



The Kindergarten Team!

Mrs. Sue Tunzi and
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Salutes!

As we prepare to say good-bye to 2015, we welcome 2016 with much anticipation! We look forward to another year of excitement and wonder.

We say thank you and good-bye to Mr. Lee, who has been our student teacher since October. Thank you for all your help Mr. Lee. Good luck with your future endeavors. The Kinders will miss you!

Congratulations goes to **Jacob Carreon** (JK) and **Chidubem Nwatu** (SK) who won the virtue award for **CHARITY** this month! They have exemplified this virtue consistently throughout the month of December.

January Birthdays

John 2nd
Lucas 6th
Kevin 13th
Kaiden 20th



Classroom News

Curriculum:

In Religion, we discussed our feelings. We discussed situations that make us sad, happy, excited, and mad. The students wrote about their feelings in their journal work too. Our discussions also included the virtue of charity, and the birth of Jesus and how Christmas is a time to give.

In Language, we learned the sounds Dd and Gg. We have been encouraging our JK students to write all sounds they hear in their independent writing. Students wrote letters to Santa and to you, parents. They really enjoyed these writing tasks.

In Math, we graphed the weather in December, and started our investigation on building numbers. We completed investigated 2D shapes and began our unit on patterning.

In Art, the Kinders enjoyed making Christmas ornaments in class. They are excited to celebrate Christmas.

Below are some websites on literacy that are worth checking out.

Reading Resources:

<https://www.readinga-z.com/literacy-frameworks/balanced-literacy/>

<http://www.storylineonline.net/>

<https://www.abcmouse.com/>

<http://www.literactive.com/Home/index.asp>

<http://www.mrcpl.org/literacy/lessons/sight/index.html>

Remember to **read with your child** as often as you can. Check out the links above as they are fantastic resources for them to develop their reading skills.



Reminders: Classes resume Monday, January 4th, 2016.

WE WISH YOU A BLESSED CHRISTMAS AS WELL AS A HAPPY NEW YEAR!

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