

Wellington Academy Fort Myers

December 2017 Newsletter



Administrator's News....

Dear Parents,

The end of the year is already here! We have the month planned out for so many fun activities! Infants will be having milk and cookies with parents, while our one and two year olds do their annual Trim-A-Tree! Parents will be invited to come decorate an ornament with their child to be hung on our tree. Our D3, Pre-K and both VPK classes will be having their Holiday Programs. They have been working very hard on their songs and cannot wait to perform! Santa will be here on the morning of the 14th, so make sure you come dressed for pictures with him! Look out for more fun surprise activities in your child's classroom. Last but not least, watch our for our Toy drive this month. Happy Holidays everyone!

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Few Reminders:

- ⇒ **Please refrain from parking along the fence or in front of the dumpster**
- ⇒ **We follow Lee County school system for closings in case of inclement weather**
- ⇒ **Please look out for revisions to our school calendar**



Wellington Administration

Dates to Remember!

- 12/12 Trim-a-tree 1 A and 1B
- 12/13 Trim-a-tree 2A and 2B
- 12/14 Santa Visit
- 12/14 Holiday Program D3 and VPK A and B
- 12/15 Holiday Program Pre-K and VPK C and D
- 12/22-1/8 No VPK-Winter Break
- 12/22 Early Dismissal
- 12/25 Wellington Closed-Merry Christmas!
- 12/29 Early Dismissal

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Happy Birthday to all of our friends
celebrating this month!



Happy 1st Birthday

Sloan 12/21

Happy 2nd Birthdays

London 12/11

Breylon 12/21

Kiesan 12/21

Savannah 12/27

Happy 3rd Birthdays

Gael 12/10

Madison 12/18

Happy 4th Birthdays

Tristan 12/3 Jayden 12/17

Cooper 12/12 Sanibel 12/26

Lynk 12/12 Tommy 12/30

Happy 5th Birthdays

Conrad 12/11

Happy Staff Birthdays

Ms. Kelly 12/1

Ms. Shelby 12/13

*“A birthday is just the first day of
another 365 day journey around the
sun! Enjoy the trip!”*

-Anonymous





INFANTS A

We are looking forward to the holidays! Santa will be visiting our school on December 14th at 9:00 a.m. We will be decorating cookies between 3-5 on that day as well. So stop by and help our little elves decorate them. I am very sad to say goodbye to Ms. Elizabeth and hope she will be back soon. She has been a wonderful coworker and friend. I will miss her and I know the babies will too. Happy Holidays!

♥Ms. Karen

INFANTS B

We want to wish you all warm wishes for the upcoming holidays. For the moment our classroom has been combined with Infants A. We plan to open our classroom back up after the next transition! Happy Holidays Everyone!

♥Ms. Haley, and Ms. Jenna



CLASSROOM 1A



Happy Holidays! It is the best time of the year! People are celebrating around the world. We will be learning about all of the special holidays this month. Of course, we will be making lots of crafts and decorating to celebrate the holiday season. We will learn about the colors red and green, the shapes are cone and star. We will review the letters A-P and numbers 0-10. Please be on the lookout for holiday events to come! As always, thank you for sharing your child with us!

♥Ms. Lisa and Ms. Angela

CLASSROOM 1B

Welcome December! What an exciting time of year! The children will be learning about how different cultures celebrate their holidays. Our Trim-A-Tree will be December 12th, so please be on the look out for more details to come, as this will be an activity for family to do with their child. We will review letters A-P and the number 0-10. Our colors for the month are green and red, and our shapes are cone and star. We look forward to a fun and happy holiday, as well as getting ready for 2018! A always, thank you for sharing your child with us.

♥Ms. Jildre and Ms. Erika

CLASSROOM 2A

Hello December! We have a busy month. We invite our parents to help your little one make an ornaments during our Trim-A-Tree day. This will be December 13th and 2:30 in our classroom. We will also have a Holiday party on December 20th at 3:15. Please watch for our sign up sheet to bring treats! Wellington will be hosting a toy drive beginning the 1st through the 15th. Have a Happy Holiday Everyone!

