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Greenwich Nursery School News

Happy New Year to all our wonderful GNS students and their families! We hope you had a wonderful holiday season and are ready for an exciting new year. Thank you to everyone who contributed to our class parties, we couldn't do it without you! We will start off this month with a special **Show and Share Day** on **Wednesday, January 3rd**, our first day back from winter break. Children can bring in a special gift they received for the holidays. There will be **no school** on **Monday, January 15th** in observance of Martin Luther King Day. Children can wear their favorite team jersey, hat or colors to school **on Friday, January 19th** for Team Spirit week. We will be comfy and cozy in our classrooms when we all wear our pajamas to school on **Pajama Day** on **Wednesday, January 24th**. This month, we will focus on the themes of Happy New Year, Holidays Around the World, Team Spirit, Winter Animals and end the month with Groundhog Day. Letters Gg, Ss, Jj, Dd and Pp will be introduced as well as numbers 1 and 2. **Parent-Teacher conferences** will be held on **Friday, January 26th**, there will be **no school** on this day. **Conference sign-up sheets** will be posted on **Friday, January 12th**.

Daily Reminders

- Please sign up for Remind notifications. Directions are on our school website, www.greenwicznursery.com, under the Backpack tab.
- Kindly keep sick children home from school so germs are not shared.
- Please have your child use the bathroom each day before school.
- Bring a backpack and a change of clothes (including underwear, socks and shoes) in case of accidents or spills. This should remain in their backpack and be changed according to season.
- Attendance sheets are in each classroom. Please be sure to sign your child in and out each day.
- Birthdays are celebrated monthly. Cake and water will be provided for snack. Birthday kids may bring in a non-edible treat or goodie bag to hand out to their classmates (optional).

Snack

- Please remember to pack a small, healthy snack and drink for your child each day. Snack bags should be labeled and placed above your child's hook when you come into school.
- Snack will be provided on Birthday Day each month. **Please do not send in snacks on birthday days.**
- **Please be advised that we are a nut-free school, so we kindly ask that you do not pack any peanut or tree nut products. Thank you!**

Outdoor Fun!

As the weather gets colder, the majority of our recess time will be upstairs in Memorial Hall. Please dress your child appropriately for physical activity. Sneakers and closed-toe shoes are a must for safety. We also recommend sending your child with a coat and mittens in case the weather is mild enough for a playground day.



4+ Year Olds – School Buses
Mrs. Macor
Mrs. Schiller (Float)



4 Year Olds – Frogs
Mrs. Huber & Mrs. Rieger
Mrs. Schiller (Float)



4 Year Olds – Apples
Mrs. Kromar & Mrs. Banes
Mrs. Schiller (Float)