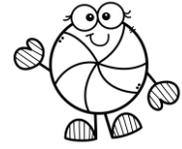


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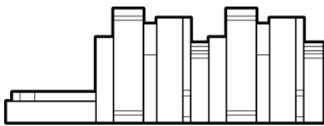
Newsletter

December 2018



Literacy News

During the month of December, we will continue working in Unit three of the Benchmark Advance series. This unit focuses on Life Sciences, specifically animal and plant needs. During unit three, we will explore nonfiction texts and their features. In addition, we will learn to compare and contrast informational texts. We will then begin Unit four. Unit four focuses on fiction stories and the retelling of key story events. In addition, we will learn to compare and contrast characters.



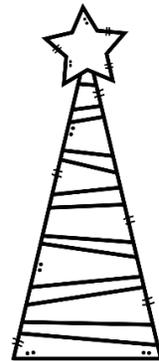
Math Updates

During the month of December, we will complete Unit 2 and move into Unit 3 of our math curriculum. Unit 3 focuses on addition and subtraction within 5. We will explore portions of chapters 5 and 6 of the Go Math! series. In addition, we will focus on solving word problems and using mathematical practices 1, 4, and 5. Mathematical practice 1 emphasizes perseverance, while practices 4 and 5 emphasize using the appropriate models and tools to solve a problem.

Important Dates

PTA General Meeting
12/4
@9:00am

Winter Break
No School
12/19 - 1/2



Holiday Reading Tips

As your family prepares for the holidays, use these tips to keep your student engaged in learning and reading over winter break.

1. Stock up on books at the local library. Help your child pick out books he or she is interested in reading over the winter break.
2. Turn travel time to or from a holiday get-together into an opportunity to practice reading. You can look for license plates from different states, try to find the alphabet on the license plates, and read street signs and billboards you see along the way.
3. Read for fun! Whether your child is in the mood for holiday stories or the newest installment from a favorite series, winter break provides the perfect opportunity to set aside school books and read for fun.

