

# january NEWSLETTER



## Currently Learning:

This month we will be learning about clothes & music. We will be talking about how clothes are made, what they are made of, and how. We will be talking about music, how it was made, where it came from, and more.

January 6th - Clothes & letter M  
January 13th - Clothes & letter P  
January 20th - Music & letter O  
January 27th - Music & letter N

## Important Dates:

January 1st - Closed  
January 2nd - No Preschool  
January 3rd - No Preschool, Daycare till 12pm

- Be sure to make pack your child's lunch

January 20th - No Preschool  
January 26th - Open House  
10am - 12:30 pm

## Don't Forget:

Hello Parents and Guardians,  
With the weather getting colder, please be sure to send your child with the following items and make sure they're labeled:

- Winter Coat
- Hat
- Gloves
- Scarf
- Extra Clothes
- Water Bottles

# Ms. Kimberly's Pre - K Class:

**Week of:** January 6th - January 10th

**Teacher:** Ms. Kimberly

**Study:** Clothes

**Letter:** M

	<b>Monday</b>	<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Friday</b>
<b>Interest Areas</b>	<b>Winter clothes to Dress Up</b>	Discovery: How many pieces of clothes can you find?	Match the socks Mitten Roll & Cover	<b>Hat Day!</b>	Hat Day!
<b>Large Group</b>	<b>M is for monkey</b>  <i>Writing names</i>	Discussion: What do you wear in winter?  Name Puzzle	Letter M with Playdough  Religion Books	M is for mittens  Name puzzle	Discussion: How are clothes made?  <b>Ketchup Day!</b>
<b>Read Aloud</b>	<i>Llama Llama Red Pajama</i>	<i>Do I have to wear a Coat?</i>	<i>Clothes I love to wear</i>	<i>Froggy Gets Dressed</i>	<i>Aming Me! Dressing Up</i>
<b>Small Group</b>	<b>Red Pajamas craft</b>	Mitten Match  M letter stamping	Making Scarfs	<b>Ketchup Day!</b>  Shoe lacing cards	Mitten button counting  Writing names

Week of: January 13th - January 17th

Teacher: Ms. Kimberly

Study: Clothes

Letter: P

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>Interest Areas</b>	Art Station: pom poms and pipe cleaners	Discovery: P themed sensory bin	Pom pom painting	P is for popcorn PJ Day!	PJ Day! Clothes collage
<b>Large Group</b>	<i>Writing our names</i>	P is for play dough Name Puzzle	<i>Religion Books</i> <i>Practice Writing our names</i>	Name Puzzle Clothes in a line name craft	P letter stamping
<b>Read Aloud</b>	<i>Jesse Bear, What will you wear?</i>	<i>Where's my Socks?</i>	<i>I am the best at getting dressed</i>	<i>Dress like a Girl</i>	<i>"Old Clothes for Dinner"</i>
<b>Small Group</b>	Parrot Puppet	Panda Painting	Playing with pottery	Pipe cleaner threading our names	Paper Plate pig mask


**Week of:** January 20th - January 24th

**Teacher:** Ms. Kimberly

**Study:** Music

**Letter:** O

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>Interest Areas</b>	<b>No Preschool!</b>  <b>MLK</b>	Library: Books about music	Freeze Dance	<b>Music and Movement: Introducing instruments while dancing</b>	<b>Instruments during circle time</b>
<b>Large Group</b>		Name Puzzle  Rain Sticks	Practice writing our names  Discussion: Do you have a favorite song?	Religion Books  Name Puzzle  O with playdough	Trumpet Painting  Writing our names  O letter stamping
<b>Read Aloud</b>		<i>I Got the Rhythm</i>	<i>Note who faced the Music</i>	<i>What Makes Music</i>	<i>The Story of Pop</i>

<b>Small Group</b>		O is for owl	O is for octopus	Corn shakers	Popsicle stick Xylophone

**Week of:** January 27th - January 31st

**Teacher:** Ms. Kimberly

**Study:** Music & Catholic Week

**Letter:** N

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>Interest Areas</b>	Add pipe cleaners and pom poms to blocks to make nests	Musical parade	Add noodles to the kitchen center	Painting with instruments	Shape Tambourine Rhythm Painting
<b>Large Group</b>	<i>Writing our names</i>  <i>Discussion: Can you guess that sound?</i>	Name Puzzle  N with playdough	Mood and Music painting- Paint how the music makes you feel  Religion Books	Name Puzzle  N letter stamping	Discussion: What's your favorite type of music?
<b>Read Aloud</b>	<i>Pete the Cat: Crayons Rock!</i>	<i>Music Class Today</i>	<i>Music is in Everything</i>	<i>Name is a Song</i>	<i>My Family Plays Music</i>
<b>Small Group</b>	N is for nest	Discovery: Exploring different sounds  Noodle necklaces	Pan flutes with straws and popsicle sticks	Dance Party with instruments  Ketchup Day!	Ready to Rock Handprint Craft  Ketchup Day!

**Outdoor Experience: Taking a walk for items in nature to make a nest.**