



The Husky Howler

Major Wind Storm Hits Northern Utah



After a really hot summer, a chilly fall seems to have hit overnight. On Tuesday, September 8th, many people in Davis County woke up to no power, trees blown down, and school canceled all due to a massive windstorm. Big gusts of wind blew throughout the northern part of Utah and the National Weather Service recorded a wind gust in Farmington that got up to 97 miles per hour! Rocky Mountain Power reported 654 outages, meaning that over 50,000 people didn't have power. Due to the crazy weather, Davis School District and many other schools in the northern part of the state were forced to close school for two extra days after Labor Day. The night before the windstorm hit, weather reports said that there would be wind gusts up to 75 mph throughout the day. The next morning people realized just how much damage that would cause. "It's crazy here, pieces of people's houses are coming off and a lot of fences are down," says Indiana Coyle, "It's bad." Along with fences, everything from trees to basketball hoops and trash cans were blown over. Even the trees along Main Street in Farmington lost a lot of branches and leaves.

While many were excited to have an extra day off after Labor Day, it may have proved to be unproductive. Without internet or electricity there isn't much to do inside and now there is a lot of cleanup needed to fix the damage the windstorm caused. – Abbey Klien

Chadwick Boseman: A life to be remembered

The world mourns the tragic loss of beloved actor Chadwick Boseman. Many will recognize Chadwick Boseman from his roles in movies such as Black Panther, Avengers: Infinity War, Avengers: Endgame, and many others. Chadwick Boseman struggled with cancer for four years and on August 28, 2020 he passed away at age 43.



In 2016, Boseman was diagnosed with stage three colon cancer, eventually progressing to stage four. According to The Associated Press. "A true fighter, Chadwick persevered through it all, and brought you many of the films you have come to love so much. From Marshall to Da 5 Bloods, August Wilson's Ma Rainey's Black Bottom and several more, all were filmed during and between countless surgeries and chemotherapy." In South Carolina where Boseman was born the governor ordered that the flags be flown at half-staff to, "honor the life, contributions, and memory of a truly extraordinary son of South Carolina."

Boseman started his career with a special appearance on an episode of Third Watch in 2003, from there his first film was 42 in 2013. In the movie Boseman portrayed baseball pioneer Jackie Robinson. Before landing this role Boseman had considered giving up acting all together and pursuing a full-time career in directing.

On August 29, 2020 Boseman's last tweet, announcing his death, surpassed over 6 million likes; making it the most liked tweet of all time. Twitter confirmed that it was "a tribute fit for a king," and we couldn't agree more. Boseman's life and memory will forever and always leave an imprint and we are sad to say goodbye to such a young and influential person. -Indiana Coyle

Disaster Hits Gulf!

A storm surge pushed through the Gulf of Mexico recently creating what was considered the strongest hurricane since Hurricane Katrina. Heavy rain flooded towns and cites. Wind pushed thousands of trees down. The Governor of Texas, Greg Abbott evacuated nearly 60 counties! That's two times more counties than Utah! Hurricane Laura was an extremely dangerous storm! At a category 4, the Hurricane built up to 130-251 MPH.

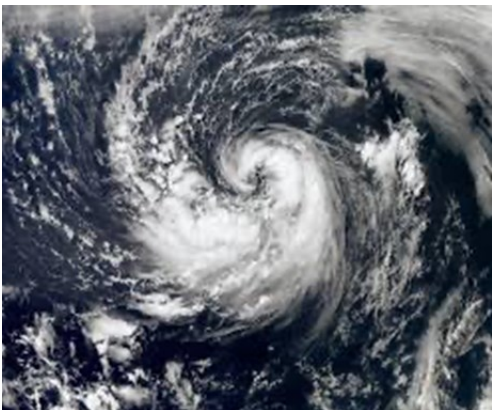


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Prior to Hurricane Laura hitting shore, Donald Jones, a National Weather Service meteorologist in Lake Charles, Louisiana warned, "We are expected widespread power outages, trees down. Homes and businesses will be damaged. I'm telling you, this is going to be a very serious situation." It was a serious situation indeed.

