



2024

What's Happening

December is the season of giving and we'll explore what that means as we prepare to celebrate Jesus' birthday. Piggy backing of last month's focus on thankfulness, this month we'll use a kindness themed advent calendar to carry out 10 different acts of "giving," one for each day of class this month. We'll be busy like little elves, crafting our own homemade gifts, making art, and singing Christmas carols. Our Dramatic Play area is ready for the season with a festive Christmas tree and cookie bakery. In science we'll perform experiments involving magnets, jingle bells, and Christmas lights We'll wrap up the month with a special pajama day, enjoying the original short version of *How The Grinch Stole Christmas*. The story also helps us introduce the letters G and H. We will further get into the party spirit with a birthday celebration for Jesus! Our Christmas pageant is not to be missed either, the three-year-olds steal the show as the opening act! We are excited to share all the magical moments preschool offers this December.

ELDS

Creative Arts

CA.48.2 Imitate or spontaneously sing an entire verse of song

Social Emotional

SE.48.4 Provide personal reasons or evidence for decisions or opinions (e.g. "I made this picture green because my mom likes green")

Skills & Bible Verse

Letter G

I am Giving

*"For unto us a child is born,
unto us a son is given"
- Isaiah 9:6*

Important Dates & Reminders

*Flu shots are due by January 2nd/3rd to return to school

12/11 Pajama Day and Movie

12/13 Christmas Play 11:15 a.m.

Saturday 12/14 3:30-6:30 p.m. Drop-off Movie

Christmas Vacation begins December 16th

5 Day students: Back to school 1/2

3 Day students: Back to school 1/3