♥Ms. Kelly

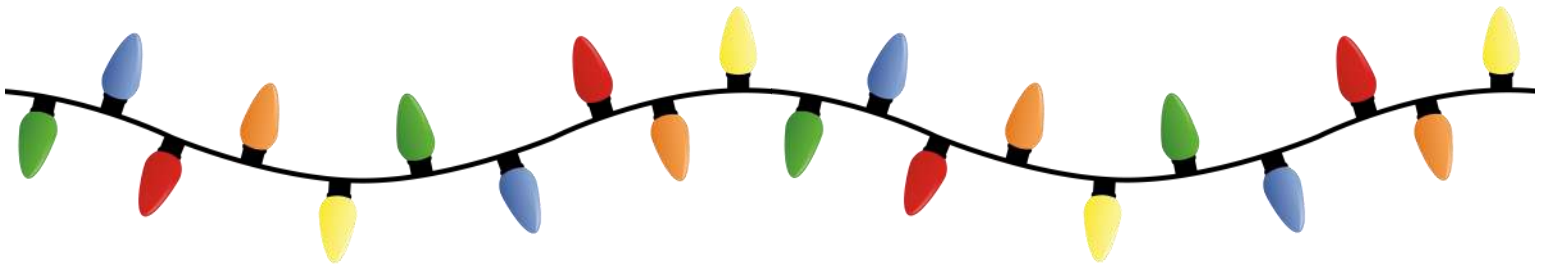


CLASSROOM 2B

In 2B we are excited to start off December full of joy and fun! We will be making lots of holiday decorations. We are looking forward to our annual trim-a-tree with our parents. We are also looking forward to the door contest, which will bring out our creativity and our holiday spirit. 2B wishes all of Wellington a Happy Holiday season filled with love and happiness!



♥Ms. Jessica and Ms. Shelby

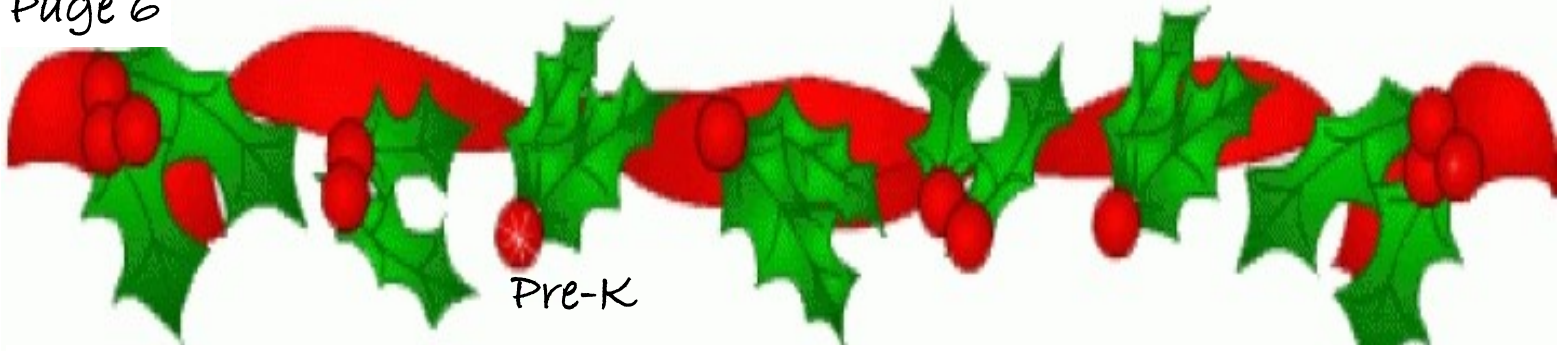


CLASSROOM D3

Hello December! It is the last month of the year! We have so much to do in this month celebrating three multicultural holidays, Hanukkah, Christmas, and Kwanzaa. There will be busy days, lots of art work and drawing. Also, preparing for our Christmas Program. This is where the D3 crew will perform songs for our parents. There is also going to be a toy drive and we would like for our parents to bring in at least one toy to donate to children in need of a smile this Christmas. Thank you and happy holidays!

