

December 2016 Newsletter

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"December 2016"

- 12/8- VPK Trim-a-Tree Program
- 12/9- 3A/3B Trim-a-Tree Program
- 12/16- Ugly Sweater Day
- 12/16- Parent's Night Out- 6:15pm-10:00pm
- 12/22-1/6- No VPK- Winter Break
- 12/23- Wellington Close @ 12pm
- 12/26- Wellington Closed
- 12/30- Wellington Close @ 12pm
- 1/2/17- Wellington Closed- Happy New Year

Administrator's News...

Wellington Academy would like to say Thank you all so much for all the generous food donations during the month of November. With all of your contributions we were able to donate lots of food to the St. Vincent de Paul food pantry in Palm Bay.

We would like to challenge you and ask you to hand make a holiday decoration with your family for the month of December to display around our school. It can be a decorated wreath, snowman or gingerbread house, etc. Use your imagination and enjoy spending this quality time with your child/family, after all this is what the holidays are all about "Family".

Toys for Tots donations will be collected in the front office. Thank for all your help this holiday season.

**Parents we ask that you please be careful in the parking lot, remind your children to hold hands. We wouldn't want any injuries. We would like to remind everyone that at pick up you are responsible for your child, please be sure that your child stays with you at all times, safety first. Please DO NOT leave your child in your vehicle unattended.

We would like to remind you to please have your child arrive at Wellington Academy at an appropriate time. Our staff works really hard to have the program up and going by 9:00am so please adhere to this time and have your child here so they can have the full benefit of the program. Also Wellington doors close at 6:00pm. Please be here on time, our staff would also like to get home to their loved ones. There is a late pick up fee of \$10 per 5 minute increments. Let's please avoid any extra fees.

Parents just reminder tuition is due on Friday for the following week. Let's avoid those late fees. Also there is a \$100.00 referral credit to your account every time you refer a family to Wellington Academy. Thank you for all your cooperation and sharing your children with us. Parents you can also read this newsletter online at... wellingtonacademyschools.com

Find and like Wellington Academy on fb to view pictures from all the fun activities that your child experience. Enjoy! **Please write a review of your experience with Wellington Academy on G+. Please go to the following link: <https://plus.google.com/+Wellingtonacademyschools/posts?hl=en>

Thank you,

Mrs. Millie and Ms. Shannon

December Curriculum

Theme: Celebration Around the World

Colors: Green & Red

Shapes: Cone & Star

0-2 years' old

Letters: A-P Review

Numbers: 0-10 Review

3-5 years' old

Letters: Aa-Pp Review

Numbers: 0-10 Review



To the following students, parents & staff in December 2016...

Students: Mekhi Burnside...12/1 Samuel Osborne...12/1 Sebastian Polanco...12/2
Xavier Winans...12/7 Layla Reilly...12/8 Michael Pastor...12/9
Alexis Dawson...12/9 Ezra Burnside...12/10 Huntington Hendrickson...12/10
Annabelle Chokanis...12/13 Lyra Clark...12/19 Matthew Reiderman...12/28
Elena Mirabal...12/30
Staff: Ms. Kristina...12/4



Infant News

We would like to welcome Owen, thank you for joining us. Skylar is rolling all around the room. Nicholas, Lincoln and Joaquin are sitting on their own. Gabby is taking steps. Evelyn is standing on her own. Thank you for sharing your babies with us. It has been a wonderful year watching them grow, can't wait to see what next year has in store.

Thank you,
Mrs. Lorena, Mrs. Lissette & Ms. Ashawna



Developmental 1 News

Jingle bells, jingle bells, jingle all the way, oh what fun it is to celebrate the holidays. We will be learning about different celebrations around the world and singing different cultural songs. We will be doing lots of fun holiday art and activities to enhance our developmental needs. Just a reminder, please check child's cubby every day. We often include a sheet indicating any supplies they may need. Remember to take home dailies & art work, also bedding should go home on Friday. Please continue working on self-feeding using utensils. Parents we please ask that children not wear open toe sandals, also please no crocs. However, you spend you holidays, we in Developmental 1 hope you are safe and happy. Thank you for giving us the opportunity to teach and love your children. See you next year.

