

Academy of Advanced Technologies Public Charter School Grades 9-12

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Please remember to check your student's grades regularly on the Spark CANVAS portal. Please do not hesitate to contact us if you need help doing so.

November 6, 2020

Dear Spark Families,

COVID Update:

Once again, we are very fortunate in that the Spark Community appears to remain free of COVID infection. Thank you again for the united effort everyone is making, allowing for us to progress through this school year in a safe manner. Our hybrid model, while still no replacement for full-time in-person instruction, appears to be working well due to the ongoing efforts of students, parents, and faculty. Thank you!





Veteran's Day, Wednesday, November 11th:

We will not hold classes on this date. The rest of the week, Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday will feature our regular class schedule.

Monday	Regular Classes
Tuesday	Regular Classes
Wednesday	Veteran's Day – No Classes
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Thursday	Regular Classes

Parent Teacher Meetings:

We have set aside Wednesday, November 18th, from 1:00 to 5:00pm for you to Zoom with your student's teachers. Please contact each teacher directly through email to schedule the best time to meet. We will be trying to keep these meetings within a 15 minute window. However, please know that you can schedule a meeting with any of us at any time to discuss your student's progress.





Inclement Weather:

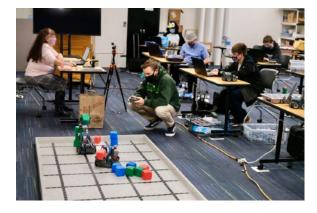
Remote learning has added more flexibility when winter weather strikes. When snow threatens to an extent that travel is likely to be a problem, we will have totally remote days. Announcements will be going out to you via email and the Spark Emergency Communication System.

School I.D. Photos:

We will be taking school I.D. photos next Thursday, the 12th, and Friday, the 13th. We will be supplying our 1st year students with Spark T-Shirts to wear for the occasion and to keep. 2nd year students are asked to wear their Spark T-Shirts. Students who are learning remotely on those dates will have their I.D. photos taken at the earliest date possible.

We do not sell photo packages but will be happy to send photo files to you for you to print as you wish.





Please Continue Spreading the Word:

Thanks to those of you who have been able to connect us with prospective families. In-person tours during the school day seem to work very well as a way of allowing families to get a sense of what Spark is all about. Thank you! Keep up the good work!

Yours in the Spark Mission,

Denis Mailloux

Director