

5th Grade Newsletter

Important Dates:

- January 16 and 19—No School
- January 14—End of 2nd nine weeks.

We Are Busy in January

It's January! That means the first semester is almost over. You can expect to receive report cards the week of January 22nd

The December Holiday Parties were a blast! Thanks to all the parents who sent in treats.

Mark it on your calendar! January 20th is the snow make-up day...school will be in session.

Here is a preview of what will be happening in the month of January.

In Reading we are finding main ideas and details. We will also be focusing on writing persuasive essays. Be sure to keep up with those AR points.

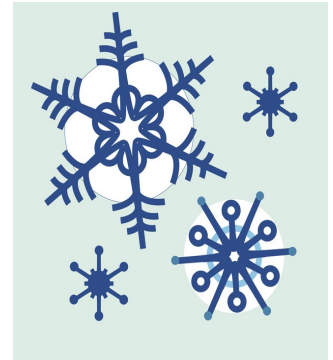
In math the students are working with geometric shapes, and soon will be starting fractions.

Our 5th Grade Sci-

entists are studying matter and its physical properties, and will be learning about density and how to calculate it.

In social studies, we are learning about Native Americans and the different regions they settled in across North America. We are discovering similarities and differences between the tribes. .

As you can see, we are busy, busy, busy!



January Birthdays

Chloe Blair	23rd
Ethan Beachy	26th

Important Notes

Kleenex

Parents, thanks for donating Kleenex to the classrooms. We use them up so fast, especially this time of year. Thanks in advance for future tissue donations.

Recess

We will be going outside to play during recess as long as it is not too cold. Please make sure that your child comes to school with a warm coat, gloves, hats and boots. If your child

does not have boots he or she will not be permitted to play in the in the snow.

Did You Know?

January is named after the Roman god Janus, who was always shown as having two heads. He looked back to the last year and forward to the new one.