

December Enrichment Newsletter 2019



This month we produce the Nativity Play. We want to share the true meaning of the season with our students and their families.

We are assigned parts in the production and learn our speaking lines. The script will be coming home with your child and their part will be indicated. Through acting we experience different personalities and roles. By following the character's role in the play children learn about story sequence, which is an important part of reading comprehension.

We practice our songs together and develop our dramatic play skills. A CD of our selected songs will be coming home to help your child practice. This helps develop oral language and other play-based literacy skills, we are learning how to socialize and interact with others.

Participating in a play, gives us the opportunity to experience the world from a different viewpoint. When children expand their worldview and adopt the viewpoints of others they learn compassion and empathy — two essential social and emotional skills that children will use throughout life, not just for now.

We will make the scenery and props for our play. Exploring art we create sparkling stars for the night sky, sheep for our shepherds, and many other back drop pieces. We will create a crèche ornament and make a special gift for our parents. Please reserve the date for our performance: Monday December 16th. Refreshments will be served. There will be an invitation and more information to follow.

Merry Christmas,

Mrs. Craft, Mrs. Dominy, Mrs. Neindorff, Mrs. Delgado and Mrs. Dunne