



January News



HAPPY NEW YEAR!!!!

New year...New things

We will be opening

- Vet Center in Dramatic Play
- Magnets in Science
- Shaving cream (snow) and winter animals in a Sensory Table
- Animals and Tree Blocks in Block area
- Light Table
- Winter books

This month we are learning about

What animals do in the winter:

Hibernate

Migrate

Adapt

We will make frost and learn about Martin Luther King, Arctic animals and Winter.

Poems

Winter animals

Winter is cold
There is snow in the sky
The squirrels gather nuts
The wild geese fly
The fluffy red fox
Has his fur to keep him warm
The bear is in his cave
Sleeping thru the storm

Polar Bear

Polar Bear, Polar Bear
Turn around
Polar Bear, polar Bear
Touch the ground
Polar Bear, Polar Bear

Snowman Poem

I'm a little snowman short and fat
Here is my broom and here is my hat.
When the sun comes out,
I go down, down, down
Then it's time to say
I'll be back another day.



Winter Break

December 23 is a ½ day dismissal at 11:30

No school – December 26th - January 2nd



IMPORTANT DATES FOR JANUARY

Friday January 13th - No School Professional Dev

Monday January 16th - No School MLK Day

The color of the month for January is Black and White so on Thursday January 26th & Friday January 27th wear black and white clothing to school.

Progress Notes and Report cards will be coming home this month.

Parent conferences were offered in December. If you missed it emailed me if you still want to meet. Conferences can be zoom or in person.



Remember to always be prepared with a hat and mittens we do try to get outside every day!

If you will be a returning student to Project GROW for the 2023-2024 (yikes) school year applications will be available soon.

January Birthdays!!!

Isabel will be turning 4 on January 21st

Zachary P. will be turning 5 on January 30th

In January, our new friends Sawyer (M/W/F), Oliver (M/W/F) and Rylee (Tu/Th) will be joining our classroom!

We are always looking for mystery readers- let me know if interested.

Check out the Weebly for pictures.

<https://rochesterprojectgrow.weebly.com/>

Train trips - <https://rochesterprojectgrow.weebly.com/train-trips.html>

Merida's visit (2day)-

<https://rochesterprojectgrow.weebly.com/meridas-visit.html>

Science - sink & float

<https://rochesterprojectgrow.weebly.com/sink-and-float.html>

Project GROW teachers hope you all have a wonderful holiday season filled with love and peace. Enjoy your time with your families!

**Spending anytime in the car -read Mrs. Garcia speech advice "Car Talk".*

Thank you for all the wonderful treats sent in for the Holidays!

Happy New Year,

Mrs. Baronas, Mrs. Bateman and Mrs. Sims

Winter Celebration



