

Dear Kindergarten Families,

We are getting very excited for the upcoming holidays in Room 20 Kindergarten!! But, we are also working hard and making good choices!

Our Week's Focuses:

ELA-Letter Name/Sounds-Ll & (hard) Gg, Segmenting/Blending onset & rime in single-syllable words, Isolating initial sounds, ****Super (High-Frequency) Words-a, the****;

Identifying main topic of an information book, Ask & Answer questions about key details

Math-Understanding Addition

Science-Plant Secrets-Living and Nonliving

For the Week Ahead:

Wednesday-Library books due. 

Friday-Spirit Day-Wear Allenwood **Green** & White! 

Looking Ahead to the Week of December 16th through 20th, the Spirit Day themes are:

Monday, 12/16: Most Festive Outfit/Holiday Sweater 😊

Tuesday, 12/17: Season of Giving-Donate a canned good for the Food bank 🥫

Wednesday, 12/18: Spin the Dreidel-Wear **Blue** & White! 

Thursday, 12/19: Bright Lights-Wear **Kindergarten Red!**

Friday, 12/20: "Twas the Night Before Break"-Wear comfy pj pants! (No slippers-Sneakers, please.)

****Super Words (High-Frequency) Words**** are essential sight words that children should recognize instantly. Mastering these words boosts their confidence and fluency in reading, and eventually writing sentences. I encourage the children to practice reading, spelling, and printing these words as they have been doing with our weekly letter names and sounds. Today I sent home all of the Super Words for the rest of the year. (The children will also have a set in school.) Your child can use these as flashcards. In my Weekly Email, I will tell you the upcoming week's Super Words. It is so thrilling when the children start to see and recognize these words--Enjoy the adventure! If you have any questions, just reach out.

Enjoy your weekend!

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