

# Wellington Academy Fort Myers

## January 2026 Newsletter



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### Dates to remember...

**Jan. 1st**

CLOSED

Happy New Year

**Jan. 9th**

Parent Appreciation Day

**Jan. 19th**

CLOSED

(Teacher In-Service Day)

Martin Luther King, Jr. Day

Dear Parents,

As we step into the New Year of 2026 and our Winter Wonderland theme, I want to take a moment to share my heartfelt appreciation for all of our amazing families. It's truly a pleasure to see our classrooms filled with laughter, creativity, and wonder. The children are exploring winter through fun activities—from snowflakes and mittens to hot cocoa play and cozy stories—and their excitement is contagious! We're so thankful for your support, your kindness, and the love you show our school community every day. Let's make the most of this magical year together and look forward to a bright, beautiful New Year!

Warmly,

Erica Galutza

Director



## ***Infants & Developmental 1A***

Our Infants and One's will have a wonderful time discovering all things winter!

We'll read soft, snowy stories and play with textures like fluffy cotton "snow". We'll learn about warm hats, scarves, and mittens, and look at pictures of winter animals such as penguins and polar bears. Our letters this month are **Q, R, S,** and **T**, and we'll count **0, 1, and 2**. We'll also explore the beautiful colors **blue** and **silver** and discover shapes like the **hexagon** and **diamond**.

♥ Ms. Tina & Ms. Brooke



## ***Developmental 2A***

This month, our Two's will enjoy the wonders of wintertime! We'll explore the feeling of snow, learn about snowmen, and have fun dressing up in hats, scarves, and mittens for pretend play. Our winter animals will help us learn about cold-weather homes. We'll focus on the letters **Q, R, S,** and **T**, the numbers **0, 1, and 2**, and our colors **blue** and **silver** while exploring the shapes **hexagon** and **diamond** through art and games.

♥ Ms. Kelly

## Developmental 3A

Our Three's are stepping into a Winter Wonderland! We'll discover how snowflakes and snowmen are made and enjoy pretend hot cocoa to stay "warm." We'll learn about winter animals, create sparkling **blue** and **silver** art, and find **hexagons** and **diamonds** in our crafts and activities. This month we're practicing the letters **Qq, Rr, Ss**, and **Tt** and numbers **11, 12**, and **13** as we explore the wonders of winter together.

♥ Ms. Angela



## VPK

January in VPK is full of winter fun! We'll explore how snowflakes form, what winter animals do to stay warm, and create our own snowmen through various arts and crafts. Our learning will focus on the letters **Qq, Rr, Ss**, and **Tt**, and numbers **11, 12**, and **13**. We'll look for our shapes, the **hexagon** and **diamond**, and use our **blue** and **silver** colors to make sparkling winter art. With cozy hats, scarves, and mittens, we'll dive into the magic of the season and enjoy learning together!

