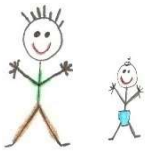
Little Learners Links



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Holly Jolly Week



Monday, December 14th
"Winter Wonderland!"
Everyone is encouraged to wear white, silver or light blue today!

Tuesday, December 15th
"Holiday Socks Day!"
Everyone is encouraged to wear their favorite holiday socks!

Wednesday, December 16th
"Snowman/Santa Hat Day!"
Everyone is encouraged to dress like a snowman or wear a Santa hat!

Thursday, December 17th
"Christmas Pajama Day!"
Everyone is encouraged to wear their favorite Christmas pajamas today!

Friday, December 18th
"Candy Cane Day!"
Everyone is encouraged to wear Red and White today!

2026 Planned Activities

November 2026	
Activity	**Date**
Kansas Reads to Preschoolers Lightening Bug Jamboree (Greens & Blues)	November 16th – 20th
December 2026	
Activity	**Date**
Dental Presentation (Greens & Blues)	Tuesday, December 1st & Thursday, December 3rd
Janie Next Door (Ovals & Octagons)	Friday, December 11th
Holly Jolly Week	December 14th – 18th
Santa Visit (Blues, Greens, Reds, Yellows, Diamonds)	East- December 14th West- December 15th
Classroom Holiday Parties	Wednesday, December 16th

Staff Celebrations



*Ms. Addy is celebrating her 6th year at Little Learners!
*Ms. Julie V is celebrating her 5th year at Little Learners!
*Ms. Tyler is celebrating her 3rd year at Little Learners!
*Ms. Monica is celebrating her 2nd year at Little Learners!
*Ms. Tyler's birthday is November 24th!
*Ms. Lindsey's birthday is November 29th!

Little Learners' Holiday Schedule

Little Learners will be closed the following days in observance of the upcoming holidays

For Thanksgiving:
Thursday, November 26th
Friday, November 27th

For Christmas:
Wednesday, December 23rd
Thursday, December 24th
Friday, December 25th

For New Years:
Thursday, December 31st
Friday, January 1st

We will be closed for our annual **Professional Development Day** on Monday, January 18th (Martin Luther King Jr Day).

Our Little Learners' Elves will be back soon! Edgar the Elf will be back at West and Ellis the Elf will be back at East! We are so excited to see all the silly places they will be hiding in the front hallways of West and East! They will return to Little Learners on Tuesday, December 1st and their last day for the season will be Wednesday, December 23rd!



Inclement Weather Policy

*If the Olathe School District closes, Little Learners will **either** have a two hour late start and open at 9:00 a.m. OR Little Learners will close. This decision will be emailed through Tadpoles (and when possible) **by 6:00 a.m.***

On Late Start Days, Little Learners will close at 5:00 p.m. to allow our staff and families to travel home in the daylight.

You may notice some Christmas trees on your child's classroom doors later this month. These are to help you choose a gift for their teacher if you wish to do so. Ms. Lindsey and Ms. Katharine will also have the Aides' and Assistants' trees in a binder in the hallway if you need to see one of those as well!

Your gift is sharing your children with us each day, so please do not feel obligated to purchase a present for your child's teacher. However, if you wanted to give a gift, it is our hope that these favorites will make shopping easier for you.

Merry Christmas.

Donations for Kansas City Harvesters

HARVESTERS
COMMUNITY FOOD NETWORK

This month we will be collecting donations for the Harvesters Community Food network! Last year we collected over 500 pounds. This year's goal will be 600 pounds of donations!

Be on the lookout for more information coming soon.