December

I want to thank you all for your support and open communication during this year. It was a pleasure talking with each of you at conferences and celebrating the great work your kids are doing!

Please make sure you send your child with a warm coat, hat, and mittens each day. Once the snow starts to fall, they will also need boots and snow pants. Without all of these, your child is not allowed to play in the snow during recess. They don’t like having to stay on the tar! Having both indoor and outdoor shoes is important this time of year to keep our carpeted classroom clean and dry! They can be kept at school if this is easier than transporting them back and forth each day.

Things We Will Be Learning About This Month:

Reading
• Nonfiction Text Features
  • Heading, Caption, Table of Contents, Glossary, Labeling, Index

Writing
• Procedural Writing
  • “How To…”
• Informational Writing
  • Researching and reporting

Science
• Introduction to Matter (Solid, Liquid, and Gas)

Math
• Strategies to Subtract Within 100
• Subtraction with regrouping

Social Studies
• Holiday Traditions around the World

Reminders and Important Dates:

Wednesday, December 8: Early Release Day
December 23-January 3: No School (Winter break)
Monday, January 3rd: Students return to school

Enjoy the Holiday! ☺️

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