



December 17, 2018

Mrs. Dafoe's

Fantastic First Graders



Homework

No homework this week! Cuddle up with your child and read some great books and practice math facts. It is so important that your child continues to keep up the skills they have learned. I leave you with this thought...

"The more that you read, the more things you will know. The more that you learn, the more places you'll go." ~Dr. Seuss

Spirit Week will be Dec. 17th - Dec. 20th

- Monday – Winter PJ Day (wear your favorite winter PJ's)
- Tuesday – Holiday Shirt / Sweater / Vest Day (wear your favorite holiday top or holiday colors)
- Wednesday – Holiday Headwear / Hat Day (wear your favorite holiday headwear or hat)
- Thursday – Deck the Halls with Holiday Spirit (wear your Jingle Jog shirt, or any other holiday clothing)

Reading

This week we don't have a focus story, rather we will be reading many holiday/tradition books in celebration of the December holidays.

Jingle Jog

Our jingle jog event will take place on Thursday, Dec. 20th at 9:45 am. Please make sure your child is wearing comfortable clothes and is wearing tennis shoes! Please check the weather.

Classroom Party Information

Our holiday party will be on Wednesday, December 19th from 11:35 – 12:30. The room parent will be contacting you in regards to supplies and volunteering. **Thank you so much in advance!** I truly appreciate all that is being done to make the party special for our class. The kids are very excited. ☺



January Birthdays

- Kenzie – 25th
- Catherine – 29th

Upcoming Experts

- Dec. 17th – Christmas Traditions – Mac
- Jan. 8th – Earth and Space – Red
- Jan. 22nd – Food Groups – Charlie
- Jan. 28th – Healthy Body – Reese
- Feb. 4th – Dental Hygiene - Zia

**All of the information on becoming an expert is posted on my website with details. If you have further questions, let me know.*

Important Dates to Remember

- Week of Dec. 17th – Spirit Week (see above)
- Wed., Dec. 19th – Winter Party 11:35-12:30
- Thurs., Dec. 20 – Jingle Jog 9:45 am, Last Day for Students
- Fri., Dec. 21 – Jan. 7 Winter Break
- Tues., Jan. 8 – Students return to school



Happy Holidays

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Merry Christmas, Happy Hanukkah, Happy Kwanzaa, Happy La Posada, Happy New Year! I hope you and your family enjoy the holiday break. See you in 2019!

***Over break, I ask you to look for the smile and sparkle radiating from your child's eyes every time your child gives you a hug, reads a new word, and accomplishes something new. Those are the gifts that last a lifetime!**

~Embrace those special gifts~

See you in 2019!

Have a great week

~Mrs. Wendy Dafoe~

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HAPPY NEW YEAR!