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1. **CANVAS Parent Guide:** Parents, many of you are having difficulty with Canvas, We have a parent guide located on our website, under Quicklinks>UMA Documents>CANVAS Parent Guide. You can also [click on this link](#). If you are still having difficulty, please reach out to Mr. Storm via email, as he is also a full time teacher. dstorm@utahmilitaryacademy.org
2. **A Message from Riverdale PD:** Riverdale PD Would like everyone to know that they will NOT Tolerate parking on 1050 W. If you park here to load/unload your Cadets, THEY WILL TICKET YOU. They recommend you park in the far south side parking lot of Target and having your Cadets use the sidewalk, and crosswalk/crossing guard to walk down to you. Please call Riverdale PD if you have any questions.
3. **Schedule Changes** will no longer be accepted. Cadets who have turned in forms up to the end of the day may receive a new schedule on Monday, but no new forms will be accepted next week.
4. **Picture Retakes** will take place October 30. More information to follow, we just want you to have the date in advance.
5. **Fees** Please check your cadets accounts. There are several returning cadets that have misplaced hats and belts over the summer. Those getting replacements have been charged accordingly. We will normally contact you before we charge your cadets account, but it has been exceptionally busy in logistics the first few days of school.
6. **Fee Waivers** There was some miscommunication among the staff about what uniform items are waived. Only the initial uniform and footwear bundle are waived (for those eligible). If you choose to purchase extra items, your cadet requires a new soft uniform

item or footwear, or if they lose something that was issued, those items will not be waived. Thank you for your patience as we get through these new procedures.

7. **Blue Name Tags for Jr. High Only.** Several parents have asked about name tags for their cadets uniforms. They aren't mandatory for the middle school, but we are going to place an order for blue name tags on Friday September 5th. The cost is \$3. Your cadet can pay in the office. Once we place the order it will be about 2-3 weeks to get them back. (Major Gardenour will be placing an order for high school cadets since the name tag is mandatory for them.)
8. **ABU Name Tapes (all grades)** If your cadet would like to purchase an ABU name tape please send them to the office with \$3. Deadline for purchase is 5 September. Send an email to Chief Martin, kmartin@utahmilitaryacademy.org if you have questions.
9. **Dry Cleaning.** We will begin drying cleaning drop off on Friday, August 30th. Please remember **ALL DARK BLUE MILITARY UNIFORMS ITEMS are dry clean only.** Dry cleaning is \$3 for all dark blue items and \$2 for shirts. If you plan to use the dry cleaning service, please send your cadet to get a dry cleaning bag from Major Gardenhour, SMSgt Seipert, or Chief Martin.
10. **UMA Night - Ogden Raptors:** The UMA Baseball Team is holding a fundraiser for Raptors Tickets! Buy them from a UMA Baseball player, or Mr. Vawter! Tickets are \$2/ea. for the August 29th Game!
11. **Reno Air Races-** Please reserve your opportunity asap to attend America's premiere air races. 11-13 Sep. Sign up in the office by 1 Sep. \$150, **(\$80 deposit by 1 Sep, pay in full by 8 Sep), PAY IN OFFICE and get permission slips.** Slots are limited. Parents interested in chaperoning should also contact the office. Cost is \$200 for a single room or \$100 per person if you share. Slots are also limited!
12. **Congressman Bishop Close up-** Great opportunity for top Jrs or Seniors to spend a week in DC with Congressman Bishop and staff. Dates are 27 Nov- 7 Dec. Experience up close and personal the Washington political Scene... See Maj Workman for details, deadline 6 Sep! There is a cost to attend.
13. **PSAT-** PSAT will be provided for any Jrs and Soph that are interested. This test is used to help for selections on some scholarships like the National Merit Scholar, and is a great ACT/SAT practice and indicator. The test will be given in Oct. If you desire to take the test, the cost will be \$10. You must sign up and pay in the office by 9 Sept. We highly recommend cadets take it!!!!
14. **Orchestra TEAM Time-** Starting Monday Mr Kapp will be adding a new TEAM activity, Advanced Orchestra. For those string players that have 2 years of experience, this is a great opportunity. It will be every Monday in the band room. If interest grows, it could become a class again!
15. **Boy Scouts-** UMA is strongly considering adding a Boy Scout Troop to our program. We are looking for interested cadets and adults. Currently we plan on it being a TEAM time event on Mondays. We will start in the Cafeteria and go from there depending on numbers. If you would like to help or desire more information, please contact Mrs Carmen Ciscomani-Obright at carmenobright@gmail.com. Encourage your cadet to attend this monday

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- 16. AirFrame-** Cadets interested in working on Aircraft, the AirFrame class is looking for more cadets. Our new instructor has 30 year of aviation experience and currently is the chief of maintenance for Axiom Aviation. Not only will cadet have the opportunity to work on historic aircraft, they will get practical experience one of the country's fastest growing career fields. Last call, the class is A3 or B3. Must be 16 or very close to participate.
- 17. UNIFORMS-** Please be your cadet's first inspector as they go out the door in the morning. Make sure you both know uniform requirements and that they look sharp. This is especially important when in military uniform. We represent those who have, do, and will serve this nation and it is critical that we always look our best in doing so!
- 18. Student ID-** Now that school pictures have been taken, the ID is mandatory. Cadets will receive an infraction if they leave their ID at home. If your cadet loses their ID a replacement costs \$5. Parents will be notified before an ID is charged to their account.