

Edgar's Beary Good News *(Kindergarten Edition)*

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"She opens her mouth with wisdom, and the teaching of kindness is on her tongue."

Proverbs 31:26

Weekly Update

I hope that all of you had a fabulous Christmas break. I know I did! However, I am excited about getting back to teaching the kids. Everyone did such a good job getting back into our routines; we were able to get a great start to more learning!

Friendly Reminders

Remember that there will be **no school or daycare on Monday, January 16th** due to Martin Luther King Jr.'s birthday.

Thank you also for your consistency of remembering to send a jacket with your child everyday. The kids haven't needed them in the afternoons because of our gorgeous weather, but it sure is cold in the mornings. And remember, even when it is cold, we always go outside unless it's raining. Oh, and don't forget to put your child's name in any new outer-ware items he may have gotten over Christmas. Keep up the great work!

If you haven't turned in your Book-It form yet, please do so soon. Remember that this does affect your child's homework grade for the end of the quarter, and the kids who turn it in on time get to get a gift certificate for a personal pan pizza from Pizza Hut. Remember, getting it in late is better than not turning it in at all. Some have not turned one in many times this year. Please be sure to complete this important assignment with your child. Keep reading in January!

Chapel Dress Change Reminder

I just wanted to remind you that through January and February girls may wear pants on Chapel days. This should help keep our kiddos a bit warmer on these chilly days.

Box Tops for Education!

Today, the kids received a new sheet for collecting Box Tops for Education. I am doing the Pizza and a Movie Contest again like I did in September, but I have made it a little harder this time (you guys are all so fabulous at this and we already have a 90 sheet head start! ☺). Please read the letter that I attached to the newsletter for more details. If you need more sheets, please send a note in your child's folder, and we will be very happy to get you more.

A Big Thank You

Thank you, thank you, thank you so much for all of your generous gifts for Christmas! Mrs. Slover and I were just blown away by all the yummy goodies and special gifts you bestowed upon us. Thank you so much for remembering us! It is such a pleasure to know and teach each one of your children, and we are so blessed to know you, too. We are looking forward to a bright and exciting new year with your children. ☺ PS—There was one gift that both Mrs. Slover and I received a gift, and there was no name on it to tell us who it was from. We'd love to know so we can thank you. If you think it was you, will you please let us know. ☺

Important Dates

January 13th—Minimum Day—School ends at 12:00 noon. (End of 2nd Quarter)
January 16th—Campus is closed for Martin Luther King Jr.'s Birthday (No school or daycare)
January 20th—55 Club Day
February 7th—VCES Open House/Science Night

Bible Memory Verse

"And God said, 'Honor your Father and Mother.'" Matthew 15:22

Learning Skills for the Week

Bible-Obeying Mom and Dad is a good choice.

Phonics-special sounds, reading sentences, sight words

Numbers-money, count by ten's, addition combos, and families

Social Studies/Science- winter and Martin Luther King, Jr.

Writing- Capital and lower case letters

Have a wonderful weekend! See you Monday!

Love, Mrs. Edgar ☺

