

Happy Holidays!

News and Notes from Miss Hawes' Classroom For the week of: Dec 2-6

Our Week

We continued to practice CVC words this week, and the students were able to look at a picture and write the CVC word on their whiteboard. They are learning to 'chop up' each sound. The correct vowel sound seems to be the trickiest part for them so far.

During writer's workshop, students worked with their partners to continue to come up with true stories to write. We talked about putting a space between words so that it is easier to read, and that if they can't read what they wrote, other people aren't able to read it either. We also began talking about how a sentence begins and ends. Students are attempting to start with a capital, and end with a period.

In math, we began learning about 3D shapes. We discussed differences between the 3D shapes, and why they are different than 2D shapes.

We are learning about different holidays this month, and we began learning about Hanukkah this week We talked about different symbols of Hanukkah including a dreidel, menorah, Star of David, and gelt.



Schedule Next Week

Monday- P.E., Computers Tuesday- P.E., Music Wednesday- P.E., Computers, Thursday-P.E., Music, Library Friday- P.E., Computers

<u>December Sight Words</u>

Be a detective and find these words in anything that you read!



an, it, are, have, said, was

Next Week

Poem- Santa's Elf Number-13 Phonics- CVC words Holidays Around the World- Kwanzaa

In writer's workshop, we will continue to write true stories. We will focus on making sure that the stories they write, focus on one thing. They will also work with their partners and focus on asking questions, and making their writing the best it can be.



In math, students will continue to work with 3D shapes, and we will talk about their attributes, and things in the real world that are shaped like them.

We will practice CVC words more next week, and students will keep practicing listening to each sound, and writing it down to make a word.

December at a Glance

Dec IO- Book order due Dec II- Supper with Santa

Dec 18- Pajama Day

Dec 20- Half day, Holiday

party

Dec 23-Jan 5- Winter

Break

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