



🎄 December 2021 🎄

Notes from the Directors...

We hope all of our families had an enjoyable Thanksgiving with loved ones!

December is here! A month filled with excitement, laughter, and cheer! There will be a lot of fun things planned for the children do! Please keep a look-out for reminders of upcoming events!

Please remember, tuition is always due by the Friday before attendance!

If you may have any questions, please call the office at (716)731-5948!

Upcoming Events!

The holidays are near, and the children will be able to do special shopping days for their loved ones from Monday, November 29th - Friday, December 3rd.

Have your children wear green on Friday, December 3rd to celebrate Grinch Day!

It's Ugly Sweater Day on Friday, December 10th!

The children may wear their holiday pajamas on Friday, December 17th as they embark on a day filled with many Polar Express activities!

Each class will have a Christmas party on Wednesday, December 22nd!

UPK will be on winter recess from Thursday, December 24th through Friday, January 1st

The facility will be closed on Friday, December 24th and Monday, December 27th! Merry Christmas!

The facility will be closed on Friday, December 31st for New Years!

Happy Birthday!!!

This month we would like to wish Hunter a happy 1st birthday, Jack and Rory a happy 2nd birthday, Carter and Mason B. a happy 3rd birthday, Brooklyn, Kayden, and Mia a happy 4th birthday, and Malia, Cody, Mahi, Connor, Alaysha, Shelby, Hayden, Adeline H., Maverick, Lee, Reid, Alexander, and Ariyanna a happy 5th birthday!!

★ Star Teacher! ★

Congratulations to our Star Teacher of the Month, Miss Amy from our Ward Rd location. Miss Amy has been with Bunny Bunch for 6 months now and has been an incredible asset since. She shows up to work each day with such a positive attitude and it is something we all admire about her. Miss Amy primarily works in our Pre-K 3 classroom but does an amazing job with wherever she is. She has such a gentle and calm voice and the sweetest personality which makes all the kiddos just love her. Whenever Miss Amy walks into a room the children all get so happy and are eager to greet her. We can always count on Miss Amy to help anywhere it is needed. Miss Amy is one of our closers and does a great job making sure our center is clean and ready for a new day. She is extremely reliable and is always going above and beyond with every task she is given. Miss Amy is a great communicator with both parents and her coworkers. She always makes sure the needs of the children are met and they go home happy. We cannot thank Miss Amy enough for all she does within our center. Congratulations Miss Amy! We Love you!!!

Star Students!

Each month we have a "Star Student" of the month. The lead teacher will make the choice. Certificates and prizes will be available to the children at the beginning of each month. The teacher will base their decision on growth and development, relating to others, and other STAR qualities! 😊

Our wonderful Star Students this month are...

INFANTS: Mackenzie J.

TODDLERS: Hudson

PRE-K 3: Mia and Parker

UPK: Claire, Emelia, Camille, Carter P., Alexander, Charlee, Keira, Juliana, Brooks, Kylie, and Fallon

Infant Room News!

December



Our theme this month is:

A Snowy Christmas!



Happy Holidays from the Infant Room! As we welcome the month of December, we get ready for a fun month of celebrations! "A Snowy Christmas" is this month's theme. The babies will be busy throughout the month preparing for the holidays. We will be reading Christmas stories, learning new songs, and dancing to Christmas music. Along with those fun activities, the babies will be doing many cute crafts, including Christmas reindeers and candy canes! They will also be making Mommy's and Daddy's Christmas gifts. We hope that everyone has a fun and safe holiday!

Important Notes and Reminders:

We will be sending home any swaddles or sleepsacks at the end of each week to be washed. Thank you!

Don't forget to label all bottles, sippy cups, pacifiers, and any other items your child brings in with their **first & last name**. Thanks!

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Ugly Sweater Day is on Friday, December 10th!

It's holiday pajama day on Friday, December 17th!

Christmas party will be on Wednesday, December 22nd! Have your child wear red or green!

Happy Birthday to Hunter who turns 1 this month!



