



January

Preschool Newsletter



Classroom Happenings



Monthly Prayer

The children will be practicing the following prayer throughout January:

Good Morning, dear Jesus. This day is for you. I ask you to bless all I think, say, and do. Amen.

Happy Birthday

The following children are celebrating their birthday this month: Gwenevere Duran (1/9), Rafael Beltran (1/19), Kalel Tremor, (1/21), and Mila Mussi (1/29). Happy Birthday!



Remember to check your HiMama parent app throughout the day. We send your child's daily report with pictures and written snapshots of their day. In addition, we send messages periodically with important parent information about current events in our program.

Curriculum

We are introducing the letters M through O and the sounds and zoophonic movements associated with the letters. The first week back we will review letters J through L. The children will also explore units on Winter / Snow, Monkeys, Nursery Rhymes, and Ocean.

Coats/Gloves/Hats

Please remember that the temperature outside has been dropping. Licensing requires that we provide a certain percentage of our day outside. In order for us to comply with licensing, we are asking you to send your child to school in clothing that is appropriate to play outside. Close toed shoes, warm coats, hats, and gloves or mittens are needed to keep them warm in the inclement weather. Thank you for your help!



Kindergarten Applications

Kindergarten applications will be available online and in the school office in January 2021. You may



call Annunciation School at 444-4000 or visit the school website at Annunciation-School.org for information.



Picture Update

Pictures were returned on Thursday and Friday. Tammy is working on compiling a class picture composite and it will be distributed to our families who purchased photo packages in January.

Pre-K Press



Pre-K

We are working on sequencing 3 or more items, reviewing letters A-M and numbers 0-10. We are also learning our phone numbers and addresses. Easy reader books will be going home weekly for those students who are ready for them in the month of January.

Lastly, we will be preparing mid-year Kindergarten readiness assessments for February.

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Special points of interest:

- No School: 12/21 thru 1/4
- School Resumes: 1/5
- Kindergarten Applications available: January 2021
- Book Orders Due: 1/15
- No School: 1/18 (MLK Jr. Holiday)
- Pasta Dinner Fundraiser: 3/18

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Scholastic Corner



Books

Your Scholastic book order will be due January 15th. Thank you to everyone who ordered Christmas books last month!



Prayer Traditions

Help keep our Catholic traditions alive and thriving! Teach your child classic prayers each month. Try focusing on the following catholic prayer this month as part of your prayer ritual:

Hail Mary

Hail Mary, full of grace.
The Lord is with thee. Blessed art thou amongst women, and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus.
Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners, now and at the hour of our death. Amen

School Calendar



Early Dismissal

Please note that there are no Early Dismissal days during the month of January. (January 13th is an Early Dismissal day for Annunciation School)

No School

There is no school on January 18th due to Martin Luther King Jr. Day.

Fundraiser Update



Spring Fundraiser

Our annual Annunciation Preschool Spring fundraiser will be held on Saturday, March 18th, 2021. Mark your calendars now! This will be a mandatory fundraiser and very important for our budget. There is a strong possibility that this will be a drive-through dinner event. Please look for a flyer in your child's file folder after the first part of the year for more specifics. You may also refer to your parent handbook under fundraising for additional information. If you are interested in helping with this community building event, please speak with Miss Shannon.

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Health Clinic



Masks

You may want to send a fresh mask for your child when we return in January. Please remember to periodically check your child's mask or masks. Every child should have access to more than one each day. Also, please note that these items should be laundered periodically, especially during the cold and flu season. Thank you for your help in this matter.