As Hurricane Laura hit many people choose not to evacuate, stayed in their homes and survived! Sadly, some later died from generator fumes! Brianna Sacks a BuzzFeed News Reporter said,"Everyone knew Rosalie Lewis as the first Black woman postal service supervisor in Louisiana. Her husband, John Lewis, was a Kroger truck driver who knew every bayou backroad. On Thursday, they hunkered down with three other family members to ride out the historic Hurricane Laura, with winds so powerful it shredded nearby homes. They survived; their house did too. Hours later, four of them were dead from generator fumes.

A hurricane is this life-threatening wind storm that can bring heavy rains, high winds, a storm surge, and even tornadoes. An ordinary hurricane can dump six inches to a foot across a country. The most violent winds take place in the eye wall, the ring of the clouds and thunderstorms closely surrounding the eye. Every second, a large hurricane releases the energy of ten atomic bombs. Hurricane Laura is a very dangerous hurricane that destroyed many businesses, stores, churches, and homes. –Julia Torman

U.S. Coin Shortage

A coin shortage has hit the United States affecting many open businesses, big and small. There is not a shortage of coins, but rather, the lack of the use of them. This is caused by months of closed stores, as well as less usage of coin related activities, such as the use of a parking meter, or a vending machine. The Federal Reserve has already come out with a plan. They have imposed a temporary cap in attempt to ensure



that the current supply is distributed fairly. They also wrote an article to inform Americans that a U.S. Coin Task Force was formed to identify the situation, to address the possible disruptions

to the coin circulation, as well as put in to action a more in-depth plan. Since mid-June, the U.S. Mint has been working at full production capacity, creating almost 1.6 billion coins only in June and is on track to be creating 1.65 billion coins per month for the rest of the year. Fortunately, as businesses reopen and the economy recovers, more coins will flow back into banking channels and retail, eventually into the Federal Reserve, which should allow for the rebuilding of the coin inventories. In response to this change dilemma, many stores are only accepting exact cash, or credit and debit cards. –Abby Carter

FEATURE

CHADWICK BOSEMAN: *MAY YOU REST IN PEACE*

Chadwick Boseman; Black Panther. Jackie Robinson. Thoth, God of the moon. These are all historical characters that the beloved Chadwick Boseman brought to life on the big screen. Unfortunately, he passed away on August 28, 2020 from a long fight with colon cancer. He died at his home with wife and family by his side.



Image Source: Getty Images

Boseman inspired everyone around him. Whether it was in his many films or on the set, he inspired everyone around him. In an Instagram post the Monday following his death, his co-star Michael B. Jordan wrote, "You showed me how to be better, honor purpose, and create legacy. And whether you've known it or not...I've been watching, learning and constantly motivated by your greatness." CNN quotes Michael B. Jordan, "The thing that hurt Jordan the most, he said, was the fact that Boseman still made movies and even visited children who were fighting cancer while he privately battled the disease himself."

We will all miss Chadwick Boseman, our beloved Black Panther, and our idol. But Anderson, South Carolina wants to also pay tribute to this hero. There is a petition going around to replace the Confederate Memorial with a statue of Boseman. According to FOXNEWS article more than 16,000 people signed the petition that was anonymously sent to the mayor of Anderson. And "Boseman, the petitioner argued, should be honored in his hometown for his Hollywood career, which "opened many doors for many young Black people."-Calia Miller



Can the Show Go On?

With the new school year, we are wasting no time getting back into the swing of things, even if things are a little different this year. All our school's art classes, along with band, choir, cheer, and dance are learning and practicing new skills and working very hard to reach their limit. But the things we are doing this year to keep everyone safe, may prevent us from performing for a live audience. We have seen a little bit of what it will be like for the dance company and cheerleaders. They have started performing at our school's volleyball games and assemblies and have been rocking it. As for the band and choir, they have performance dates set, but in this situation, we really don't know what will happen in the future. And even if they could have the concerts, social distancing, keeping everything clean, and wearing masks while playing instruments and singing, will be hard. It is all crazy, but it is nice to know that our art classes are practically doing everything the same, besides wearing the masks and the social distancing. So with everything changing, you would think that the year would be so chaotic, but just remember to have fun with it and it'll be just as good and memorable as the years before.

-Brookelle Brenchley

No More TikTok?




One of the most popular apps ever could be banned from all of America! With over 800 million followers according to oberlo.com and 80 million of them being American according to wallaroomedia.com, this has a huge impact.



