

January Kindergarten News!!!

Welcome Back! I hope you all enjoyed your break and the little bit of snow...We are excited to be back in school and in the swing of things!

Reading & Writing

With 18 days off, we are going to have to work very hard to get back into the groove of reading and writing! We will pick up where we left off in reading groups starting the week of January 17th, and continue to work on writing using heart words and hearing sounds in words. The first week back is a lot of review so we can remember how to make good choices and what to do in our center time!

Math

We will be continuing our unit on teen numbers, shapes, and decomposing numbers. Math is really going to start coming alive now! We will also be celebrating the 100th day of school on February 6th. Your child will be asked to make a collection of 100 hundred items from home, please start planning what he/she will bring in to share! Bags for the collections will be handed out on January 20th and due back on January 27th.

Module and Labs

We are finishing up our weather module this month. We are identifying story elements of a fictional text and writing our own fictional stories focusing on beginning, middle, and end. This will be our final product for weather along with a clothing drive for our community as part of our celebration of learning!

Reminders:

Our celebration of learning for our weather unit will be at the end of February. Our students will be starting a clothing drive to help our GG community be prepared for the weather! The flyer will come home on Friday, February 3rd. Please join us and help us create the gift of preparedness for our school community!

Odds and Ends:

We will be having a "Coffee with the Kindergarten Teachers" on **January 12th** for future kindergarten families thinking about attending GGES. If you know any families that are thinking of attending and have questions for the teachers, please send the information along so we can welcome them into the GGES family!

The next PTA Meeting is January 10th at 6pm in the cafeteria. We hope to see you there!

**NO SCHOOL ON JANUARY 16,
2023.**

January 2023



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3	4 Staff Returns	5 Students Return	6	7
8	9	10 PTA Meeting 6pm in library	11	12 Coffee with Kinder 10am	13	14
15	16 NO SCHOOL	17	18 Nicolo's Pizza Fundraiser	19	20 100 day collections go home	21
22	23	24	25	26	27 100 day collections due	28
29	30	31 School Circle 8:30am in GG gym				

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