

Old Mill Preschool News



Week of January 22, 2018

What We Are Learning:

Our theme this week is winter. We are learning all about snow, ice, and icicles. Students will discover how snow and ice forms and where it comes from. Small groups will include feeding the snowman counting game, writing a story through a picture, and painting with ice. We will be reading and listening to books such as The Story of Snow, Snowflake, Mice and Ice, and Nice and Ice. This week the school is collecting donations of new and gently used socks, gloves, and mittens.

Special Days and Events:

- No School February 5, 2018
- No School February 19-20, 2018

NO PRESCHOOL ON FRIDAYS! ©

Reminders:

- We are in need of supplies for our art center: College materials, play doh, and 3D materials.
- Any authorized adult, who is listed on the bus authorization form, <u>must</u> have a photo I.D. in order to pick up the child from school or from the bus stop. Thanks!
- Parent and family volunteers are ALWAYS welcome to our classroom however you <u>must</u> have a criminal background check on file.

Contact Information:

Please feel free to contact me through email, phone call, or by note in your child's folder. I will get back with you within 1 school day. ©

- Mrs. Polson

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Tips and Ideas: Kids Not Listening???

Are your kids not listening? Try some of these tricks and tips!

- 1. Ask yourself: Are they hungry or tired? Have you been paying attention to them? Would a change of scenery improve their behavior? Are we modeling good listening behaviors?
- 2. When speaking to them do you..... Get down to their level? Hold their hands and keep their attention? Ask for their eye contact? Have them repeat back what you said?
- 3. Keep your language positive!