According to cnn.com, Microsoft has been working on buying TikTok from a Chinese company named ByteDance. President Donald Trump commented, "As far as TikTok is concerned, we're banning them from the United States,"

Trump said he could use emergency economic powers or an executive order to get rid of TikTok "Well I just have that Power," he said.

Why would Trump ban TikTok? According to cnn.com, Trump is trying to ban TikTok because there are concerns that TikTok could be a national security risk. They are afraid that American user information will be found and used by the Chinese company that made it.

Of course, not everybody thinks that President Trump is banning TikTok because of security reasons. Other people think that President Trump is banning TikTok because in June 2020, he had a rally that was coming up in Tulsa, Oklahoma. President Trump posted about it on Twitter telling people that the tickets were free and to get supporters to come to the rally. Well, one teenager got the message and started sharing it on TikTok telling people to buy as many tickets as they could and then don't show up. The teenager's idea worked, and hardly anybody showed up to the rally. In the end, there were 19,000 seats available and only 6,200 were filled, not including staff, media, or in-box suites. So, who knows how this will end, but I'm sure teenagers across the world will hope TikTok remains alive and well. -Megan Barker



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Stuff the Bus

We want to keep you safe and healthy so this year, there will be no one-day event but you can still give back!







Donate school supplies at Young Kia September 9th-26th

Drop by for an ice cream treat coupon and a chance to win 1 of 10 prizes!

- 2 BIKES
- 3 AIR PODS
- 1 IPAD
- 4 \$25 GIFT CARDS!

Donations Needed

Preschool Children's Books • Crayons • Scissors for Preschoolers • Glue Sticks
Markers • Pencils • Backpacks • Paper (Journaling, Coloring, Construction)
Art Supplies • Matching Games/cards • Blocks • Legos • Puzzles



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SPORTS & CLUBS

Michael Jordan Documentary



Some say he was the greatest basketball player of all time. During his brilliant career, this man won six NBA Championships, earned a total of 14 MVP awards, was selected to 14 All-Star games, won 10 scoring titles... and the list of his achievements goes on and on. He was born on February 17, 1963, he has five children from two marriages, his name is Michael Jordan.

The Last Dance is a 2020 American sports documentary miniseries co-produced by ESPN Films and Netflix. Directed by Jason Hehir, the series revolves around the career of Michael Jordan, with particular focus on his last season with the Chicago Bulls. On Rotten Tomatoes, the series holds

an approval rating of 96% based on 53 reviews, with an average rating of 8.72/10. This documentary came out on April 19, 2020.

The reaction from the basketball community was good and bad. Scottie Pippen's reaction was not very good and he reportedly said "I feel wounded and disappointed" as he did not feel his character was represented correctly. —Cameron Rudd

Clubs or No Clubs?

This year things have been very different. We have to wear masks and physical distance. So, are clubs happening this year? The answer is "soon!" We are all excited that clubs can happen this year, but we have to be patient. If you want to start a club, you need to fill out an application form and get it approved by school administration,

A photograph of a printed application form titled "Davis School District Student Club Application for Authorization". The form includes fields for "Applicants Name:", "Role Applicant will hold in proposed club:", "School:", "Recommended Club Name:", "Faculty sponsor, monitor, or supervisor:", and "Signature of faculty sponsor, monitor, or supervisor:". It also has a section for "Please provide a statement of the club's purpose, goals, and activities:" and a section for "What type of club are you applying for:" with checkboxes for "Elementary school curricular club", "Secondary school curricular club", and "Noncurricular club". At the bottom, there are definitions for "Curricular Club", "Elementary school curricular club", "Secondary school curricular club", and "Noncurricular club".

It will be fun to have something to look forward to this year. Since a lot of things have been canceled, we haven't had much to do. Being in a club will give you something to do. If there is

something you are good at or interested in you can share it with others and make your own club! Being in a club could help you make new friends. If you feel like you want something to look forward to, or just have something to do, a club is a great solution.-Hailey Bradley

Go Volleyball!

"Bump, set, spike it! That's the way we like it!" The volleyball team is already half-way through their season! They had tryouts on Aug 12th and there were over 50 girls who tried out. What a great turn out for Huskies volleyball. Congrats to the girls that made the team! If you did not make it, they hope to see you trying out next year. Take this year to practice your skills and come back stronger.



