

Wellington Academy

JANUARY, 2018

Themes:

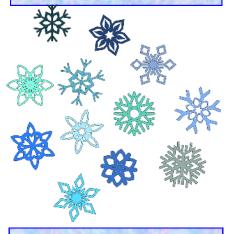
Winter Wonderland: Hats, Scarves, Mittens Snow, Snowflakes, Snowmen Hot Cocoa Winter Animals

Letter: Q,R,S,T Number: 0,1,2/11,12,13 Color: Blue, Silver

Shapes: Hexagon, Diamond

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Closed– Happy New Year!
 Parent Appreciation Day
 Closed– Teacher Duty Day
 School Choice Week
 Literacy Week



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THANK YOU FAMILIES!!!

Many, many thanks to our wonderful families for all they did during the month of December. The Light Up Clermont parade, the Tree Trimming party, and the Scholastic Books Fair provided opportunities for us to work together and show support for our school. We are grateful to those families that participated and helped make those events a success!!!

SCHOOL CHOICE WEEK

January 22 marks the beginning of School Choice Week. Every child deserves the best educational environment to meet their individual needs. Giving parents access to the best options available empowers them to choose that optimal environment. And, in turn, increase the child's chances for success.

WATCH FOR INFORMATIVE POSTINGS.

JUST READ, FLORIDA!

The week of January 22 marks the 10th annual Celebrate Literacy Week, Florida! At 9:30am on Wednesday, January 24, our teachers and children will participate in a state-wide simultaneous reading. Infants and Toddlers will read *Over in the Ocean in a Coral Reef* by Marianne Berkes and our Preschool children will read *Big Al* by Andrew Clements. An enrichment activity will follow the reading.



Join the celebration and plan your own special readings at home!

Our Birthday Friends!!!

<u>Happy 3rd</u> Paisley Murphy 1/18 Happy 5th
Marcus DeMott 1/2
Emma Nabozny 1/5
Nicolas Lamb 1/17

<u>Happy 4th</u> Izabel Rosado 1/1 Hunter Fischer 1/17 <u>Happy 6th</u> Makhi Green 1/2



Staff
Ms. Tasha 1/19
Ms. Phyllis 1/24
Ms. Nichole 1/24
Ms. Erin 1/28

*******Classroom News*****

1B

HAPPY NEW YEAR!

NOW THAT THE HOLIDAYS ARE ALMOST OVER, IT WILL BE TIME TO BUCKLE DOWN AGAIN!! THIS MONTH'S FOCUS WILL BE WINTER. WE WILL BE DOING CRAFTS AND READING ABOUT SNOW, SNOWMEN, ICE, AND OTHER WINTER THINGS.

WE WILL CONTINUE TO WORK ON OUR LETTERS, NUMBERS, COLORS, AND SHAPES DAILY. PLEASE DON'T FORGET TO CHECK THE CLASSROOM BOARD FOR PROJECTS AND OTHER UPDATES.

Happy New Year!

1C/2A

During the month of January we will be discussing all kinds of things about Winter. We will learn about everything from winter weather to winter clothes to winter food. The kids will even get to enjoy playing in some "snow".

We will continue to work on letters, numbers, colors, and shapes.

Ms. Amber & Ms. Tammy

Ms. Kristen



<u> 2B</u>

This month we will be talking about Winter. We will learn about colder weather and what to wear when the weather is cold. We will also learn about animals that live in the ice and snow.

We will be reviewing all the numbers, we have learned so far and continue on with Q,R,S,T, hexagon and diamond, and blue and silver.

Ms. Nichole

Just like that December is gone and January 2018 is here!

We will learn about the colors blue and silver, perfect colors for our winter theme. We will continue with letters Q,R,S,T and shapes hexagon and diamond. We will learn all about Winter weather, clothes, food, and animals. Look around the classroom to see what fun projects we have made.

Ms. Shannon



The New Year brings new skills we will be practicing. We have learned our letters and how to identify our names in print. We will be practicing writing our names on paper, in sand, and with play doh.

We will also learn about regions that have snow and what people and animals do to keep warm. We will compare Florida to those regions. We will use our fine motor skills to create winter crafts and obstacle courses to practice gross motor skills. This is going to be an adventurous start to 2018!!

Ms. Ashley



Happy New Year!

Our theme this month is Winter Wonderland. We will talk about how the weather has changed and the different clothes we will wear. We will learn about winter animals that live in the Arctic. We will also start our second VPK Assessment for the school year. If you have any questions please let us know.

Ms. Heather & Ms. Maria

Another new year has come! Happy New Year to all our families!!!

This month focuses on Winter. We will discuss winter in different parts of the world. We will talk about colder weather, winter clothes, food and animals. We will learn what hibernation means.

We will be making Styrofoam snowmen and other fun winter projects which will include winter science activities.

Ms. Michelle

3C

I hope all of you had a great holiday! We are very excited to start a New Year and celebrate winter with new and interesting things to learn about.

Winter Wonderland is the theme and we will be talking about winter animals, winter clothes, winter food, and winter activities. We will continue learning our letters (Q,R,S,T) and numbers (11,12,13) as well as the colors blue and silver and the shapes hexagon and diamond.

Wishing you all an amazing 2018!! Ms. Ary

4C

The theme for the month of January is Winter Wonderland. Although we never really feel "true" winter in Florida, I try to bring as much of a winter as I can to the children. We will do experiments with ice, use an IPad to see pictures of ice and snow in other places and winter activities like snow boarding, skiing, and making a snowman. We will end the month with a snowball fight and some hot chocolate.

Ms. Phyllis

