"The people who influence you are the people who believe in you. ~ Henry Drummond

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for the week of 11/27/23

Theme - The Arctic / Weather

Introduce - Sight Words - is, up, to & look / Yy & Zz / Greater Than & Less Than / "ET" word family.

Expressive Vocabulary - amiable-friendly and pleasant

bias - a mental or emotional preference

Bits of Intelligence - Composers

Proverb- Where there's a will, there's a way

Language Arts

This week, we will finish our first review of the alphabet with the letters Yy and Zz. We will learn about the "et" word family. We will also begin a new unit of study on The Arctic. We will discuss the native people who inhabit this cold, far north region, known as the Inuit. Our discussion will focus on how the Inuit survive, their homes (which aren't only igloos), and daily life. We will talk about Arctic animals and the Arctic environment, too.

Math/Science

This week, our work will focus on the concept of greater and less than. We will begin with the meaning of greater than and less than and work to incorporate the < or > symbols. We will learn that because the < or > symbol always wants to eat the bigger number, that is how we determine which way it should point! The students will continue to practice skip counting by 5's, and 10's to 100 will continue as well. In science, we will start a new unit on weather. We will discuss what causes the weather and how the weather affects us and even perform some fun weather experiments, too! This weather discussion also presents the perfect time to review the four seasons.

Star Student

November 27th – Nourah Nasrah

Important Dates

November 30th – Reading log due

The day is frosty, and the weather is bold; dress warmly so you don't get cold! Please remember to send your child to school in a warm coat, hat, and gloves, as the boys and girls will continue to go outside daily as long as the Real Feel temperature is 20 degrees or above. Also, since our classroom tends to be on the cool side this time of year, please feel free to have your child keep a hoodie or sweater in their cubby.

Thank you!