

Urban Christian Academy

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PARENT NEWSLETTER

DECEMBER 2022

K-5TH GRADE

- Our students who need extra attention are getting one on one help throughout their time at UCA.
- Each of our students in K-5th grades have learned to address letters.
- Our students are learning to tie their shoes, and practicing with free time.
- Students who had low grades are steadily raising them with the help of one on one tutoring.

6TH-8TH GRADE

- Each Friday our 6-8th grades participate in a team building exercise at the beginning of program.
- Our students have had an increase in bonding opportunities with tutors and teachers.
- Each of our 6-8th graders have had tutor check ins daily.
- There has been an increase in added visual aids to motivate students in homework and discipline.
- Each student has been given supplementary work to propel them forward.
- Our 8th graders have taken the selective enrollment test, selected their preferred high schools and now awaiting the results. We will start the review process with our 7th grade once we return from break.

WAYS TO REACH US

- **Urgent schedule change: Text us at anyone of these numbers**
 - Margarita Higgs - 312.315.2730
 - June Gin- 312.952.8928
 - Wendy Chan - 773.818.6421
- **All other changes or needs,**
 - email us at info@ucachicago.org or call 312-404-0153

HOW YOU CAN STAY UPDATED

- ☑ Remind App (using your phone number you can sign up for. text message updates.)
- ☑ Social Media (Facebook, Youtube, Instagram) Follow us at UCACHicago for more updates.
- ☑ Our Website ucachicago.org

UCA CALENDAR

- December 23rd-Jan 6th:
 - CPS and UCA Closed
 - (Christmas Break)
- January 9th: Return to School
- Monday, January 16th
 - (MLK Day)
 - CPS and UCA Closed

WORDS OF ENCOURAGEMENT

The LORD is my shepherd, I shall not be in want. he restores my soul. He guides me in paths of righteousness for his name's sake. Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me.

Psalms 23:1-3



UCA CHRISTMAS FEST DECEMBER 3RD HOSTED BY WCAC

Thank you to all of our students and their families for coming to the Christmas Fest on December 3rd. We are touched by the love that was displayed on Saturday by our partners at Wheaton Christian Alliance Church. They put on a beautiful event that allowed our community to come together. We also want to say thank you to all of our parents for bringing delicious food to our potluck. The fun didn't stop with the food, each of our parents and their students were able to receive a family photo along with an ornament. Our students enjoyed making cards, cookies, bookmarks, and playing games. WCAC volunteers also led our students in a Christmas story drama. We are grateful for the joy that Christmas brings and the hope we get to share.

END OF THE YEAR GIVING

This year we are in need of extra computers for our new students this semester. If you are looking for an organization to give to for your end of the year giving, we would love it if you considered giving to us. If you decide to give to UCA this year please use our website at ucachicago.org, then find our donate tab and donate online. We thank you in advance for supporting us and our students.



**SEE THE NEXT PAGE FOR SOME PHOTOS
FROM OUR CHRISTMAS FEST. THANK YOU
TO ALL WHO CAME AND CELEBRATED WITH
US.**



MERRY CHRISTMAS UCA PARENTS & STUDENTS !

OUR MISSION

Urban Christian Academy offers programs and services in response to community-driven educational needs of students and families with a holistic approach. We bridge cultural and social gaps between families, schools, and communities as we prepare and develop future generations for L.I.F.E.