The girls' volleyball season started on Aug. 19th. They played Central Davis and won in 2 sets. They played Syracuse on the 24th and won, and North Davis on the 26th. It was a close game, but they took the lead and won once again in 3 sets. The 4th game they played was against Shoreline on 31st, and they won. Then they played Centennial on the 2nd and they lost in the 3rd set. The volleyball team has games every Monday and Wednesday at 3:15 to 4:15.

Go and cheer on the girls at their games! "Go Huskies!"-Taylor Sutterfield

So, You Want To Make A Club?

If you're looking to start up a club here are the steps you need to take to make your dream of a club a reality.

The first step for you to make your dream real is to finalize all your details. To help with this, you could write down ideas.

Next, hunt down people who would be interested in this activity.

Go to the office and fill out an application and wait for it to be approved.

If you wish to join one of these clubs. Go to the school website and under activities there is an icon that says clubs. Find the club you wish to join and click that club. Under the club, when you click on it, there are the days and times when they meet. —Andrea Bunker

Covid-19 Affects the NFL



The NFL is starting up again! Though there are some changes to what the NFL must do for safety measures against the Covid-19 Virus. According to Sportingnews the NFL is not playing its season with a bubble concept like the NBA and the NHL have used. This means that the NFL is going to be more susceptible to the virus with all of the teams not being in a bubble-like environment. The NFL is not allowing fans to enter the stadium for

most teams. The Cleveland Browns are allowing the stadium to be filled at 10%, the Dallas Cowboys are still to be determined on how much they will allow in their stadium. The Indianapolis Colts are allowing 3.5% of the stadium to be filled. The Jacksonville Jaguars are allowing their stadium to be filled to 25%, the Kansas City Chiefs are allowing it to be filled to 22%, and the Miami Dolphins are letting their stadium to be filled to 20% at max. There is only six out of the thirty-two teams letting fans in. The NFL is testing every player every day, except game days. If a player tests positive for Covid, then they will go into immediate quarantine, and they are placed on the reserve list for the games. They have to be wearing a mask until they are in their home and isolated. The NFL is doing everything in their power to stop the Covid-19 spread in the NFL, and so far it is working! -Rex Shumway

EDITORIAL & THE ARTS

The Best Way to Travel: Cars or Feet?

Everyone goes places, and everyone needs to get to those places. There are many options when it comes to transportation, such as bikes, motorcycles, trains, cars, or plain walking. But the best way to travel, is obviously on your bike. Primarily, biking is the best choice because it is the least harmful to the environment, and it is good for your health!

First, Biking is fantastic for the environment! While cars and other gas-powered vehicles emit carbon dioxide and help with global warming, bikes could not be better! They are people-powered, so the only carbon dioxide emissions are your breathing, and that is a *fraction* of what a car does!

Second, biking is an excellent choice for your health as well! It exercises your legs, and stimulates your heart, lungs, circulation, and is all-around a wonderful way to get places. Also, exercise releases chemicals in your brain that makes you happy, like endorphins or dopamine!

“Great health and a happy attitude? It sounds fantastic! I want to do that!” One would surely be asking, and you would be right. So, clearly the finest way to travel is by riding a bike! -Anna Burke



**Boneless chicken wings are
not wings.**




Image Source: news18.com

Anders Christiansen recently brought up one of the biggest issues that has been overlooked for years: boneless chicken wings should not be called chicken wings. Anders may be right, because if you thought that boneless chicken wings were chicken that had

bones removed then you would be wrong. Companies use chicken breasts to make the majority of their boneless wings which is why Ander believes they should be called “buffalo tenders” or “saucy nugs.” After Ander made these remarks and planned to take his opinion worldwide (#saucynugsforspresident), several big chicken wing industries have retaliated and accuse Ander of slandering their businesses. This is because they do not want to change their name, and some companies have even put up wanted posters to warn of Ander’s assault on their companies. In the end, Ander was trying to make some people happy during these rough times and he has even said he doesn’t care about people eating boneless but he does say if you eat them you have to use blue cheese because if you use ranch “it’s like bedazzling Indiana Jones’ hat. It might look interesting, but it certainly does not belong.” -Sterling Wilson

