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# Kindergarten News

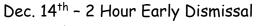
### OBJECTIVES FOR THE MONTH

Reading/Language Arts- We will continue recognizing first and last letters as well as first and last sounds. We will continue to build and write high frequency words. We continue to practice retelling stories and sequencing events in stories. In writing, we will continue telling true stories of our lives and work on making our writing easy for others to read by using spaces between our words and using neat handwriting.

<u>Math</u> -We will continue with Unit 5, Counting, Recognizing, and Representing Quantities, 0-20. After break, we will begin Unit 6, Comparing and Representing Addition and Subtraction.

<u>Social Studies/Science-</u> We will start our social studies Unit 5, My Family and our Unit 6, Our Needs and Wants.

# MARK YOUR CALENDAR!



Dec. 21st- Pajama Day/Polar Express

Day (school wide ©)

December 24th Jan. 1st -

Schools Closed: Winter Break

# WINTER WEATHER



We will be going outside for recess as long as the temperature is above 20 degrees!

Please consider these recess suggestions...
- Children need hats/gloves daily

- Children need to be able to fasten and zip outside clothing
- Labeling clothing keeps these items from being lost

#### STAYING HEALTHY

Please help your child practice "catching" sneezes and coughs in the fold of their elbow. Remind your child to clean their hands frequently. Hopefully, we can all stay healthy through this holiday season!

## FUN PRACTICE AT HOME!

Here are some fun ways to help your child strengthen their literacy, writing, and math skills!

- have your child cut out pictures from a magazine and write labels to create a holiday wish list!
- choose a mystery number in your head and have your child try to guess it! Give clues such as it has a 1 and a 5 or it is more than 16, etc.

#### SNACK REMINDER

Please remember to send a snack for your child every day. We do get hungry in the afternoon. © Thank you!