



NEWSLETTER

School news and updates!



A NEW YEAR

The beginning of the year has been excellent! We have been blessed to expand our reach and are affecting more children's lives today than in the prior years.



STUDENT CREED

I Am a student, seeking to be a Scholar.
The standard is excellence today and tomorrow.

I Am disciplined focused and on time.
I Am organized, respectful and responsible.

I Am on a mission, to elevate myself, my family my community and humanity.
I Am Urban Prep Academy.



The student creed is recited every morning during school.



UPDATES

SOUTH CAMPUS OPENING

UP Academy opened its doors to a second Yass Awarded campus! Thanks to the Yass Prize and the Center for Educational Reform, families can choose their children's educational path to success! GO, AVENGERS.



YASS PRIZE AWARD

The Yass Prize has awarded over \$20 million to winners exhibiting the STOP Principles of being Sustainable, Transformational, Outstanding, and Permissionless! Urban Preparatory Academy was a 2022 finalist out of over 4,000 applicants and was awarded \$500,000 for its Permissionless approach toward providing educational opportunities to low and moderate-income families!

UPDATED PLAYGROUND

Partnering with the Rotary Club of East Wichita, Scheels, and Beran Concrete, Inc., we promote new opportunities for children to learn and play, recognizing that play is essential to education.



LITTLE FREE LIBRARY

Storytime Village gifted us with the first in a series of free little libraries that will be installed around the Wichita area. A Little Free Library is a free book-sharing box where anyone can take or share a book.



FIELD TRIPS



Kansas State Fair



Pumpkin Patch

UPA EXPERIENCE

YOUTUBE

We created an Urban Prep experience on YouTube so you can experience the culture of urban prep. Here, we interview students, ask them about their way of life in school, and showcase what is happening in and around Urban Prep Academy.



Urban Prep Academy Wichita

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Our mission is to provide students with a world-class school that gives stu... >

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Education matters, here at Urban Preparatory Academy Wichita, we empower and equip students to be successful! Take control of your child's education.

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PLAYLISTS

UPA PODCAST

We have recently started a video podcast on our channel so you can meet some outstanding scholars who benefit from an Urban prep education.



UPA ATHLETICS

UPA does not only dominate in the classroom they also dominate on the field. We document Urban Prep Athletes to show how their hard work translates into other areas of interest! Avengers

FINANCIAL LITERACY



FINANCIAL LITERACY PROGRAM

7th and 8th Grade

CrossFirst Bank provides a financial literacy course to our 7th and 8th graders every Thursday.

www.upacademywichita.org

I am on a mission to elevate myself, my family, my community, and humanity!" We pledge this each morning! Financial Literacy taught through community partners ensures elevation! Go 7th and 8th Grade AVENGERS!

MORNING MOTIVATION



On each Urban Prep Campus, we begin every day with Morning Motivation. We understand that children are dealing with life outside of campuses, so we take the time to greet and empower them for the day! Understanding what children are going through and the challenging situations they may be facing, we motivate and inspire them and prepare them for classroom learning.



STUDENT RECOGNITION

URBAN PREPARATORY ACADEMY

STUDENT OF THE MONTH

SCHOLAR 1ST GRADE

KAR'MELLO PATRICK

Kar'mello Patrick respects his peers and staff and has demonstrated a growth mindset.

URBAN PREPARATORY ACADEMY

RECOGNIZING

SCHOLAR 3RD GRADE

KNEELAND BROWN

Kneeland Brown is respectful, kind, and supportive of classmates and staff.

URBAN PREPARATORY ACADEMY

RECOGNIZING

SCHOLAR 2ND GRADE

MILANI

Milani is focused, takes her educational journey seriously, and has a good attitude while persevering through challenges.



ATHLETE RECOGNITION

ATHLETE OF THE WEEK
WIDE RECEIVER

**SEN'TONYO
DYAS**



 **FOOTBALL #10**

@upaathleticswichita

ATHLETE OF THE WEEK
RUNNING BACK

**ZHAIDEN
PEREZ**



4TH GRADE

 **FOOTBALL #6**

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ATHLETE OF THE WEEK
RUNNING BACK

**JORDANNI
SWEETEN**



2ND GRADE

 **FOOTBALL #10**

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STAFF RECOGNITION



Recognition
**MS.
TONYA**
Secretary

Ms. Tonya goes over and beyond to help staff and students. Thank you for supporting the progress of Urban Prep wherever needed with love and excellence.



Recognition
**MR.
MATTHEW**
Director of Transportation

Mr. Matthew consistently goes above and beyond to help others, setting a great example of taking the initiative and making sure our scholars are transported safely to and from school each day.



Recognition
**MS.
BROWN**
2nd Grade

We want to recognize Ms. Brown, for going above and beyond to build genuine relationships with her students and families.

UPCOMING

- October 30th
-Pumpkin Contest



- November 17th
-Thanksgiving Feast
- November 20th-24th
- No School/Fall Recess



VISION

We exist to provide educational opportunities serving children from low-income and working-class families who choose and alternate route in their children's educational journey.

MEDIA CHANNELS



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