Pro's and Con's of wearing a mask



 Wearing a mask is a heated topic in our society today. There is so much controversy about this subject that there are 28.1K posts with the hashtag #no mask on Instagram and 389K with the hashtag #maskup. Clearly, we are divided on this topic. A lot of people choose not to wear a mask because they feel like they are taking a stand against authority. People say they don't have to wear a mask if they don't have Covid-19. But others say to wear a mask anywhere you go because you may not have symptoms, but you are still able to have the virus and spread it to others. We all have many different opinions about this topic, but we are all wearing masks to keep our community safe and keep each other safe. Please just wear a mask so eventually we won't have to wear them.-Taylor Hunter

Arts and Entertainment During a Pandemic



Choir without singing? Due to the COVID-19 pandemic the choirs here at Farmington Junior are having to be more inventive in order to have choir class continue smoothly. In a normal choir classroom setting, students come to class ready to sing majority of the class. This year students will have to practice some of their singing at home. Since singing transmits a lot of arial particles, students will be required to work on the vocal and breathing techniques away from school. Luckily, students will have the chance to do some singing although much less and with face masks.

Some of the precautions that Mrs. Harris (The choir director) is taking, is having all the seats spread apart and making sure to keep at least one door open to maximize the amount of air flow throughout the room. All the students also must be sure to enter through the door but then exit through the side door into the field.

Every precaution is being taken to ensure that the choir students can come to choir healthy and safe. Even though it is different because of COVID-19 and even though many classes have had to change the way they normally function, we can all still enjoy the classes offered here. Just like the choir, everyone here at FJH can find a way to be flexible with the differences and make the best of what we have.-Rebecca Tew

Elementary Vs Junior High

Do you remember elementary school? For some people, elementary days were the glory days. For others, they couldn't wait to get to junior high and they think it lived up to its full potential. Which one do you think is better?

ELEMENTARY VS JR. HIGH

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9th grader Courtney Wall believes that junior high is a cut above elementary. She states that, “It’s nice to have different classes with different people to socialize with.” Socializing skills are very important for many careers and jobs. Brooklyn May, a 7th grader, has a very similar statement. She thinks that junior high is better because you know everyone in elementary school so junior high is a place you can make a lot of new friends.

While some people like junior high better, others cherish their elementary years. Ryan Sutterfield, a 6th grader at Knowlton Elementary, says he loves his recesses and would never give them up. He also loves having only one teacher that he can get to know better. Both elementary and junior high are great times in people's lives that will always be remembered. Which school years were your favorite? -Brooklyn Rudd

ACADEMICS

Making Your Remote Day Easier

Remote days are tough, but here are some ways you can make your classwork super easy! Everyone has found themselves procrastinating, especially with a big deadline on the way. You know you should get it done but your phone is just calling to you! A great way to stop this procrastination is to put your distractions away! Meaning all your screens. Just don't put your school laptop away! Studies have shown that today's biggest distractions for students are texting, emailing and surfing the web. One way to stop getting distracted by your phone are to turn off your notifications, or to turn it in to your parents. At least until you're done with your work for the day.



The next tip for making your remote day easier is to take a healthy break. Healthy breaks can include taking a walk, shooting hoops, having a snack, or just drinking some water. Using TikTok and Netflix are fine, however make sure you have a timer set so you can get back to studying. Each break should last about 5-10 minutes. Healthy breaks are a great way to let the information and work you just did sink in. After you have finished your break, remember to get back to work!

Finally, you might find it helpful to create a schedule. Set aside enough time for each subject. Don't forget to fit in healthy breaks and lunch! By having a schedule, your remote day will run more smoothly. You might even find you have more time in your day! Now you know three wonderful tips to help your remote day become more efficient! In the end, you will have more time for activities and hobbies you enjoy.-Clair Brown

