

# Nursery News

## Week 17: December 7-11, 2020 Theme: Fairy Tales

#### Language Arts:

We will be reading several fairy tales throughout the week Our selections will include: Cinderella, Belle, and Snow White. The Three Billy Goats Gruff. The children will also see these fairy tales come to life as flannel board stories. In addition, we will be singing, dancing, as we act out these tales.

#### Concept:

Shapes and puzzles galore! Shape sorting and matching activities will help the children review all of the shapes that have been introduced. The children

will be focusing on puzzles during shelf time. We will also learn spatial relation.

#### Motor:

We will be getting our bodies moving! The children will be walking the balance beam, practicing the ball and wand, and using the wooden stairs.

#### Craft and Writing:

The children will use a variety of materials including: crayons, paint, and markers, to decorate fairy tale scenes and characters. In addition, we will have fun with shaving cream, playdoh, and finger paint. Lastly, the children will be water color painting and creating mosaic pieces.

In addition to all of this. we will start our Christmas and winter discussions, with focus coming up in the next weeks!

### UPCOMING CHRISTMAS

We will be celebrating Christmas with the children on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday, 12/21-12/23. (ON WEDNESDÁÝ 12/23—WEAR PAJAMAS!)

Daycare Only/NO PRESCHOOL CLASSES 12/24-1/1, FOR THOSE DAYCARE CHÍLDREN SIGNED UP TO ATTEND. We will be closing at 3PM on Thursday, 12/24 and Thursday, 12/31, and we will be closed on Friday, 12/25 and 1/1. Classes resume for all on January 4th.

- \*Because of COVID, the teachers will provide the children with special snacks, holiday themed games and activities, and gifts from us to them! At this ťime, we are not allowing children to bring in treats (snacks or trinkets) to be passed out to their classmates.
- \*We will go above and beyond to make this Christmas extra special for the kiddos. Santa will still be delivering books for the

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## Review Week!

children, as he does every

#### Notes to Parents:

- Please make sure to read the latest information regarding health and safety policies in regards to travel and the holidays. Thank you for helping to keep our school a safe and healthy place!
- Please return your signed emergency information sheets, COVID forms, tuition policies, and any other remaining forms needed to complete your child's file.
- For parents over the

- age of 2 years old, please refer to our new updated mask policy from Thursday, August
- Please send in a picture of your child for the classroom, if you haven't already done so.
- Thank you for all of your support, understanding, and acceptance of the new policies put in to place this school year. It's been a wonderful start!
- Have you enrolled for Tuition Express online

- payments? Many have found this convenient, but we still of course accept cash or check.
- PLEASE SEE OUR CHRISTMAS NOTES ABOVE!

Have a great week! Ms. Patti