Thank you,
Mrs. Karen, Mrs. Shannon & Mrs. Kathleen, Ms. Teylor



Developmental 2 News

Come travel with us around the world the world and explore other countries and their traditions. We will be learning about Hanukah, Kwanzaa and other fun ways to celebrate the holidays. We ask that you please work with your child on drinking out of a cup.

****No food and drinks in the classroom. ****

**** Please remember to wear closed toe shoes at all times, crocs are only to be worn when potty training. Once your child is potty trained please wear sneaker ****

Thank you for a wonderful year, see you next year!

Thank you,
Ms. Tiffany, Ms. Selena & Ms. Abby



Developmental 3A News

We can't believe December is already here. We are happy to welcome Ms. Kristina to our class. This month we have lots of fun crafts and activities we will be working on. Don't forget to join us Friday, December 9 for our trim-a-tree program.

Let's continue the great work with book club. Our cooking activities are a special learning time for our children, they will occur once a month on a Friday. Thank you for your donation to these activities. Please keep an eye on our door for any notes or activities upcoming. Parents, please remember to be sure your child has extra clothes and any other supplies needed. Please be sure to label all belongings.

Parents we please ask that children not wear open toe sandals, for safety reasons. We also ask no crocs unless child is potty training and that the girls wear shorts underneath of dresses/skirts.

Please bring in an updated family photo.

Don't forget to check your child's file on a daily basis.

Thank you so much for sharing your child with us. Can't wait to see what 2017 has in store for us.

Thank you,
Ms. Yesenia & Ms. Kristina

Developmental 3B News



Our theme for this month is Celebrations Around the World. To introduce this theme, we will talk about how we celebrate at home and discuss how others around the world celebrate. How is it the same or different? We will have lots of fun projects, making snowballs you can eat & some you can throw. Along with many exciting activities. Our trim-a-tree program will be Friday, December 9th @ 4pm, hope to see you there.

Remember show & tell is every Friday, item must be theme related. Book club and cooking activities are also on Friday. Be sure to read our door for activities, check your child's cubby for daily sheet and any papers to go home.

**** Please bring in an updated family photo for our family tree.**

**** Don't forget to label all belongings.**

Thank you,
Ms. Russ





VPK News

November flew by so fast. Thank you to all our families who contributed to our canned food drive, it was a huge success. Our Thanksgiving play was a blast. Hats off to all of our students, they did an awesome job.

In the blink of an eye December has come, we have many fun activities planned. Please be sure to read our doors for more information. We would like each child to bring in a Santa hat (red & white), also to wear **red shirt** with **jeans** for our trim-a-tree program that will be on Thursday, December 8th @ 4pm. We will also have a book exchange and class party, please bring in a book. It's family project time, please make a wreath together to bring in next week.

Reminder, there will be NO VPK December 22nd - January 6th. Hope everyone has a safe & happy holiday, see you January 9th.

****Attention VPK ONLY parents, please be mindful of your arrival and departure times. VPK hours are 8:30am-11:30am. Please be sure to be on time.**

Don't forget the weather is changing so make sure your child has weather appropriate clothes. Also be sure to label all belongings.

****Show & Tell is on Friday, items are to be theme related only. ****

***No toys, only theme related items may be brought in on Friday for show & tell. *No open toe shoes or sandal's.**

Check file on a daily basis and keep an eye on the doors for any information. Keep up the good job doing homework & book club. Thank you families for all your contributions and participation.

Thank you,
Ms. Devi, Mrs. Sonya & Ms. Ashawna



Kitchen News

If you bring in a bag lunch for your child, please be sure that you have provided a note from your doctor stating that your child will receive lunch from home whether it be preference or medically necessary. Be sure all bagged lunches follow the nutritional guidelines.