♥Ms. Priscilla





Pre-K

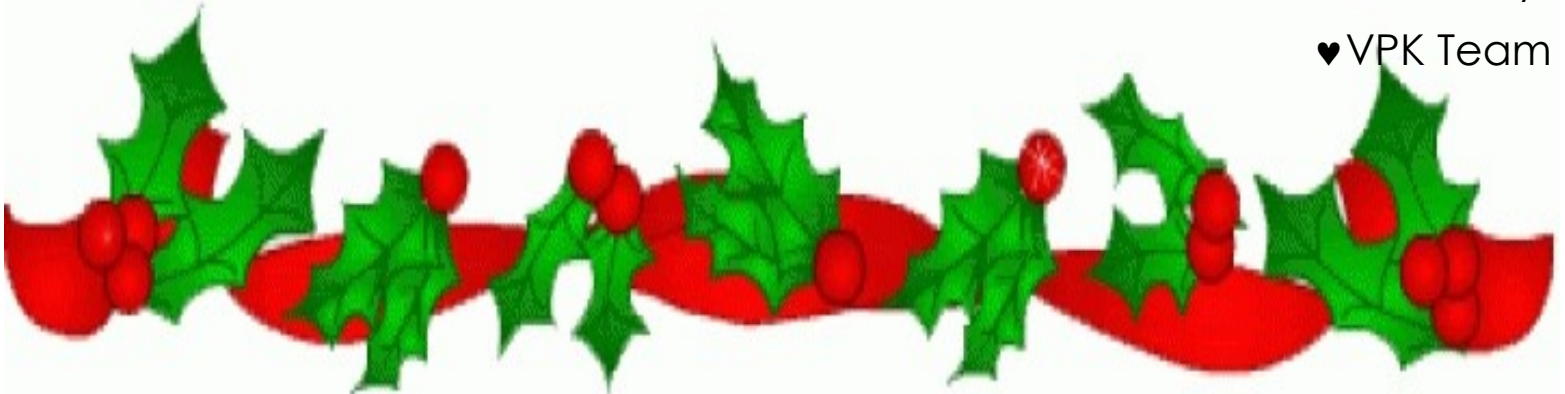
We can't believe it is already the end of the year! We are celebrating multiple holidays this month, including Christmas, Kwanza, and Hannukah. We will be having our toy drive beginning how through December 15th so please help families have a happy holiday! Get ready for Santa! He will be vising on Thursday, December 14th. Our letters for the month are A and P, colors are green and red, and shapes are cone and star. Since it is the last month of the year, we will be reviewing everything we have been going over, including all numbers 0-10. As always thank you for sharing your child with us and happy holidays!

♥Ms. Maria and Ms. Caitlin

VPK

We are so excited for this Christmas holiday. We are looking forward to celebrating all of the different holidays like Hannukah, Kwanzaa, Christmas and also the New Year! We will continue working our way through the alphabet, numbers and many other skills. We will be having a secret Santa book exchange. Each child can exchange books with their fellow classmates. We really would like all students to participate with this activity. As a reminder, we will be having our Holiday programs December 14th and 15th at 4 p.m. The last day of VPK for 2017 is December 21st. Have a wonderful holiday!

♥VPK Team





December Menu



MEAL	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Week 11/20-11/24					
Breakfast	French toast sticks, pears, milk	Granola Yogurt, Apple Juice/Water	Cereal, toast, Apple Slices, milk	Waffles, pears, Milk	Toast with Jelly, Apples, Milk
Lunch	Baked ziti, green beans, peaches, milk	Spanish Rice with Chicken, corn, Pineapples, milk	Meatballs w/ sauce, Roll, Peas, Pears, Milk	Cheeseburgers, Tater Tots, Applesauce, Milk	Pizza, corn, pineapple milk
Snack	Muffins and apples water	Bananas Animal crackers milk	Pretzels and Oranges, water	Cheez-its, water	Goldfish, Apple Juice
Week of 11/27-12/1					
Breakfast	Pancakes, peaches milk	Vanilla Yogurt, granola, milk	Biscuit, sausage and cheese, Apples, Milk	Cereal, pears, milk	Bagels and cream cheese, Oranges, Milk
Lunch	Chicken alfredo, corn, apples, milk	Pancakes and sausage, peaches, milk	Pulled Pork Sandwiches, Mashed Potatoes, oranges, Milk	Parmesan buttered pasta w/ chicken, Peaches, Milk	Pizza with Beef topping, Carrots, Pineapples, Milk
Snack	Chips and queso/Salsa water	Grapes, Cheese sticks, Water	Cereal Mix (w/ Raisins and Marshmallows), Apple Juice	Soft Pretzels and cheese sauce, Water	Rice Krispie treats, Water
Week 12/4-12/8					
Breakfast	Biscuit and cheese, Oranges, Milk	Granola and yogurt, Pineapple, Milk	English Muffins, bananas Milk	French Toast sticks, Pears milk	Cereal, peaches, milk
Lunch	Tacos, Pears, Corn, Milk	Chicken nuggets Mashed Potato, Pears, milk	Ham and cheese quesadillas, Corn, Applesauce, Milk	Cheese ravioli and tomato sauce, Green beans, pineapple milk	Grilled Turkey and cheese, tater tots, Apples milk
Snack	Pretzels, Apple Juice	Bananas, Graham crackers water	Wheat thins, cheese water	Muffins, Apple juice	Yogurt and Granola, Water
Week 12/11-12/15					
Breakfast	Waffles, Apples, Milk	French Toast sticks, Peaches, Milk	Bagels and cream cheese, Bananas Milk	Pancakes and Sausage, pears, milk	Cheese quesadilla, Peaches milk
Lunch	Hot Dogs, Baked Beans, Oranges, milk	Spaghetti and meat sauce, carrots, Pineapples milk	Chicken quesadillas, Tater tots, Peaches milk	Chicken Teriyaki, rice with vegetables, oranges milk	Fish Sticks applesauce, corn, Milk
Snack	Soft pretzels And cheese sauce	Grapes , cheese sticks, Water	Chips and salsa/ queso water	Wheat thins, Sliced Cheese, Water	Cereal Mix (w/ Raisins and Marshmallows), Water



