

# december



**In the month of December, we are focusing on:**

**Language Arts:** In reading during December, we are using and discussing strategies readers use to prove and expand their thinking as they read.

**Writing:** We are continuing to work on adding details to our writing. We will use more digital tools and focus more on the editing process and publishing.

**Word Study:** Students are continuing to work on activities based on word patterns and areas of need seen in their writing.

**Math:** In math we are finishing working on time and graphing. We will also be working on mental math and word problems. We are representing and solving problems involving addition and subtraction.

**Content:** We are beginning a unit on time and how it can be shown on calendars and timelines.

## December birthdays.

12/1: Penny  
12/1: Karingtin  
12/1: Marlen  
12/23: Ameera

## Upcoming Events:

12/12: Holiday store  
12/20: Holiday party  
12/21 – 1/2: Holiday break  
1-3-2018: School Resumes!

Dear Families,

We have so much learning going on in the month of December! We have our school holiday store shopping on Dec. 12th, where students can purchase gifts for family and friends. We also have a fun day planned with our class holiday party on Dec. 20th.

I hope you have a wonderful holiday season with your family and friends!

- Miss Strickler

