



# **NEWSLETTER**

Week of November 30, 2020

Dr. Stephen Ferraro Principal

#### Upcoming Events:

December 18th - Report Cards Available Online

December 24th - January 1st - Winter Recess - Schools Reopen on January 4th

January 12th - Parent Teacher Conferences

### Ms. Husti and Ms. Lascar

How are we already in December? We can't thank you enough for the patience, support, and help you have shown throughout this whole new learning process. Our students have done so much already, throughout the year. We worked on letters, numbers, monthly activities that go along with the seasons, and the holidays we've had so far. We have listened to many wonderful holiday and seasonal storybooks, as well as Read-Alouds. We have been talking about the weather, and discussing what clothes should be worn during the cold winter months that are ahead. We look forward to learning about all of the holidays that are celebrated in the month of December! Looking forward to ringing in 2021!



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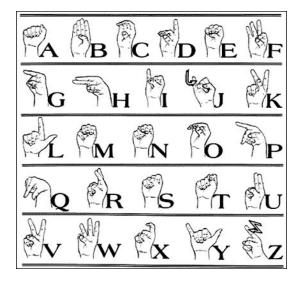






### Mrs. Bennett Duran

Mrs. Bennett's class has been working on our Colors Unit! We have been focusing on the different colors of the rainbow, and recognizing their color words. We have also learned how to say each color in American Sign Language. We love to use our interactive anchor charts during our read alouds each week! This week's lessons have been based on the book *Dog's Colorful Day*, which focuses on colors and counting! We reference this book in all of our lessons including Math, ELA and our art projects.





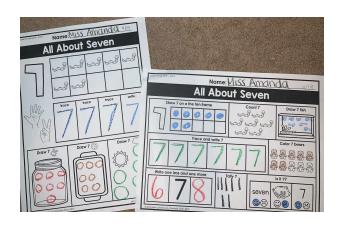


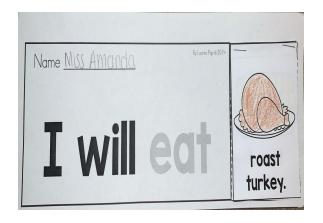
### Mrs. Latour Bush and Ms. Baric

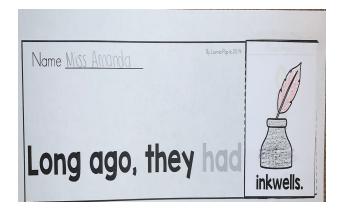
We have been having so much fun in class over the past couple of months, and our students have been working so hard! They have been working on season/holiday related activities. For the month of November, the students worked to complete a Thanksgiving booklet, where they learned what people have now versus what they had long ago, in the past. They also learned what we are thankful for, as well as what people eat on Thanksgiving. In Math, our students have been working on counting and recognizing numbers 1-10. In Language Arts, we are practicing our new letters of the week (Hh, Ii, Jj, Kk), -ip and -ig word families, and learning new sight words every week!



Thank you for all of your patience and support. We know school can be challenging at home, but we are all in this together. Keep up the good work!













# Mrs. Capazzi and Mrs. Lane

Our Science class has been studying animal habitats. In the Forest Habitat, we learned about the two different types of trees, deciduous and evergreen. For Thanksgiving, we made leaf wreaths for our families. We began our Autumn craft by collecting colorful leaves from outside. We then cut the middle out from a paper plate, by folding it in half and cutting out the middle. We began our wreath by gluing each leaf to the paper plate, slightly overlapping each leaf.

The students had fun and were all very creative!







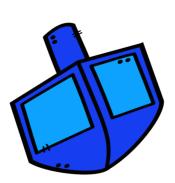


# Ms. Cioffi

Ms. Cioffi's class is in full swing, preparing for all the December HOLIDAYS!!! This week we started off with Christmas. The class wrote letters to Santa, and made sensory ornaments. Next week, we will be learning about Hanukkah, and playing a fun game of Dreidel. Last, but not least, we will also learn about Kwanzaa, at the end of the month. We hope everyone has a wonderful Holiday Season and a Happy New Year!







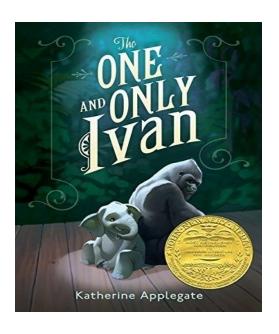




# Ms. Lax

Ms. Lax's class is currently reading *The One and Only Ivan*. We are focusing on analyzing the characters and the author's purpose.

In Science, we did an experiment and learned about animal adaptations! We are also working on all different levels of multiplication in Math! For our "Fun Fridays," we made fun arts and crafts projects.







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### Ms. Hahn and Mrs. Morrison



Our students have been working hard. We are so pleased to have them engaged through virtual learning. Also, we are thankful to all the families for their help and support. Some of the students wrote paragraphs about what they are thankful for, while others discussed Thanksgiving traditions and things they were thankful for.

In Reading and Language Arts, the students have been focusing on fiction stories as well as parts of speech, types of sentences, and parts of a sentence. In Math, we have been working on our basic facts, decimals, and integers. We are looking forward to an exciting month leading up to the holidays.



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