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VCCC Preschool/Pre-K December 2025 Parent Newsletter

Goodbye November and welcome December! During the month of November, the children focused on the themes of Five Senses, Thanksgiving, and Harvest/Farm as they learned new facts about each theme through many fun, exciting, and sometimes challenging activities. There were many books read pertaining to each theme as well as several art projects created and many open-ended questions asked and answered. The preschool class worked hard on letter activities for the letters H and T while the Pre-K class continued their work with the Handwriting Without Tears program. Both classes enhanced their sensory skills while exploring and creating letters using shaving cream, Legos, playdough, white boards, and pencils/markers and paper.



During the month of December, the children will focus on the themes of Gingerbread and holiday celebrations around the world while continuing to work on social/emotional skills, letters and numbers, cognitive skills, and both fine and gross motor skills. There will be many stories read about each holiday focused on and several art projects pertaining to each holiday studied. We will spend most of the time learning about Hanukkah, Kwanzaa, and Christmas as well as learning some holiday traditions and songs. There will be new songs and sung about each holiday studied as well as some already learned songs. The children will work on creating several exciting, and sometimes challenging art projects to encourage new skills as well as enhance learned skills. Both classes will continue to work on their social skills and self-esteem through several fun games and activities that will allow them to gain a better sense of individualism, teamwork, and encourage further personal growth.



REMINDERS:

-December 23 VCCC will be having our annual Pajama Day and Polar Express extravaganza. If interested, please send your child to school wearing their pajamas for a fun winter solstice celebration.



- Please remember to provide weather appropriate extra clothing each day your child attends school. With the weather getting cooler, please provide coats, hats, and mittens as we will be going outside on days where the temperature is above freezing.

-Please note that VCCC will be CLOSED from December 24th through January 2nd for the holiday vacation, we will reopen on Monday, January 5th.

We look forward to another month of fun-filled learning experiences!

Mr Josh, Ms Greta, Ms Stephanie and Ms Jayne