



Junior Journal

Weeks 20 and 21: January 4-15, 2021 Theme: Winter

Language Arts:

We hope everyone had a safe and enjoyable holiday. To kick off our new year, we will be discussing winter. We will be making snowmen and snowflake puppets, and read the story *The Mitten*. We will play our mitten matching review game, freeze tag, and sing to music! To end our busy week, we will have surprise visit from Winter Mouse.

Concept:

These weeks, we will be heading into our chilly new topic. We will be discussing the change in the weather, along with hibernation. A snowflake matching game, and the shapes oval and rhombus,

will be added to the shelf. We will also spend much of the week reviewing the numbers 1-10.

Motor: Weather permitting, the children will be bundling up, and still getting some outdoor motor time. We'll make special note of the clothing we're wearing outdoors, as well as the changes we can see and feel outdoors. We'll also have several options indoors including the balance beam. *Please make sure to label your child's outerwear.

Craft and Writing:

The children will be working on several fun

winter projects to celebrate our new season. In addition, our papers will also help us review our newest shapes, oval and rhombus. We are very excited to have the Juniors start their name papers. Look for these attached to their papers!

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Introductions

Letters: Kk and Ll

Shapes: Oval and Rhombus

Proverb 3: Look before you leap

Manners 9 and 10:
Wait your turn

and

Do not interrupt

Students of the Week
1/11: Adriana and Caleb

Notes to Parents:

- Welcome Back! Hope you had a wonderful holiday. Thank you for your generosity this holiday season.
- Monday, January 4...Classes resume for all.
- January begins the children's second evaluations.
- Monday, January 18...Fall 2021-22 and Summer Camp 2021 Opens to enrolled families. Please remember, all children must re-register for the next sessions. Information and paperwork will be available in the new year.
- Monday, January 18...Martin Luther King Jr. Day. School is open.

Welcome Back!

Mrs. Jeanie

Ms. Erina