



HIGHLAND ELEMENTARY

DECEMBER

TIGER TALES



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PRINCIPAL'S NOTE

Highland Family,

This month, the students of Highland will complete their first semester of the 2022-2023 school year. Our students are working hard in completing assignments and test. This month, students will participate in our Winter Wonderland PBIS and Holiday events! We look forward to a wonderful month of learning!

Sincerely,

Mrs. Johnson

UPCOMING EVENTS

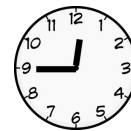
DECEMBER 9TH

5TH GRADERS VISIT FROM STARBASE



DECEMBER
14TH - 16TH

EARLY DISMISSAL DAYS! [12:45]



DECEMBER 15TH

WINTER WONDERLAND WONDERS AND NUMBERS!
WINTER WONDERLAND PROGRAM [9:00-10:00]



DECEMBER 16TH

PBIS EVENT. PAJAMA DAY FOR ALL STUDENT!
CLUB DAY FOR 3RD-5TH GRADE!



DECEMBER
19TH - 3RD

WINTER BREAK!



JANUARY 4TH

STUDENTS RETURN TO SCHOOL!

HIGHLAND'S WINTER WONDERLAND!

wednesday PBIS EVENT

OUR STUDENTS WILL PARTICIPATE IN OUR MONTHLY PBIS EVENT! THOSE WHO HAVE HAD AWESOME BEHAVIOR WILL BE WATCHING A HOLIDAY MOVIE AND ENJOYING COOKIES AND MILK! WE ENCOURAGE ALL STUDENTS TO WEAR THEIR CUTE PJ'S! PLEASE MAKE SURE ALL PJ'S ARE SCHOOL APPROPRIATE AND STUDENTS MUST WEAR TENNIS SHOES TO SCHOOL. NO SLIPPERS! THEY WILL ALSO BE PARTICIPATING IN OUR WINTER WONDERLAND, WONDERS AND NUMBERS! THEY WILL GET TO EXPLORE MATH ACTIVITIES THAT INCORPORATE THE HOLIDAY SPIRIT!



thursday WINTER WONDERLAND PROGRAM

PARENTS, WE INVITE YOU TO COME AND ENJOY OUR WINTER WONDERLAND PROGRAM. WE WOULD LOVE FOR YOU TO COME AND SEE YOUR STUDENTS SING AND DANCE THEIR WAY INTO THE HOLIDAY. PLEASE COME AND HELP SPREAD SOME HOLIDAY CHEER!
9:00 - 10:00 AM
IN THE SCHOOL AUDITORIUM



HIGHLAND'S
winter wonderland!

HIGHLAND'S HOMEWORK CORNER



WE ARE FOCUSING ON FLUENCY THIS UPCOMING SEMESTER. EACH WEEK, YOUR CHILD WILL COME HOME WITH A DIFFERENT FLUENCY PASSAGE. BE ON THE LOOKOUT IN THEIR HOMEWORK FOLDER. PLEASE READ THE PASSAGE WITH THEM EACH NIGHT. SIGN THE READING LOG AFTER YOU READ TOGETHER. THEY WILL RECEIVE A SPECIAL SHOUT OUT AND A SURPRISE FOR COMPLETING A FULL WEEK OF READING! THANK YOU AGAIN FOR ALL OF YOUR SUPPORT! TOGETHER WE WILL IMPROVE OUR STUDENTS READING LEVELS!

HIGHLAND'S INSTRUCTIONAL FOCUS

WE HAVE ESTABLISHED OUR NEW SCHOOL WIDE INSTRUCTIONAL FOCUS. ALL CLASSROOMS WILL BE FOCUSING ON A PARTICULAR SKILL IN ORDER TO ENHANCE OUR STUDENTS PARTICIPATION AND LEARNING EXPERIENCE. WHAT ARE WE FOCUSED ON CURRENTLY?

accountable talk

DECEMBER 5TH-9TH

DECEMBER 12TH-16TH

what is
accountable talk?

Accountable talk refers to **the type of talk that moves learning forward**. Wolf, Crossen and Resnick (2006) Three aspects of accountable talk: Accountability to the learning community.
Accountability to accurate knowledge.
Accountability to rigorous thinking.

ACCOUNTABLE TALK

- I agree/disagree with ____ because....
- I think that because the text says....
- Thinking about this reminds me of....
- I think the main idea is ____ because....
- I think the theme is ____ because....
- I can infer ____ because....
- So what you are saying is....
- I know my answer is right because....
- Can you give me an example?
- Why do you think that?



STUDENT EXAMPLES

ACHIEVE 3000

