

Aurora News

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Dear Families,

December is here! It is the month of cooler temperatures and disappearing daylight. The upcoming weeks will be overwhelming as families prepare for holiday gatherings, special travels, and shopping outings. As much as we would like to feel that we are organized and well-prepared, each family deals with the stress of the holidays in different ways. Unfortunately, our children fall victim to later bedtimes, hectic trips to the store for that last item, and the financial stress that plagues many families during this time of the year. As a result, routines fall to the wayside along with daily reading practices, consistent homework support, and even family meals.

It is times like these that families should make a concerted effort to see that the rush and stress of the holidays do not seep into their child's daily routines and their need for structure. Please support your child as they complete their Winter Packets over the break. You should also continue reading with your little one and discussing with them what they have read to check for comprehension. Most importantly, it is critical that your child arrives to school at 7 AM on Monday, January 8th dressed in his or her complete Aurora uniform. Being at school on time with a completed Winter Packet and dressed in their complete Aurora uniform will be a great way to bring in the year.

Very truly yours,

Teneicesia White
Principal

Parent Resources

Mathematics

www.aaa.math.com

www.coolmath.com

www.mathforum.org/dr.math

www.aplusmath.com

Reading

www.funbrain.com

www.merriam-webster.com

www.vocabulary.com

www.superkids.com/aweb/tools/words

www.edhelper.com

December 18th
Interims

December 18^h
VIP Party at 2:00 PM

December 19th
Don't be tardy for the
Party (Perfect Attendance)
at 2:00 PM

December 20th
NWEA MAP Cupcake Celebration at 12:45 PM

December 20th
Read-a-thon/Pajama Day
End of Second Quarter

December 20th
Classroom Celebrations
at 1:25 PM

Dec. 21st--Jan. 7th
Winter Break

January 8th
First Day Back for Scholars

**January 11th &
January 12th**
Parent Teacher
Conferences Dismissal at
2PM

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