

January

Room 12

Miss Lori 's Classroom Newsletter

This Weeks Unit

Unit 1 1/2-1/3 Welcome back (Ringing in the New Year), Nocturnal Animals (Spider and Bat)

Unit 2 1/6-1/10 Winter Weather/snowman, Cont. Nocturnal animals (Skunk and Raccoon)

Unit 3 1/13-1/1 Continue Nocturnal Animals (Hedgehog and Owl), Martin Luther King Jr.,

Unit 4 1/21-1/31 Completing Nocturnal Animals (Lightening Bugs, Tree Frogs),

Read Aloud: Stories Related to Unit themes. Stories by Rosemary Wells

Vocabulary/Sight Words: January, Happy New Year, winter, cold, snow, snowflake, snowman, coat, hat, mittens, gloves. Words that begin with K, L, M, N. Number words, Days of the week.

Letters of the week: K, L, M, N.

Math: Daily calendar, count the days of the week and each number of the day. Continue with intro to numbers: 11, 12, 13, 14.

Color: Review all colors

Shape: Diamond, Star. Review all shapes learned.

Author of the Month: Introduce: Rosemary Wells



ZingerBug.com

Special Happenings

Nocturnal Animals in science all month

Progress Report:

Evaluations begin in January

School Closed

Monday 1/18 for Martin Luther King Jr. Day

Parent Info: Happy New Year!!! We will begin the month with some review and then it is new learning fun! We will be concentrating on academics: visually being able to recognize numbers, shapes, colors, and letters. Phonics, writing our names, learning to hold our pencils and crayons pincer style. Coloring in the lines. Following directions within a group while doing our activity sheets. Cutting out patterns on our "own" using our helping hand! Literacy: reviewing what we have learned and continuing with learning parts of a book (beginning, Middle, end) author, illustrator, title page and dedication page.

Activities related to Literature or Theme

Letters K, L, M, N Activity Sheets, Numbers 11, 12, 13, 14.

Activity Sheets. Jan. /Feb. Board Decorations: Snowmen, Penguins, Hot Cocoa Mugs. Theme Projects: New Year's Day Hats, MLK Jr. Project.