♥ Ms. Lisa





## **What's Happening In January...**

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# **HAPPY BIRTHDAY**

**Ace G.                      01/08**

**Arianna S.                01/17**





# **January Curriculum**

## **Theme Winter Wonderland**

### **Infants, D1, D2**

#### **Letters**

Q, R, S, T

#### **Colors**

Blue & Silver

#### **Numbers**

1, 2, 3

#### **Shapes**

Hexagon & Diamond

### **D3, PreK, VPK**

#### **Letters**

Qq, Rr, Ss, Tt

#### **Colors**

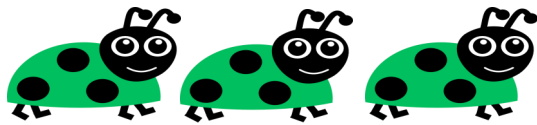
Blue & Silver

#### **Numbers**

11, 12, 13

#### **Shapes**

Hexagon & Diamond



# Jan. Menu



MEAL	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>Week of 01/05—01/09</b>					
<b>Breakfast</b>	WG Toast w/ Jelly, Peaches, Milk	WG Cheese Quesadilla, Pineapples, Milk	WG Cheerios, Apple Slices, Milk	French Toast, Pears, Milk	Scrambles eggs, WG Toast, Mixed Fruit, Milk
<b>Lunch</b>	Meatballs w/ BBQ Sauce, Roll, Peas, Pears, Milk	Chicken w/ Broccoli Cheese Rice, Mandarin Oranges, Milk	Fish Sticks, Tator Tots, Corn, Mixed Fruit, Milk	WG Chkn Nuggets, Mas. Potatoes, Carrots, Peaches, Milk	WG Cheese Pizza, Green Beans, Applesauce, Milk
<b>Snack</b>	Crackers, Cheese Slice, Water	Yogurt, Pineapples, Water	Blueberry Muffin, Milk	Animal Crackers and Milk	Cheese Its and Apple Juice
<b>Week of 01/12—01/16</b>					
<b>Breakfast</b>	Yogurt, Pineapples, Milk	WG Bagel w/ Cream Cheese, Mandarin Oranges, Milk	Cinnamon Chex, Pears, Milk	Cheese Biscuit, Sausage, Applesauce, Milk	WG Waffles, Applesauce, Milk
<b>Lunch</b>	Chicken Alfredo, Mixed Vegetables, Apple Slices, Milk	WG Pancakes, Sausage, Waffles, Peaches, Milk	Cheeseburger, Baked Beans, Oranges, Milk	WG Mac and Cheese, Ham Roll-up, Peas, Pineapples, Milk	Beef and Cheese Quesadilla, Corn, Mixed Fruit, Milk
<b>Snack</b>	Graham Cracker, Oranges, Water	Ritz Crackers, Cheese Slice, Water	WG Goldfish and Apple Juice	Turkey w/Crackers, Water	Pretzels, Pears, Water
<b>Week of 01/19—01/23</b>					
<b>Breakfast</b>	Cinnamon Raisin Toast w/ Cream Cheese, Peaches, Milk	Blueberry Muffin, Mixed Fruit, Milk	Cheerios, Peaches, Milk	English Muffin w/ Jelly, Pears, Milk	WG Pancake, Pineapples, Milk
<b>Lunch</b>	WG Chicken Nuggets, Tator Tots, Green Beans, Pears, Milk	WG Meatballs w/ BBQ Sauce, Roll, Carrots, Pears, Milk	Chicken Teriyaki w/ Rice, Mixed Vegetables, Mixed Fruit, Milk	Cheese Ravioli w/ Tomato Sauce, Corn, Pineapples, Milk	Turkey & Cheese Sandwich, Peas, Mandarin Oranges, Milk
<b>Snack</b>	Ham w/ Crackers, Water	Graham Crackers, Milk	Animal Crackers and Milk	Pretzels, Oranges, Water	WG Goldfish, Apple Juice
<b>Week of 01/26—01/30</b>					
<b>Breakfast</b>	Cinnamon Chex, Peaches, Milk	WG Waffles, Pears, Milk	French Toast, Applesauce, Milk	Yogurt, Apple Slices, Milk	WG Cheese Quesadilla, Pineapples, Milk
<b>Lunch</b>	Mac and Cheese, Turkey Roll-Up, Peas, Pears, Milk	Fish Sticks, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Peaches, Milk	WG Spaghetti w/ Meat Sauce, Corn, Pineapples, Milk	Ham & Cheese Sandwich, Carrots, Mixed Fruit, Milk	WG Cheese Pizza, Mixed Vegetables, Applesauce, Milk
<b>Snack</b>	Animal Crackers with Milk	Cheese Its and Apple Juice	Yogurt, Peaches, Water	Graham Cracker, Oranges, Water	Pretzels and Apple Juice
<b>Week of 12/29—01/02</b>					
<b>Breakfast</b>	Bagel w/ Cream Cheese, Mixed Fruit, Milk	WG Cinnamon Raisin Toast, Apple Slices, Milk	Cheese Biscuit, Sausage, Pears, Milk	French Toast, Peaches, Milk	Blueberry Muffin, Mandarin Oranges, Milk
<b>Lunch</b>	Chicken Alfredo, Mixed Vegetables, Apple Slices, Milk	Cheeseburger, Baked Beans, Oranges, Milk	WG Chicken Nuggets, Tator Tots, Green Beans, Banana, Milk	WG Mac and Cheese, Turkey Roll-up, Peas, Pineapples, Milk	Ham & Cheese Sandwich, Peas, Mandarin Oranges, Milk
<b>Snack</b>	WG Goldfish and Apple Juice	Animal Crackers and Milk	Yogurt, Pears, Water	Ritz Crackers, Cheese Stick,, Water	Graham Cracker, Oranges, Water