee waivers. Start looking for application deadlines so that you don’t miss out!

**Scholarships:**

Check out scholarships via YOUR University’s website!

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**Financial Fact of the Month:**

**Fact:** In the U.S., 29 percent of working women demonstrated basic financial literacy versus 47 percent of working men, according to the [Global Financial Literacy Excellence Center](https://www.gflec.org), or GFLEC.

While women tend to be less financially literate than their male counterparts worldwide, they tend to be more cognizant of where they’re lacking in knowledge, says Annamaria Lusardi, academic director of GFLEC at George Washington University’s School of Business in the District of Columbia.

But educating women about their money is especially critical because it creates ripples into their communities. "Women are important agents for financial literacy," Lusardi says. "Because women tend to care [for] the others around them, that knowledge can enrich not just themselves, which is important, but others around them."

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