Congratulations to
our Infant Star of
the Month,
Mackenzie J.

Infant Star Of The Month!



Congratulations to our Infant Star of the Month, **Mackenzie J.**! Mackenzie is a young baby who has been with Bunny Bunch since she could start coming! We love seeing how much she has grown in just a short amount of time! She is the cutest little girl with brown button eyes. Mackenzie has been making great milestones as a baby and can roll over on her own. She is currently working on sitting up by herself and we know she will be there any day now! Mackenzie absolutely loves to jump in the jumper! She is an active little girl and couldn't be happier when she can jump! Mackenzie is such a sweet girl who is always happy! She is content and comfortable and will go with the flow! Everyone loves to see this pretty girl smile! She also loves to snuggle and lay on you! She is a loving little one who is sure to make your day just a little better when she is on your lap! We are so happy to have Mackenzie here with us at Bunny Bunch and can't wait to watch her achieve all her milestones!

Congratulations Mackenzie, we love you!!!

Toddler Room
News!

December



Our theme this month is:



Holiday Fun!



As weather gets colder and the snow starts to fall, December will bring happy holidays for all! This month will be full of "Holiday Fun!" The toddlers will kick off the month with "Celebrations" where they will be talking about Hanukkah and Kwanza and making fun crafts to go along. The next two weeks will bring "Christmas" to our Toddler Room!

The kiddos are sure to have lots of fun as they prepare for the upcoming holiday by making candy cane crafts, Rudolph ornaments, and even decorating Christmas cookies. The last week of the month will have the children preparing for the New Year! They will be making silver bells, party hats, and talking about the upcoming year!

December is definitely going to be a fun-filled month as the children get ready for the holidays!

IMPORTANT NOTES & REMINDERS:

We are asking that each child bring in a blanket for themselves for naptime. We will be sending them home at the end of each week to get washed. Thank you!

Don't forget to label all sippy cups and any other items your child brings in. Thanks!

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Ugly Sweater Day is on Friday, December 10th!

It's holiday pajama day on Friday, December 17th!

Christmas party will be on Wednesday, December 22nd! Have your child wear red or green!

Happy Birthday to Jack who turns 2 this month!



Congratulations to our Toddler Star of the Month,

Hudson!



Toddler Star Of The Month!



Congratulations to our Toddler Star of the Month, **Hudson**! This adorable little guy is a shining light in our toddler room! Hudson is always happy all the time! He comes into Bunny Bunch happy as can be and ready to get his day started! Anyone that comes to see Hudson is greeted with the biggest smile and feels so welcomed! He is also such a helping hand in the class! He always cleans up his messes and gets his friends toys that they may want. He plays so nicely with others and always shows his friends the proper way to share!

Hudson is also so very smart! He absolutely loves circle time, singing, and reading books! He also loves to do crafts and color! Hudson always knows exactly what you are talking about picks up on his friends social cues easily. For example, if a friend is crying, he knows to give them a big hug! This little boy is small but mighty! He is always willing to try something new with no fear and give it his best effort! We admire him for that! We love seeing Hudson come through the doors each morning because we know he will brighten everyone's day! Congratulations Hudson, we love you!!!

Pre-k 3 Room
News!

December



Our theme this month is:



Lets Celebrate!

The stockings will be hung in our windows for Santa Clause soon to be here! Happy faces, busy hands-painting, wrapping presents, and coloring are just a few of the sights and sounds of December in our Pre-K 3 room! Our monthly theme, "Countdown the Days to Christmas" will bring a new month of learning. We will begin to experience cold, snowy days and anticipate the arrival of winter, we will also be learning about "Holidays Around the World." The children will be doing a lot of fun crafts and activities to learn about Hannakah and Kwanza traditions. The week of "Holiday Art" and "Here Comes Christmas" will be filled with stories, songs, and holiday crafts. During the last week, "Winter and a New Year," activities will center about the arrival of a new season and the New Year! We know that this pre-class will have a wonderful month preparing for the holiday season!

