DECEMBER NEWS



Brrrr! It's starting to feel like winter! If your family or someone you know are in need of warm clothing or heating assistance, please reach out, there are many local resources that are ready to help.

During the colder, darker afternoon/evenings we will be looking at more inside play days. With this comes the opportunities to focus more on peer social games like board games, card games, group games. We will have the gym to use, as well, for physical activity and group games.

With the cold intensifying, so are the seasonal illnesses. Therefore, our social distancing, proper mask wearing, hand hygiene and the cleaning of play space/items will be a priority.

Have a wonderful winter and of course, stay safe, stay warm and stay healthy.



IMPORTANT DATES*

12/17 HALF DAY OF SCHOOL

12/20-23 WINTER HOLIDAY BREAK CARE

12/24-27 SCHOOLS & FCCC CLOSED

12/28-30 WINTER HOLIDAY BREAK CARE

12/31 SCHOOLS & FCCC CLOSED

*Dates are subject to change if our board decides the transmission rate of illness is higher than what would allow us to operate safely according to the CDC guidelines.



FUN FACTS!

The birthstone of December is turquoise.

"Jingle Bells" was composed in 1857, and not for Christmas- it was meant to be a Thanksgiving song.

December 27th is National Chocolate Day.

December 1st is the first day of summer in Australia.

An ancient legend states that forest animals can speak in human language on Christmas Eve!

People once believed that birds flew to the moon for the winter.

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