

IMPORTANT DATES

December 1st

Tweety and Munchkin field trip to Clara's Dream Ballet at St. Kates.

December 4th-8th

Usborne Book Fair at the NELC. 50% in sales goes back into FREE books to the classrooms! We will post classroom wish lists!

December 19th

Tweety and Munchkin Christmas Program at 10am in the Nativity School Auditorium.

December 20th, 21st, 22nd, 27th, 28th, 29th and January 2nd

Christmas extra care days for K-6th graders. Sign-up sheets will be available this week! Special events each day!

December 25th, 26th and January 1st

The NELC is closed in observance of Christmas and New Year's Day.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- January 8th - NELC Open House for prospective families 6-7:30pm
- January 15th - Extra care day for K-6th graders only
- January 25th - Kindergarten Roundup at Nativity School 6:30pm
- January 29th-Feb. 2nd - Catholic School Week
- January 30th - Chinese Dance Theatre field trip for the Tweeties and Munchkins
- TBD - Open Gym Time for Tweety and Munchkin families

Usborne Book Fair

We will be having an Usborne Book Fair December 4th-8th

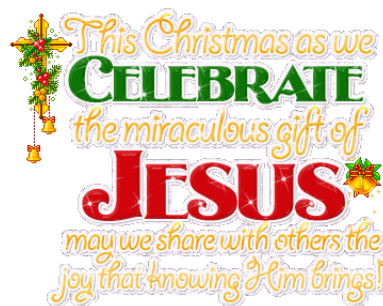
located in the NELC. With Christmas just around the corner, these would be great books for presents as well as birthdays and other special events! We receive 50% back to earn FREE classroom books. Also, each classroom will have a wish list posted if you would like to purchase a book for your child's classroom. Usborne books are educational books for kids (and adults) that are fun to read. We are very excited about this opportunity and I hope you get a chance to browse through these wonderful books and pick up a few for your family! Thank you in advance for your support.

No Hot Lunch

All children will need a cold lunch December 20th-January 2nd.

Minnesota Weather

Our Minnesota winter season has arrived which means wetter colder days. Please make sure to supply your child's cubby with warmer clothes including lots of extra socks. Please label all of your child's items to prevent them from getting lost or going home with the wrong child. We go outside daily!



Nativity Early Learning Center Open House

The NELC will have its Open House for new prospective families on Monday, January 8th from 6:00-7:30pm. The NELC offers two programs throughout the school year, full day preschool and an after-school program for Nativity School families K-6th. We also offer an amazing 12 week summer camp program for children ages 33 months to 12 years old. Please feel free to share this information with interested family and friends!



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Nativity Early Learning Center Newsletter

Classroom Monthly Highlights

Tweety Room

Classroom #: 696-5450

teamtweety@gmail.com

Our themes this month include:

Advent, Reindeer, Christmas and Christmas Break Fun

Special Projects:

- Making reindeer food
- Paper plate elf's
- Letters to Santa
- Home toy day!

Dramatic Play: Santa's workshop

Science Area: Evergreen sensory bottles with jingle bells and magnet wands

Sensory Table: Wrapping paper with scissors and ribbons

Munchkin 1 Room

Classroom #: 696-5449

nelc.munchkins1@gmail.com

Our themes this month include:

Advent, Christmas and Happy New Year

Special Projects:

- "Secret" parent gifts
- Advent calendar
- Christmas ornaments
- Classroom Christmas party

Dramatic Play: Vet office

Science Area: Animals in winter

Sensory Table: Winter animals

Munchkin 2 Room

Classroom #: 696-5451

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Our themes this month include:

Advent, Christmas and Happy New Year

Special Projects:

- Advent calendar in hallway
- "Secret" parent gifts
- Christmas ornaments
- Christmas light match
- Classroom Christmas party

Dramatic Play: Santa's workshop

Science Area: Color mixing

Sensory Table: Fake snow, wrapping paper with scissors

Cross (Kinders) Room

Classroom #: 696-5446

cross.nelc@gmail.com

Our themes this month include:

Hanukkah, Christmas and Kwanza

Special Projects:

- Puffy stars
- Menorahs
- Salt snowflakes
- Ornaments
- Kwanza art project

Dramatic Play: Vet clinic

Science Area: Math activity kit with numbers and counting

Sensory Table: Cotton balls with wrapping paper and scissors

Cheetahs (1st Grade) Room

Classroom #: 696-5448

cheetahs.nelc@gmail.com

Our themes this month include:

Winter and Christmas

Special Projects:

- Snow painting
- 3D snowflakes
- "Secret" parent gifts

Dramatic Play: Gingerbread house

Science Area: Making ice cream with snow and frozen art

Sensory Table: Snowball search

Zone (2nd-6th Grade) Room

Classroom #: 696-5447

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Our themes this month include:

Hanukkah, Christmas and Kwanza

Special Projects:

- Holiday books
- Snowflakes and candy canes
- "Secret" parent gifts
- National brownie day special treat
- National cocoa day special treat

Dramatic Play: Farmer's market

Science Area: Animals

Happy Birthday Everyone!

Carter W.-4th, Harper F.-5th, Oliva N.-6th, Mrs. Carrie Boyer-7th, Farrah B.-10th, Miss Kristina Janu-12th, Olivia M.-12th, Katie N.-13th, Aaron K.-14th, Jack S.-15th, Nolan F.-17th, Zane L.-19th, Ananya A.-21st, Frannie C.-21st, Evelyn M.-22nd, Cullen W.-27th and Katya A.-31st

