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[12.5.16]



Yesterday marked the second week of Advent. This week at our Advent gathering, the students will add Joseph to the nativity. He is ready to accept the job as Jesus' father on Earth. The candle of preparation is shining this week. It is a good reminder for us to begin preparing for the day that Jesus is born.

The children are participating in 25 Acts of Kindness from December 1st-25th. Please chat with them about their act for the day, and how they followed through with it. Most of the Acts of Kindness can be done right here at school.

Next Monday we will pick our Secret Santa. The way that Secret Santa works is the child will pick one student. They will secretly give out a \$1-2 gift (Ex. homemade ornament, candy bar, chap stick, etc.) each day from December 19th-22nd. On the 22nd we will play a game to announce the Secret Santa. There is no big gift at the end- everything should be equally priced.



We will have our Christmas party on the afternoon of December 22nd. We will hold a classroom costume contest. A prize will be given to the person wearing the BEST Christmas party outfit. Students in charge of Christmas party food and beverage are:

Beverage- Wyatt and Taylor

Snack- Lexi and Julia

What's coming up?

December 6th - Feast of Saint Nicholas

December 14th - Early Release (12:45)

December 19th-22nd - Secret Santa Gifts

December 21st - Christmas Play (1:00 and 7:00)

December 22nd - Christmas Party

Our Classroom Rules:

1. Take Pride in Yourself and Your Work
2. Follow Directions Quickly
3. Make Smart Choices
4. Respect Others and Yourself
5. Have a Positive Attitude
6. Always Do Your Best Work

***Date in parenthesis is the day the assignment is DUE!**

Math 3- daily worksheet(s); p. 153, 154 (12.6) p. 155, 156 (12.7) p. 157, 158 (12.9) p. 159 (12.12)
PRACTICE FACTS!

Math 4- see planner for daily assignments

LA 3- Daily Centers, Lesson 11, Spelling Test (12.9)

Journeys Workbook- p. 141 & 142 (12.6) p. 143 & 144 (12.7) p. 145 & 147 (12.8) p. 149 & 150 (12.9) p. 148 & 153 (in class)

Handwriting- p. 65-69

Spelling Words: joy, point, voice, join, oil, coin, noise, spoil, toy, joint, boy, soil, choice, boil, Christmas

LA 4- Daily Centers, Lesson 11, Spelling Test (12.9)

Journeys Workbook- p. 121 & 123 (12.6) p. 124 & 125 (12.7) p. 127 & 128 (12.8) p. 129 & 130 (12.9) p. 126 & 131 (in class)

Handwriting- p. 65-69

Spelling Words: somebody, fireplace, nearby, toothbrush, homesick, make-believe, anything, all right, goodbye, forehead, classmate, flashlight, haircut, twenty-two, driveway, alarm clock, baby-sit, airport, forever, mailbox, Christmas

Science- read pages 462-470 (all week) p. 463 #1-5 skip 4 (12.6) SS #4 (12.8) p. 471 #1-5 skip 3 (12.12)

Spanish- Review Los Numeros p. 14 (12.7)

Social Studies- see planner for assignments

Religion- read p. 131-139 (all week) p. 131G (12.7) p. 140 (12.9) Chapter 11 Test p. 142 (12.9)