The Bright Side of Hybrid Learning

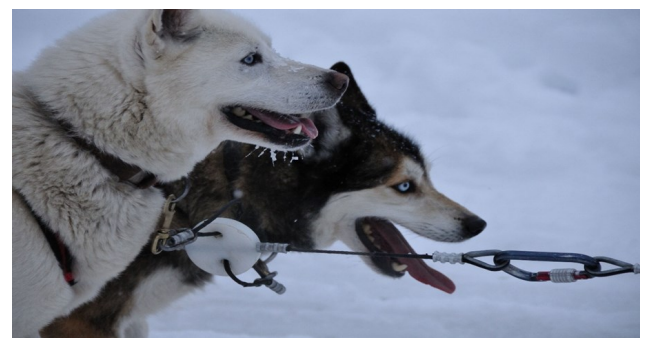
With the 2020-21 school year going for about a month, most of us have built a love-hate relationship with the hybrid school schedule. Between going to school, wearing masks, and social distancing, it is hard to find the good in our situa-



tion. And though in this pandemic we have spent many days at our house playing video games, binge watching, and saying to ourselves that tomorrow is the day we start that diet, being at home most of the week can still be fun. I personally have enjoyed doing my homework in my pajamas with the kitchen at my disposal. The school schedule may be crazy and at one point has made us all frustrated but take second, enjoy the crazy, and see the silver lining. -Londyn Howard

The New Normal

Welcome Back Huskies! This year we are doing a lot of new things. We've been wearing masks, doing most of our work at home, going to school only twice a week and we aren't using lockers. This may be the new normal, but this year can still be awesome! 7th Grader McKinley Daly said "Having no lockers is disappointing but it'll help us social distance, having to carry our backpacks around isn't so bad. Now we don't have to hurry and find our locker before the next class and we'll have all the things we need." We still can eat with our friends at lunch, we can still do our schoolwork properly (even if we don't want to do it) and we can still enjoy school sports and activities. This year is a little crazy, but we can pull together as huskies to make this year great! -Molli Bell



Does Wearing A Face Mask Affect Ability to Learn?

Wearing a mask can make it tough to breathe and difficult to hear others who are wearing one. But does wearing a mask make it harder to learn? To slow the spread of Covid-19, Governor Gary Herbert made it mandatory for all students, teachers, and staff to wear masks to school during the 2020-2021 school year. Having teachers wear masks can take away certain key needs for student learning, such as seeing face expressions and mouth movements. While wearing a mask does not necessarily affect *how much* we learn, they can change *the way* we learn. Facial expressions and tone of voice play a crucial role in communication, sometimes even more so than the words we say. Masks tend to "mask" both of those things.

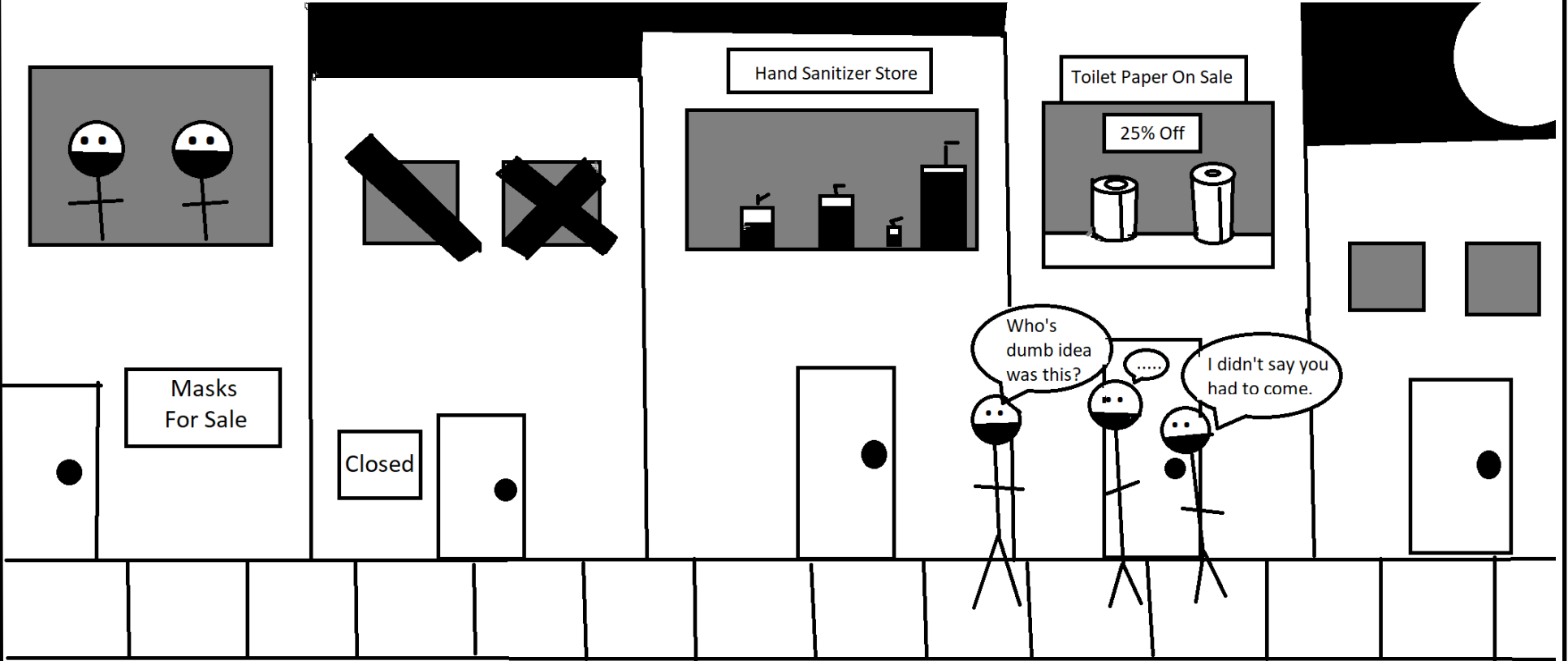
Learning a new language can prove to be much more difficult while the teacher is wearing a mask. An article put out by Education Week states that, "Your face expresses so much of your message... If [the student is] learning the language for the first time... they need to have those nonverbal cues to understand the message." A language class



