

YOUR CHILD'S 1ST SCHOOL HOUSE

WHITE OAK

Early Childcare Center

DECEMBER 2017

Pre - Kindergarten

Preschool Program

After School Program

THIS MONTH

Evergreen Pine trees

Here comes the gingerbread man

Holiday lights are shining bright

All aboard, here comes the train

Celebrating Holidays

FUN BUS Gymnastics

Team Greene sports

Breaking Piñata and much more.

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LOOKING AHEAD IN DECEMBER 2017

| Week of | Themes |
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| Mon 4 th to Fri 8 th | Evergreen Pine Trees |
| Mon 11 th to Fri 15 th | Go to Sleep Bears |
| Mon 18 th to Fri 22 nd | Ornaments and Crafts |
| Mon 25 th to Fri 29 th | All Aboard Holiday Train |
| Mon 1 st to Fri 5 th | New Year Begins |
| a. Letters & Sounds | b. Computer & Technology |
| Jj, Kk , Ll | Mickey mouse club house, Learning Adventure |
| Pre writing skills | Arthur Basic Reading, Disc 1 |
| Upper & lowercase letter Recognition | Tonka Construction, Hasbro Int. |
| Learning to trace and Print | The Land before Time |
| c. Numbers & Counting | d. Colors & Shapes |
| 8, 9, 10 | Colors: RED, GREEN |
| Recognition of Numbers | Shapes: STAR |
| Learning to Trace & print | Shape tracing and recognition |
| Learning to count the objects | Spring coloring pages |
| e. Music and Movement | f. Arts and Crafts |
| 1. You better watch out | 1. Holiday, craft |
| 2. Jingle bells | 2. Paper lanterns |
| 3. Frosty the snowman | 3. Tree ornaments |
| g. Science & Language Arts | h. Social Studies & Practical Life |
| 1. How do pine trees grow? | 1. Holidays all around the world |
| 2. Winter is coming. | 2. Christmas Story |

Curriculum Resources: <http://clifford.scholastic.com/>

A PEEK AT THE WEEK

WHATS HAPPENING IN DECEMBER 2017

Tuesday 5th 12th 19th FUN BUS Gymnastics

At: 10:30am- 11:30am, Fall Session: \$50 per child, Pay As you go Rate: \$12 per child

Registration forms available at the center.

Wednesday 6th 13th 20th Team Greene Sports

Organized Sports and Games, 9:00 am to 10:00 am, Register Now!!!

Call: Roderick Greene 804-301-5582

Friday 8th Dress up Day

Costumes are provided at the center. Today we will bring creativity and color alive by dressing up and dancing to the beat of holiday music.

Wednesday 13th Baking Gingerbread Cookies

Ingredients: gingerbread mix. We are baking and decorating holiday cookies today. Children will bring their cookies home to share with families.

Friday 22nd Holiday Party – cupcakes & musical program

Today we will be celebrating the holiday of Christmas by singing holiday songs, eating baked treats and sharing treasures. Our color is RED & GREEN to wear today!!! Parents are welcome to bring baked goodies, crafts or gifts for their child's teacher on the 22nd as well. Any baked treats MUST be peanut butter and nuts free.

Monday 25th & Tuesday 26th Center closed – Christmas Holiday

Center will be closed for the holiday. Wishing you all a wonderful time with your family

Monday January 1st Center Closed – New Year's Day

Center will be closed on Monday, January 1st.

REMINDERS:

- Please provide **pull-ups and wipes** upon request from the teachers.
- Please provide **bedding** for your child every MONDAY. Bedding for your child must provide top covers, bottom and a small pillow to lie on the cots. Please view the nap mat under Parents Links on our Website. This nap mat is easy to use and provides top, bottom and a pillow all in one for your child while taking a nap at the center.
- Please dress your child according to the appropriate weather. It can help identify better, if parents would use the same **jacket and hat** for their child, or place your child's initials on tag.
- Parents shall check regularly if there's a **bag of extra clothing** in their child's cubby.
- Tuition is due every MONDAY.
- Parents MUST communicate in advance if their child will not be attending After-School program for a day or more.
- We are working on developing better **self-reliance skills** at the center. However, it can help greatly if parents can work with children on;
 - a. How to open items and juice boxes packed for lunch. (Ages 3 – 5)
 - b. How to put on jackets, clothes and shoes. (Ages 3 -5)
 - c. How to clean up after using restrooms. (Ages 2 -5)
 - d. Importance of washing hands after bathroom use. (Ages 2 -5)
- Please view our **infection control policy** to help maintain safe and healthy environment.
- This year center will be offering vacation week from **December 22nd – 26th**. There's no tuition due for that week if parents plan to take the entire week off. However, the daily fee will apply if the center remains open partially. Parents will receive more information in coming weeks.

White Oak Early Childcare, DECEMBER 2017 calendar and planned activities