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# STAYING ACADEMICALLY ACTIVE DURING VACATION

#### - ZACHARIAH PETERS

As the vacation season approaches, many students look your academic interests or explore new genres to forward to a well-deserved break from their academic broaden your horizons. Reading regularly not only routines. While it's essential to rest and recharge during enhances your vocabulary and comprehension skills this time, staying academically active can also be but also stimulates your imagination and critical beneficial in maintaining momentum. Here are some tips to thinking abilities. help you make the most of your vacation while keeping your mind engaged:

Set Realistic Goals: Start by setting achievable academic resources, such as educational websites, podcasts, or goals for yourself during the vacation period. Whether it's YouTube channels, to delve deeper into subjects you completing a certain number of chapters in a book, find fascinating. Engage in self-directed learning practicing language skills, or working on a personal projects or experiments that allow you to explore your project, having clear objectives can help you stay focused curiosity and develop new skills. and motivated.

Explore Educational Activities: Take advantage of the manage your time effectively during the vacation. opportunities around you to engage in educational Allocate specific periods for academic activities activities. Visit museums, historical sites, or cultural alongside leisure and relaxation. By maintaining a landmarks to expand your knowledge and gain new balance between work and play, you can ensure perspectives. Attend workshops, lectures, or seminars productivity without sacrificing enjoyment. related to your interests to continue learning outside the classroom.

**Read Regularly:** Use your free time to catch up on reading. Choose books, articles, or magazines that align with

Practice Self-Directed Learning: Take initiative in pursuing topics that intrigue you. Use online

Stay Organized: Maintain a schedule or planner to

Collaborate with Peers: Stay connected with classmates or friends who share similar academic interests. Organize study groups, brainstorming sessions, or collaborative projects to work together towards common goals.

learning experience and foster sense camaraderie.

Reflect and Review: Take time to reflect on your academic progress and achievements during the vacation. Review your goals, assess your strengths and areas for improvement, and plan strategies for continued growth. Celebrate your accomplishments and use any setbacks as learning opportunities for the Enjoy your vacation, and happy learning! future

Sharing ideas and resources can enhance your Remember, staying academically active during vacation of doesn't mean sacrificing your well-deserve rest and relaxation. It's about finding a balance that allows you to enjoy your break while also nurturing your intellectual curiosity and growth. By incorporating these tips into your vacation routine, you can make the most of your time off while setting yourself up for success when you return to school

## DORM LIFE AND THE BONDS THAT LAST A LIFETIME

- CORNELL CHAPMAN (BOYS' DORM PARENT)



Dorm life is a unique experience that many students encounter during their educational journey. It offers a blend of independence, camaraderie, and personal growth that can shape individuals in profound ways. While the idea of sharing a living space with peers might seem daunting at first, the bonds formed in dormitories often become some of the strongest and most enduring relationships of one's life. Moreover, the pivotal role of a dorm parent cannot be overstated; they play an instrumental part in guiding, supporting, and shaping the lives of students under their care.

One of the most remarkable aspects of dorm life is the opportunity to form deep and meaningful friendships with fellow students. Living in close quarters, sharing common spaces, and navigating the challenges of academic life together create a bond that is both unique and enduring. These shared experiences foster a sense of community and belonging that can be hard to replicate in other settings.

The late-night study sessions, weekend movie marathons and impromptu hallway chats all contribute to the tapestry of memories that students weave

during their time in the dorm. Over time, these friendships often evolve into lifelong connections, with dormmates becoming confidants, supporters, and even chosen family members.

Central to the dormitory experience is the role of the dorm parent. These dedicated individuals serve as mentors, role models and guardians for the students in their care. They provide guidance and support, help mediate conflicts, and create a safe and inclusive environment where students can thrive.

In many cases, the relationship between a dorm parent and their students extends beyond the confines of the dormitory, with many former residents maintaining contact and seeking guidance from their former Dorm Parents long after they have left school.

Dorm life is more than just a place to sleep and study; it's a vibrant and enriching experience that shapes individuals in meaningful ways.

# GIRLS' DORM CHECKS IN

#### -REKHA JAYKAR

The recent Holi celebration at Corvuss American Academy, masterfully organized by Ms. Rekha and Mr. Chethan, turned out to be an unforgettable experience for the school community. This traditional Indian festival, known for its vibrant display of colors, symbolizes the victory of good over evil and the arrival of spring. The school's grounds were transformed into a kaleidoscopic playground, where students, armed with ecofriendly color powders, engaged in spirited play, drenching each other in a myriad of hues, embodying joy, friendship, and unity. The air buzzed with excitement, laughter, and the beats of festive music, as children ran around, their faces painted in a patchwork of colors, their giggles echoing the pure joy of the moment. The event was more than just a cultural celebration; it was a powerful medium for the students to bond, learn about the significance of Holi, and embrace the diversity that enriches their school community. We ensured that the festivities were not only fun but also safe, with natural colors and ample water, highlighting the importance of sustainability in celebrations. The Holi event at Corvuss American Academy was a beautiful testament to the school's commitment to fostering an inclusive environment where cultural traditions are cherished and shared. As the day wound down, the vivid colors on smiling faces were a reminder of the wonderful tapestry of cultures that the school embodies, leaving everyone looking forward to next year's celebration.