may be harder because when learning a new language, you rely heavily on mouth movements. Putting on a mask covers quite a bit of the face, making it so you cannot see the teacher as well and do not know how to shape your mouth to get the right sound. While it is not always ideal, teachers may need to record videos of themselves without masks to show the class how to properly say something in a different language.

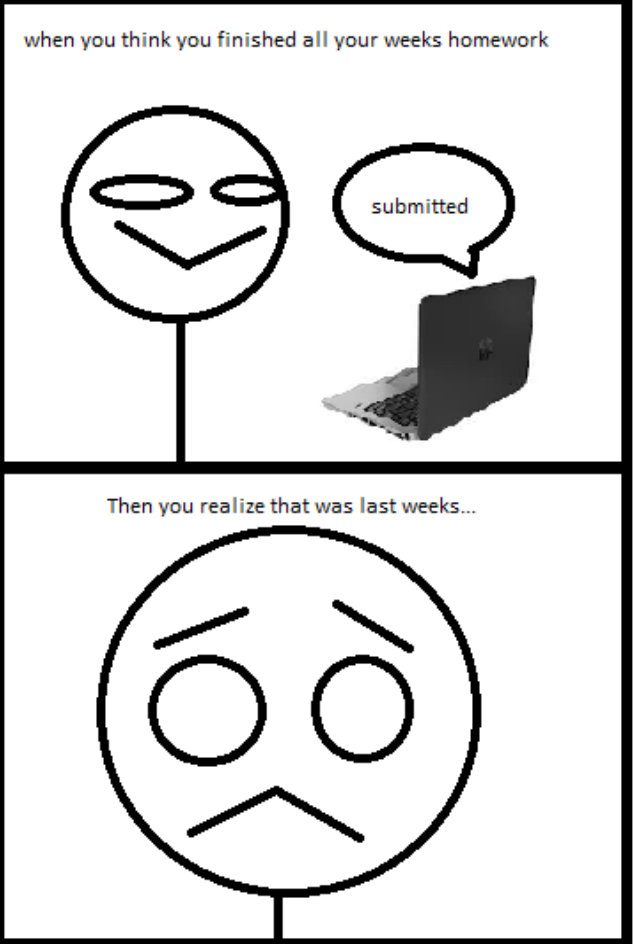
Wearing a mask tends to muffle the voice of the person speaking. It is hard to learn when you cannot quite tell what the teacher is saying. Also, when wearing a mask, positive emotions can be harder to spot because you cannot see when someone smiles. Facial expressions could come across the wrong way and messages can get mixed up. So, make sure to listen super carefully and do not be afraid to ask questions if you need to. -Abby Klein

COMICS AND GAMES



Going to the mall with friends.

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