IMPORTANT NOTES & REMINDERS:

If your child naps, we are asking that they bring in a blanket for naptime. We will be sending them home at the end of each week to get washed. Thank you!

Don't forget to label all sippy cups and any other items your child brings in. Thanks!

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Christmas party will be on Wednesday, December 22nd! Have your child wear red or green!

Happy Birthday to Brooklyn,
Carter, Mason B., Kayden, and
Mia who turns 4 this month!



Congratulations to
our Pre-k 3 Star
of the Month,
Mia and Parker



Pre-K 3 Stars of the Month!



Pre-K 3 Star Of The Month, **Mia**! Mia is such a star student who sets examples of how to be a star student to all of her peers! Mia loves circle time and is an active participant in it each day! She always shares her toys and makes sure everyone feels included! Mia is a beautiful little girl inside and out! She always treats her friends how she would like to be treated! All the kids in Mia's class love to be in her group for centers because she is so fun and full of life! Mia is also a very smart girl who knows all of her colors and can spell her name all on her own! We are sure she will be able to write it on her own soon as well! Mia will play in any center and always give her best effort to the craft or worksheet they are doing that day but her favorite thing to do of all is coloring pictures of Disney Princesses! She loves to make beautiful artwork and make her princesses look so pretty! This girl is such a rockstar in all aspects of the classroom and we can't wait to see how much more she will flourish each day she is here! Congratulations Mia, we love you!!!

Congratulations to our second Pre-k 3 Star of the Month, **Parker**! Parker is a such a great friend in our Pre-K 3 class! He is kind and loves to play! Parker s the example of a star student for these qualities. You can always count on Parker having a fun group at center time because he knows how to make every situation fun! He also is always a helping hand when it is time to clean up. Another example of a great friend! He will even help friends that are in a different group clean up if he finishes first! Parker's favorite things to play with at school are the animal toys! He loves to play with them and make all kinds of animal noises! He brings the animals to life and his friends are teachers love to watch! His imagination is so creative! Parker is also a little smartie! He knows all of his colors and shapes! Soon he will know his letters and numbers too! Parker loves to get out on the playground so he can show off his athletic skills! He is such a fast runner and is one of the fastest we have in the Pre-K 3 room! We are so proud of Parker and his growth with us so far! We cant wait to see what's next! Congratulations Paker, we love you!!!



UPK
News!

December



Our theme this month is:

Lets Celebrate!



'Tis the season... especially in the UPK Rooms! In November we spent a lot of time remembering what we are thankful for as well as learning about Thanksgiving. The class is now ready for December as they get ready to start celebrating Christmas and the winter season. Our monthly theme is "Let's Celebrate!" The first week, "Holidays Around the World," will have the children learning about Hannakah and Kwanza with many fun games and crafts. The next three weeks, "Santa's Workshop," "Christmas is Near," and "Merry Christmas" will be a busy time for the children as they get ready for Santa. We will be decorating the room, making reindeer headbands, talking about what we would do if we were elves, and many, many more fun crafts and activities! The children will also be continuing working on their letters, vocabulary, and other learning skills with fun holiday activities. We end this fun month with "Countdown to New Year's" which will have the children making a New Year's projects and fun party hats. December is definitely going to be a fun month in our UPK rooms!

IMPORTANT NOTES & REMINDERS

Unfortunately, due to the circumstances this year we ask that you do not bring any home items/toys besides your child's backpack, folder, and water bottle.

Have your child wear green for Grinch Day on Friday, December 4th.

Ugly Sweater Day is on Friday, December 11th!

It's holiday pajama day on Friday, December 18th!

The children may wear their holiday pajamas on Friday, December 18th as they embark on a day filled with many Polar Express activities!

Christmas party will be on Wednesday, December 23rd! Have your child wear red or green!

UPK will be on winter recess from Thursday, December 24th through Friday, January 1st.

Happy Birthday to Malia, Cody, Mahi, Connor, Alaysha, Shelby, Hayden, Adeline H., Maverick, Lee, Reid, Alexander, and Arianna who all turn 5 this month!



