

THE GALIPATIA GOBBLER

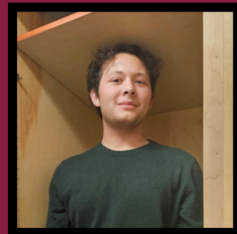
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CLASSES END
WEDNESDAY NEXT
WEEK, THURSDAY
NEXT WEEK IS
READING DAY,
FRIDAY NEXT WEEK
IS 1ST DAY OF
EXAMS

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Coming Back from Thanksgiving Break *by Gabe Rosado*

I know that we've all just had a week off and that you're likely still feeling worn down by the semester, but you're not at the finish line yet. Coming back from the break most of you will have another test and then it will be time for finals. It's really easy to say, "It is what it is", and just check out early, but I assure you, if you can stay focused for just a little while longer, it will all be worth it.

Here's what you should do in preparation for finals. First, map out the rest of your semester, and figure out when and where all your finals are. Then make note of the format for the final, whether it's made by the teacher or a common time final. The other thing to look out for is whether the final is cumulative or it's just on the last few units. This might be the last thing you want to hear, but take the time to work out a problem or two each day. This will prepare you much better for the final than cramming on Reading Day.

If you are taking a math common time final, the math department has the multiple-choice sections of previous finals posted on their website.

<https://math.vt.edu/undergrad-math/courses/koofers.html>

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"That's Just a Theory!" by Mia Yost-Kelly

If you have ever been on YouTube or have seen the FNAF (Five Nights at Freddy's) movie, you may have come across or heard of MatPat. He is best known for the Theorist Channels- Game, Film, Food, and Style! Each channel is dedicated to theories within each respective realm. On Game Theory, you can find videos trying to construct a timeline for the FNAF franchise as well as theories about the lore of Minecraft. You will find videos that cover finding Barbieland and the Paw Patrol being aliens on Film Theory.

It is super cool to apply real-world science to fictional worlds in games, movies, and TV shows, but it is also interesting to use those same methods and principles to questions you didn't realize you wanted to answer. With Food Theory, you can learn the science behind why the pumpkin spice latte is a ceaseless fall craze and myths about sugar rushes. You could also simply enjoy absorbing information about Wednesday Addams's color allergy and shoes can be weapons with Style Theory.

I like the scientific approach these channels have to entertainment, and the work and research done for these videos is evident. In the spirit of the channel names, they are just theories, which allows for open-ended discussions about the video's conclusions. I highly recommend checking out these channels- especially if you are also someone who likes to nerd out about style, food, film/TV, and games.

GENIEINGRN (Engineering) Word Unscramble! by Jasmine Pegues

1. AITPALGAI
2. BALTMA
3. LWIOSRKOSD
4. UCLACLSU
5. OEOTKBXT
6. HEIYSRMTTC
7. TIFHR
8. SYCPISH
9. EPOECARSA
10. IEMBLIACDO
11. AMNIEACHLC
12. DINOGWO

1. Galipatia, 2. Matlab, 3. SOLIDWORKS, 4. Calculus, 5. Textbook, 6. Chemistry, 7. Frith, 8. Physics, 9. Aerospace, 10. Biomedical, 11. Mechanical, 12. Goodwin
Answers: