



Advisement Forum



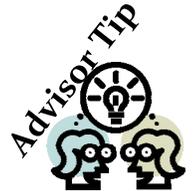
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Agenda

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| 9:00-9:10 | Welcome & Announcements | Wade Oliver |
| 9:10-9:15 | Sub for Santa | Andrea Callaway |
| 9:15-9:20 | Data Update | Wade Oliver |
| 9:20-9:50 | Enrollment Services Updates | Andrew Stone & Team |
| 9:50-10:30 | Diamond Fork Junior High Choir | Maria Lewis & Kids |

With the recent launch of Civitas, I have been looking for ways to incorporate this new tool into our everyday advising sessions. Something useful Civitas has done for my interactions with students is to help prompt the questions that may lead students to share current struggles or successes they may be experiencing. Prior to appointments, I like to compare the student's grade percentage in each course to the listed class average. This often gives me a better idea of where the conversation may need to go during the student appointment. However, I think it is important to emphasize that we as advisors do not bring up their specific grades or that we can view their current Canvas grades.

Brooke L. Tirrell
Academic Advisor-
Exercise Science



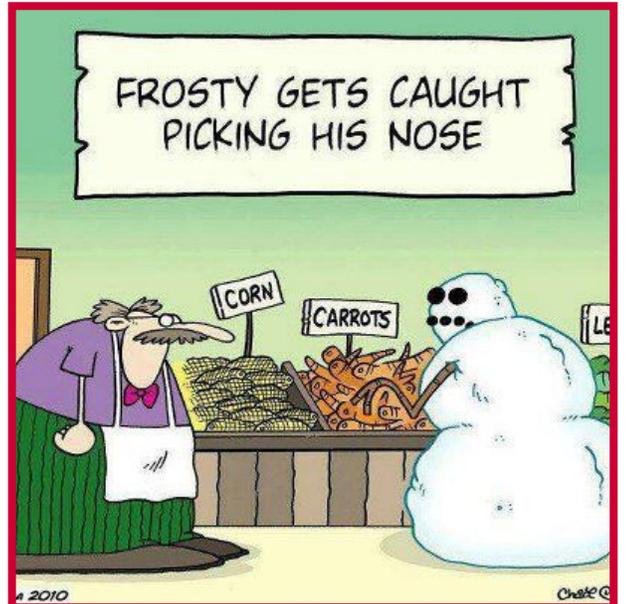
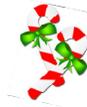
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Unscramble the words, then use the circled letters to answer the riddle:
What nationality is Santa Claus?

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Courtney Brooke Rogers—Biology and Biotechnology

Courtney Brooke Rogers advises UVU's Biology and Biotechnology majors within the College of Science. She just hit her one year mark in October! Connecting with students and listening to their stories about life and what they aspire to become are some of her favorite things about advising. She also loves her coworkers and the team dynamic that they have. Courtney is a Navy veteran and served on active duty for 7 years as a Medical Laboratory Technician. When she returned to Utah, she received her B.S in Psychology at the University of Utah and hopes to go on to complete her Masters degree someday.



Courtney is a single-parent to four wonderfully wild children ages 12, 11 and twin 4 year olds. Her kids would say that her favorite quote is "stop it" or "go to your room". When she is not wrestling kids, Courtney loves to go eat sushi, hike, watch movies-especially scary ones, play games (Exploding Kittens anyone?) and converse with adults. As an avid swimmer, she swam across the entire width of Bear Lake last summer and hopes to do some more lake crossings in the future. She also loves to write poetry in her spare time, do pottery and go herping! Blue and grey are her most favorite colors. The best thing about Courtney is that she loves animals, especially snakes and other reptiles. She has 11 pet snakes currently and hopes to add a few more to her collection. Stop by the Pope Science advising suite and say hello to her if you get a chance, she's pretty awesome!



Must-Try Recipe—Banana Bars

Bars:

- 1 1/2 cup sugar
- 1 cup sour cream
- 1/2 cup butter
- 2 eggs
- 1 3/4 cups (3-4) ripe mashed bananas
- 2 tsp Vanilla extract
- 2 cups flour
- 1 tsp baking soda
- 3/4 tsp salt
- 1/2-1 cup chopped walnuts (optional)

Brown Butter Frosting:

- 1/2 cup butter
- 3 cups powdered sugar
- 1 1/2 tsp vanilla
- 3 Tbsp milk



Thank you for your generous Sub for Santa donations! With your help we were able to aid a UVU student with 5 children as well as a few UVU employees. A special thank you to Bonnie Lamb for donating the quilts again this year! We appreciate your willingness to share and serve others throughout the year!