Congratulations to our UPK Stars of the Month,

Claire, Emilia, Camille,
Carter, Alexander,
Charlee, Keira, Juliana,
Kylie, Brooks, Fallon

UPK Stars of the Month!



Claire is Miss Melissa's Star of the Month for December! Claire is an adorable 4-year-old with brown hair and brown eyes! She is kind and is a friend to everyone in class! She always listens to directions and follows rules! Claire enjoys coloring and rest time as well as our indoor 'recess' where she loves to show off her dance moves! Claire is very smart and always takes her time on every assignment. She knows all her letters and can count all the way to 20! At story time, Claire loves to share stories of her baby brother and her little sister! Claire's favorite stations are magnets, the market, and building straws. She also loves the baby dolls and to play make believe unicorns! Claire is working on being able to write her name all on her own and is so close! Claire is an independent young girl who is sweet as can be! Congratulations Claire, we love you!!!



Emilia is Miss Melissa's other Star of the Month for December! Emilia is a positive light in her Pre-K classroom! She loves to be the teacher's helper and even likes to pretend to be the teacher herself! Emilia gets along well with all of her classmates and loves helping them whenever they need it! In the classroom, you can always find Emilia coloring, in the market, or playing babies with her friends. She loves to show how smart she is by writing her name on all of her work! She knows all of her letters, numbers, shapes, and colors. And she has even learned her address and phone number! Emilia is a fashionista! She dresses the part by wearing fashion boots and bows to match her outfits. We love having Emilia in our class and can't wait to see what else she accomplishes! Congratulations Emilia, we love you!!!



Camille is Miss Donna's Star of the Month for December! Camille is a sweet girl with a million dollar smile! She enjoys humor and has the most wonderful giggle. She finds joy in everything. Camille always does the right thing, she is in total respect of the classroom's rules and routines. Camille takes learning very seriously. She is working hard to learn her kindergarten readiness skills! She is a hard worker and good listener! She is always putting her best effort in all she does! She is an active participant in circle time and small group time. Her favorite things to be a part of are Legos, blocks, bristle blocks, and magnets. She also loves to read books so you can find her in our book center often! Camille is also quite an artist. She loves to color and paint whenever she can! We are so proud of everything Camille has accomplished! Congratulations Camille, we love you!!!



Carter is Miss Donna's other Star of the Month for December! Carter is a very smart boy! He knows all his upper case and most of his lowercase letters, all his numbers, colors, and shapes. Carter is an active learner who sits nicely for small group activities. He always demonstrates a positive attitude towards school! Carter is a great friend who is always kind, caring, and generous at center time. He does a great job at trading and sharing! He loves to be with his friends and has an excellent sense of humor and handsome smile. He loves to dance, make silly and funny movements and faces! He is also a great conversationalist! Some of his favorite things at school are making cars out of Legos, playdoh, and building towers with magnets. He also loves to fingerpaint and make crafts using his hand print! Carter has so much in store for the rest of the school year and we can't wait to see! Congratulations Carter, we love you!!!



Alexander is December's Star of the Month for Miss Nicole's room! December is a fun month for Alex...he will be turning 5 years old on New Year's Eve! He is a sweet child who is always making amazing crafts for his teacher. Alex is very athletic and loves talking about sports like hockey and football. He likes learning about sports and drawing sports team's logos! Since the beginning of the school year, Alex has been very interested in learning, especially numbers and letters. He is curious and loves learning about new things. During his free time, Alex spends his time drawing or making cool structures using tools around the classroom! He likes to bring in books for the class to read and wants to read chapter books during school. His curiosity and desire to learn is everything a teacher could ask for in a student! He has made many friends at school and always has people wanting to play with him. He is a valued member of classroom 103! Congratulations Alex, we love you!!!



Charlee is December's Star of the Month! Charlee is a bright light in classroom 103, always coming to school with a smile on her face. She is a great listener and does her best to follow directions. She is extremely kind to her teacher and her friends. Charlee is very popular and has made lots of friends since the beginning of the year! She is thoughtful, always offering to help her friends if they are in need of something. She loves drawing, painting, and creating new objects like bridges, buildings, and playing "restaurant". Charlee has a great imagination and is always creating new games with her friends. She enjoys reading stories with her teacher and always asks to listen to songs or read books about letters and numbers. She has been working very hard on her letter formation as well and has become very good at writing her name. Charlee is such a loveable little girl who brings a smile to her teacher's face every single day! Congratulations Charlee, we love you!!!



Keira is Miss Stacy's Star of the Month for December! Keira is a great friend and is always willing to help out and clean up after centers or play time. She always comes to school with a smile on her face and ready to learn! Keira follows all the classroom rules and is an amazing listener. She is a sweet girl who always puts her best effort into all her work and sets a great example for her peers! Keira is great at sharing with her friends and gets along with everyone. Keira's favorite things to do are crafts, playing with Play-doh, and playing on the playground! She is a very smart girl who knows her letters and numbers and is very good at counting! We are so happy Keira is in our class this year and we can't wait to watch her grow and achieve more and more each day! Congratulations, Keira, we love you!!



Juliana is miss Stacy's other Star of the Month for December! Juliana is a great role model for her other classmates. She follows directions very well and is a great listener. She always participates in circle time and shares her knowledge with the class! Juliana always tries her very best at all of her work and it shows off! She is such a sweet girl who is friends with everyone in the class and all of her teachers adore her. Juliana loves dinosaurs and enjoys playing with the blocks, Play-doh, and doing crafts. We can always count on Juliana to help out in the class whether that be cleaning up, being the teachers helper, or just caring for a friend in need. We are so happy Juliana is a part of our class this year and we can't wait to watch her grow and flourish more and more each day! Congratulations, Juliana, we love you!!



Kylie is chosen as one of Miss Renee's Star Students for the month of December because she is a wonderful role model in our classroom. She has made many friends and is always kind and helpful to her teachers and her classmates. Kylie has a sweet and silly personality that shows more and more every day. She is sometimes a bit shy but always tries new things and shines in all that she does! Kylie enjoys stories and always participates in discussions about our books. She especially loves to write her name and arts and crafts activities. She is very creative and comes up with new and fun color combinations every day. She also loves playing outside on the playground with her friends. She has a fun imagination, big beautiful blue eyes, and a smile that lights up the room! I am so proud of Kylie and am looking forward to watching her grow throughout the rest of the school year! Congratulations Kylie, we love you!!!

Brooks is chosen as one of the Star Students for the Month of December in Miss Renee's Classroom because of his enthusiasm for school. Brooks' excitement to try new things is unmatched and makes his teacher's heart smile. Brooks is a smart little boy and loves singing our ABC chant and calendar songs. He is a kind friend and is always willing to lend a helping hand to his classmates. Brooks especially loves playing outside on our playground and is a champ at the color game. He also enjoys making arts and crafts and is always so proud of his final products. Brooks has a smile that makes his eyes light up and a silly personality that always makes his friends laugh! He loves being responsible and getting new jobs each day in our classroom! His favorite job is being the line leader. Miss Renee is so proud of Brooks and is looking forward to watching him grow in Preschool! Congratulations Brooks, we love you!!!



Fallon is Miss Cassandra's Star of the Month for December! Fallon was chosen because she is such a hard worker and she has improved so much since she started a couple of months ago. Fallon loves dance parties and she loves to play with blocks because she loves to build new things. She is so loveable and is always giving hugs to her teachers. Fallon is such a sweet little girl who is always trying her best to make her teachers and her peers smile. She is also very funny, always telling jokes and trying to get her peers and teachers to laugh. And last but not least, she is super caring and is always worried about making sure her friends are okay. Fallon is such an awesome friend and a great teacher's helper in the classroom. We are so proud of you! Congratulations Fallon, we love you!!!



Thanksgiving Feast and Pajama Day!

