



Lil' Bears Preschool Newsletter - January 2018

Dear Preschool Families,

We hope the upcoming holiday break offers you quality time for relaxation and enjoyment with your families! Enjoy the time at home and we look forward to beginning the new year together when we return back to school on Wednesday, January 3rd !

NEW UNIT

Our curriculum unit for January will be ANIMALS EVERYWHERE. The following is a list of books that will be used or available in our classrooms this month.

“The Mitten” by Jan Brett

“The Hat” by Jan Brett

“Gingerbread Baby” by Jan Brett

“The Three Snow Bears” by Jan Brett

“Honey, Honey, Lion” by Jan Brett

“Go To Sleep Groundhog” by Judy Cox

“Wake Up Groundhog” by Susanna Leonard Hill

“The Emperor’s Egg” by Martin Jenkins

“Animal Babies” by Houghton Mifflin Publishing

Special Days

Black and White Day in preschool will be held on Thursday, January 18th. Have your child wear black and/or white clothing and bring a special black and/or white item in for sharing (show-n-tell).

No School district wide on Friday, January 19th for records day for teachers.

Gray Day in preschool will be held on Friday, January 26th. Have your child wear gray clothing and bring a special gray item in for sharing (show-n-tell).

Peer Screening for 2018-2019

Parents and potential typical peers will be observing and participating in our program January 16th-January 18th. We will also be having a peer screening day on Monday, January 22nd. Please contact the office if you have a 3-4 year old in your family and are interested in our peer program. This is only for new peers to the program, it does not apply for returning peers to our program for next year.

Returning Peers for 2018-2019

If your child is currently a typical peer in our program and plans to return for the 2018-2019 school year, please return the intent form that was sent home along with a \$50.00 non refundable deposit in order to hold your child's spot for next school year. The \$50.00 deposit will be applied to your child's tuition for the 2018-2019 school year. The intent form and deposit is due by January 3rd.