

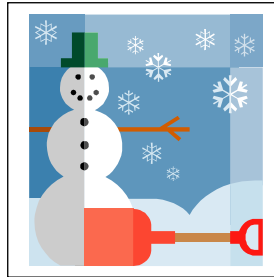
# January 2021 CPAL Monthly Newsletter

## IMPORTANT – NEW SNOW

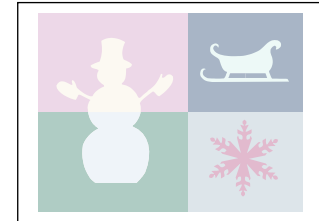
PROCEDURE: Because things are so different this year, we have decided to change our Snow Policy for this year only. When the weather is snowy or icy, please check our CPAL Facebook page to see if we are open or closed. We plan to post a decision by 7:00am on snowy mornings. We also plan to communicate by text. Please be sure we have your current cell phone number on file.

### Happy New Year!

We hope you all had a wonderful Christmas and New Year's Day! As you look back on the events of the past year, and look ahead at what might come this year, we want to remind you that all things are made new through Jesus. Our sins are completely forgiven. Because He rose from the dead, we too can have new life. We can live forever in Heaven because of the Forgiveness Jesus has won.



**NO SCHOOL:  
January 18<sup>th</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup>**



### Pre-K Progress Reports

During the week of January 11<sup>th</sup>, Ms. Holly will be evaluating the progress of the children who are intending to go into Kindergarten next year. We will send home a written report. We are happy to answer any questions you may have. There will be a second evaluation at the end of the school year and there will be a parent-teacher evaluation at that time. There will not be an evaluation for children who will have one more year of preschool.

It is cold out so please dress your child for the weather. We plan to bundle up and go outside for recess on any clear days. If you are in need of a **good, warm coat** for your child, let us know and we will be happy to help.

Now that we are in a new year, this is a great time to welcome new students. If you have friends or families who may be interested in our Preschool, we will very much appreciate your referral. Thank you!

### **MONTHLY MANNER/SOCIAL SKILL:**

The children have already shown so much growth in social skills! This month our focus will be:

Waiting to Speak

It is nice to be **going back to our regular school routine**. We can't wait to see the children's happy faces again! Because this break was so long, some of the children may experience a little hesitancy in returning to school. This is not cause for alarm. With a little patience and understanding, any anxiety should soon wear off.

This exercise in self-control includes raising your hand during Circle Time, as well as not interrupting others who are already speaking.