



## January News from the 2.5

We welcome the New Year 2023 with exciting new experiences and learning opportunities.

We begin with Science and our body discovering our eyes, ears, nose, mouth, hands, feet, brain and heart. **We** explore Science with shaving cream creation, color paddles, binoculars, and magnifying glasses. Our Nature walks will examine the Winter Season listening for birds and looking for squirrels nests. We will make mud just like he did. Our colors are blue and silver this month, our shape is a Triangle. Our PE program will have us running as fast as we can, you can't catch us because we are Gingerbread men. Putting on our own hat and mittens is our self help skill this month. Mittens please NO GLOVES.

Our first Bible story is Jesus healing the blind. Jesus calms the storm is the second story from the Bible. We will create wave streamers and calm the storm with him. A rainbow of Fruit Loops will help us sort colors. A Snowflake Dance where we catch snowflakes on our tongue will be lots of fun. "If all the snowflakes were candy bars and milkshakes oh what a snow that would be." We continue to practice using scissors. We snip fishies in a bag.

Jesus feeds 5000 is a great story of sharing. In Pre-math, we pull a piece of bread apart counting each crumb before we take it outside to feed the birds. We explore silver and gold crayons on black paper. Triangle dancing is helping us balance and take turns. Our puzzle is clipping two triangles that are the same size but different colors.

At the end of the month we look at our heart and brain. Disney Frozen days! "Do you want to build a snowman?" Frozen Ice Cream Treats for snacks are fun. Our Olaf puppet project is perfect for our new classroom puppet theater. We will be Puzzle Pals working together to complete puzzles. We have a new Frozen matching memory game to play. We will count marshmallows as we stack them on top of one another. Who can build the tallest tower? We'll examine melting ice and dance to "In Summer".

Throughout the month we talk about being closer to God. When parents let children know the importance of God in their own lives, children can understand that they, too, can have a relationship with God. By demonstrating their reliance on God, modeling a prayer life and by taking part in worship, parent's plant the seeds of faith that will grow as children develop in other ways. We pray at school before snack and again before we leave for the day.

Reminder snow schedule follows Moorestown school system.  
We have a wonderful January full of fun,  
Mrs. Craft, Mrs. Woltjen and Mrs. Clark

Class Conferences January 11 & 12 See sign up genius form.

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