****Reminder, lunch bags need to be labeled and include ice packs. Please also label all items in lunch bag as well.**

Parents with 'special' milk, please send in a new unopened carton of milk on Mondays and take home on Fridays. Unfortunately, some have gone bad being left over the weekends.

Any concerns with food or milk please feel free to stop me or leave me a note. Remember any items left in the refrigerator after Friday will be discarded.

****Remember to inform your child's teachers of any changes also.**

****Please take home all cups, containers, lunch bags on a daily basis. ** We wouldn't want to discard your belongings (labeled or not), we just do not have the space to store.**

**** Parents we please ask that you not send any seafood/shell fish foods with your child****
We have a teacher that has a severe allergy, please be cautious and courteous. **

Thank you,
Mrs. Marie





December 2016



Meal / Wk. 1 11/28-12/2 12/26-30	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Am Snacks	Peaches Water	Animals Crackers Apple Juice	Oatmeal Cookies Water	Pretzels Apple Juice	Saltine Crackers & String Cheese Water
Lunch	Meat Loaf, Mashed Potatoes Carrots, Mixed Fruit Milk	Macaroni & Cheese w/Turkey Hot Dogs, Pears, Green Beans, Milk	Meatballs, Corn, Rice, Applesauce, Milk	Chicken Nuggets, Tater Tots, Mandarin Oranges, Peas, Milk	Turkey/Cheese Sandwich, Mixed Veg., Pineapple, Milk
PM Snacks	Popcorn Apple Juice	Blueberry Muffins Water	Apple Cinnamon Fruit Bar Apple Juice	Chocolate/ Vanilla Pudding Water	Chex Trail Mix Apple Juice
Wk. 2 12/5-9	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Am Snacks	Oats & Honey Granola Bar Water	Graham Crackers Apple Juice	Yogurt & Vanilla Wafers Water	Goldfish Apple Juice	Cheerio Mix Water
Lunch	'Wow' Butter & Jelly Sand., Corn, Peaches, Milk	Chili Mac, Carrots, Pineapple, Milk	Hamburger Pasta & Gravy, Green Beans, Applesauce, Milk	Ham & Cheese Pizza, Peas, Pears, and milk	Pancakes, Sausage links, Mandarin Oranges, Mixed Veg., Milk
PM Snacks	Saltine Crackers & String Cheese Apple Juice	Brownies Water	Cheez-It Crackers Apple Juice	Club Cracker & Jelly Water	Nachos & Cheese Water
Wk. 3 12/12-16	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Am Snacks	Peaches Water	Animal Crackers Juice	Oatmeal Cookies Water	Pretzels Apple Juice	Saltine Crackers & Cheese Water
Lunch	Chicken & Rice, Carrots, Applesauce, Milk	Mini Turkey Corn Dogs, Baked Beans, Pears, Milk	Spaghetti w/Meat Sauce, Green Beans, Mixed Fruit, Milk	Chicken Nuggets, Mashed Potatoes, Peas, Pineapples Milk	Grilled Cheese Sandwich, Peaches, Mixed Vegetables, Milk
PM Snacks	Cake Apple Juice	Popcorn Water	Organic Bunny Grahams Apple Juice	Chocolate/ Vanilla Pudding Water	Chex Trail Mix Juice
Wk. 4 12/19-23	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Am Snack	Blueberry Fruit Bars Water	Graham Crackers Apple Juice	Yogurt & Vanilla Wafer Water	Goldfish Apple Juice	Bananas Water
Lunch	Cheese Hamburger, (on Bun) Tater Tots, Mandarin Oranges, Green Beans, Milk	Chicken Noodle Casserole, Pineapple, Carrots, Milk	Porcupine Casserole, Peaches, Corn Milk	Sausage & Cheese Pizza, Mixed Fruit, Peas, Milk	French Toast, Sausage, Mixed Vegetables, Applesauce, Milk
PM Snacks	Cheez-Its Apple Juice	Cinnamon Raisin Toast Water	Cheerio Mix Apple Juice	Nachos & Cheese Water	Lorna Dunn Shortbread Cookies Apple Juice