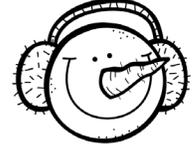




# Kimberly Hampton Kindergarten

## Newsletter

January 2019

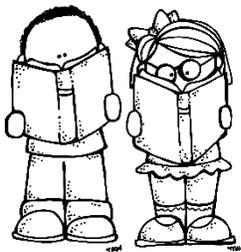


### Literacy News

During the month of January, we will continue working in unit four of the Benchmark Advance series. Unit four focuses on fiction stories and the retelling of key story events. In addition, we will learn to compare and contrast characters.

Also during the month of January, kindergarten students will take the Benchmark Assessment System (BAS). This is a reading assessment that is administered to each student individually. This assessment gives teachers great information about a student's decoding and comprehension skills.

In addition, kindergarten students will participate in end of the marking period literacy assessments.



### Math Updates

During the month of January, we will continue working in Unit three of our math program. Unit three 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.



**Early Release**  
**Every**  
**Wednesday**  
**@1:45pm**



### Important Dates

1/3/19  
School Resumes

1/7/19  
PTA General Meeting  
@9:00am

1/11/19  
No School for Students  
CCRS Training for Staff

1/21/19  
Martin Luther King Jr. Day  
No School for Staff or  
Students

1/24/19  
End of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Marking  
Period

1/25/19  
Teacher Work Day  
No for Students

1/31/19  
Report Cards Sent Home