## SPRING BREAK ASSIGNMENTS: A FOUNDATION FOR FUTURE GOALS

#### - LATOIYA PASCUA

#### **Dear Corvuss American Academy Community,**

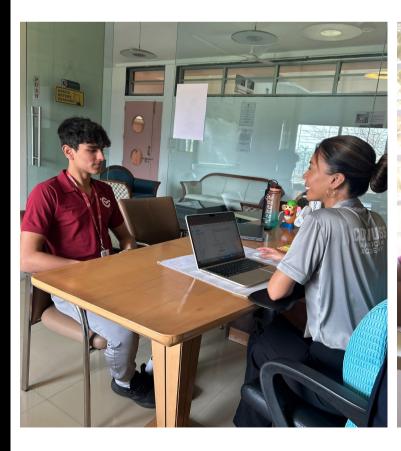
As we approach the eagerly anticipated spring break, a time for rest and rejuvenation, I want to remind our dedicated student-athletes of the unique opportunity this break presents. Understanding the importance of balance between academic endeavors and athletic commitments, I've curated a set of assignments designed to not only keep you engaged but also to inspire thoughtful consideration of your future aspirations.

Spring break is more than a pause from the routine; it's a chance to reflect on personal goals and the steps necessary to achieve them. To this end, each student-athlete has been provided with assignments tailored to encourage introspection and strategic planning for the future. These tasks range from reflective essays and goal-setting exercises to reading assignments that delve into the stories of successful individuals in various fields.

The objective of these assignments is two-fold. Firstly, they serve to maintain a productive rhythm, ensuring that our athletes return ready to tackle the challenges of the remainder of the academic year. Secondly, and more importantly, they are designed to foster a positive mindset geared towards personal and professional growth.

Upon return, I look forward to engaging in discussions about your insights and the goals you've set for yourselves. This is a crucial step in our ongoing journey to not just excel in sports and studies but to also prepare for successful careers beyond the university's borders. Let's use this spring break not just as a period of rest, but as a valuable time to reflect on what we want for our futures and how best to achieve these aspirations.

Stay safe, enjoy your break, and return with renewed vigor and a clear vision for your path forward. Your future is bright, and it starts with the goals you set today.





## FROM THE MARKETING

### -SURAJ ROKADE

## **Dear School Community,**

Corvuss American Academy announces its upcoming Multi-Sports Summer Camp scheduled for May and June! We cordially invite you to join us in this exciting venture. Attached to this newsletter, you will find the Summer Sports Camp brochure detailing all the thrilling activities and opportunities awaiting participants. We urge you to share this brochure with your family and friends, contributing to the success of our camp. At CAA, we are dedicated to nurturing the talents of young girls and boys passionate about sports. Through our camp, we aim to provide a platform for skill development and to uncover the magic of sports. Join us on this journey of growth, discovery, and fun!

Camp Registeration link - <a href="https://corvuss.in/summer-camps-2024/">https://corvuss.in/summer-camps-2024/</a>



# ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE ATTENDANCE ACCOUNTABILITY

# -JEFFERY M. LOVE ( DEAN OF STUDENTS )

Dear Raven Community,

As we navigate through the academic year, I would like to emphasize two key focal points that will contribute to the continued growth and success of our school community.

Firstly, let's prioritize academic excellence. Our school is dedicated to providing you with the tools and resources needed to excel in your studies. Whether it's through dedicated teachers, supportive staff, or innovative programs, let's strive for academic achievement and personal growth.

Secondly, attendance matters. Attending classes regularly is not just a requirement; it's a crucial factor in academic success. Each lesson builds upon the last, and missing classes can hinder your understanding of key concepts. Commit to attend school every day, arrive on time, and actively participate in classroom activities. Your consistent presence will not only benefit your learning but also contribute to a positive learning environment for your peers.

In conclusion, as we approach the joyous occasion of Holi, I urge you to continue striving for excellence in your academics while maintaining regular attendance. Have a fun-filled and safe Holi holiday, cherishing the colorful moments with your loved ones.

Best regards,
Jeffery M. Love
Dean of Students













