

January 2019 Newsletter

IMPORTANT DATES

January 17 – book order due

January 18 – no school (professional development day)

January 21 – no school Martin Luther King Day

Welcome back! I hope you had a wonderful Christmas and New Year holiday.

Breaks are nice but it is really good to be back. There is so much to do and learn which makes January a very fun month.

January is also a time for changes in our routine. The all-day pre-school children will no longer take an afternoon nap. This means they do not need to have a blanket in school. There might be exceptions to this if we see that someone is very tired. If you feel your child still needs to nap please let me know. Instead of laying down in the afternoon the preschoolers will be doing quiet activities such as three part cards, reading books, and pin punching.

January is a month when we have school wide assessments. Your **kindergarten** child will take the NWEA and the FAST assessment, this month. Please help your child do his or her best on these assessments by making sure they get plenty of good food, water, and sleep (just those normal things we all need to do our best). Get outside and play with your child for additional benefits!

Please make sure your child has a change of clothing in his or her backpack. Thank you!

There is more news on the back! 😊