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School Calendar 2017-2018



July 28, 2017.....	Wellington Closed-In-service Day
August 4, 2017.....	VPK Open House 6:30-7:30
August 10, 2017.....	Fall Curriculum Begins, First Day of VPK
September 4, 2017.....	Wellington Closed-Labor Day
September 7 & 8, 2017.....	Grandparents Day Celebration
September 15, 2017.....	Parent Orientation (7:00-8:30 pm)
October 18 & 19 2017.....	Individual School Pictures
October 20, 2017.....	Fall Festival (7:00-8:30 pm)
October 30, 2017.....	Progress Reports
November 1– 17, 2017.....	Canned Food Drive
November 22, 2017.....	No VPK-Thanksgiving Break
November 23 & 24, 2017.....	Wellington Closed-Happy Thanksgiving
November 27-December 18, 2017.....	Toy Drive
November 30, 2017.....	Picture Retakes
December 12, 2017.....	Trim the Tree (D1A & D1B)
December 13, 2017.....	Trim the Tree (D2A & D2B)
December 14, 2017.....	Santa Visit at 9:00 am
December 15, 2017.....	Holiday Programs (D3, Pre-K & VPK)
December 22-January 8, 2018.....	No VPK-Winter Break
December 22, 2017.....	Early Dismissal 12:00 pm
December 25, 2017.....	Wellington Closed- Merry Christmas!
December 29, 2017.....	Early Dismissal 12:00 pm
January 1, 2018.....	Wellington Closed- Happy New Year!
January 12, 2018.....	Parent Appreciation Day
January 15, 2018.....	Wellington Closed-Teacher Duty Day
February 19, 2018.....	Wellington Closed-Presidents Day
March 26 & 27, 2018.....	Individual/VPK Cap & Gown Pictures
March 16-23, 2018.....	No VPK-Spring Break
March 26-28, 2018.....	Easter Activities
March 29, 2018.....	Easter Bonnet Parade
March 30, 2018.....	Wellington Closed- Teacher-In Service Day
April 2, 2018.....	NO VPK-Easter Monday
May 7-11, 2018.....	Teacher Appreciation Week
May 9-11, 2018.....	Mother's Day Celebrations
May 25, 2018.....	Progress Reports
May 30, 2018.....	Last day of VPK
T.B.A.....	VPK Graduation
May 28, 2018.....	Wellington Closed-Memorial Day
June 11-15, 2018.....	Father's Day Celebrations
July 4, 2018.....	Wellington Closed- Independence Day
July 27, 2018.....	Wellington Closed- Teacher Duty Day

Dates and times are subject to change

December Reminders

December 1st-15th

We will be having our Toy Drive!

Please grab an angel with a child's gender/age/gift and bring it in UNWRAPPED,
-OR-

Bring in any toy or gift card and they will be sent to the Children's Advocacy Center.
We appreciate any and all donations :)

Santa Visit

Santa is coming to Wellington!

9:00a.m. on Thursday December 14th.

Cookies with Infants

Our infants invite their families to come and decorate cookies on December 14th.
This is a come and go event for infant families.

Trim-A-Tree

Our one year and two year old classes will be doing their annual trim-a-tree project. Families are invited to come and decorate an ornament with their child to hang on our Christmas tree.

Holiday programs

Classrooms D3, Pre-K, and VPK will having their annual holiday programs. Each classroom will perform songs for parents and family to come and enjoy. Time are as follows:

D3 12/14 (Thursday) @ 3:30

Pre-K 12/15 (Friday) @3:30

VPK A/B 12/14 (Thursday) @ 4:00

VPK C/D 12/15 (Friday) @ 4:00

Wellington Closures

We will be changing the schedule for the holiday's. These dates include:

-Early dismissal at 12:00p.m. on Friday December 22nd

-Closed Monday December 25th

-Early dismissal at 12:00p.m. on Friday December 29th

-Closed Monday January 1st