



Junior Journal

Weeks 20-21: January 2-10, 2025
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 mu-sic! 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 in-doors 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:

Colors: Brown and Purple

Manners: 9 and 10

**Wait your turn
Do not interrupt**

**Proverb 3: Look
before you leap**

Bit cards: Insects

**Expressive
Vocabulary:**

**Nourishment-
something needed for
life and growth**

**Happy Birthday
Yacoub! 1/5**

Have a wintry week!

Mrs. Christine

Ms. Christina

Ms. Kelsie

Notes to Parents:

- Classes resume for all on Thursday, January 2. Thank you for your generosity this season. We hope you all had a great holiday.
- Registration for Summer Camp 2025 and the 2025-26 Fall School Year opens on January 15 to registered families. If your fall registration forms and fees are received by February 14, you will receive half off the fall registration fee. Single Child Half-\$50. Family Half- \$75. The summer activity fee is \$35 per child. Please remember, every child must re-enroll for any future session.
- Monday, January 13...Vision and Hearing Screenings for 3 years and older, A note will be sent home with details.
- Monday, January 20...Martin Luther King Day. School open as usual.
- Public registration opens on February 14. We will be having a fun competition on Facebook to kick this off this week.
- We will begin to schedule parent teacher conferences on February 3, for conferences on Monday and Tuesday, February 17 and 18.
- Have you enrolled for My Procure online payments? Many have found this convenient, but we still of course, accept check payments.
- Have you enrolled for Remind Messaging? Text the message @homergle to the number 81010