

# JANUARY 2023

## NEWSLETTER

“..the first educational influence upon a child should have as its object the guidance of the child along the way of independence.”  
-Maria Montessori, *The Discovery of the Child*

### UPCOMING EVENTS

- Jan 4: First day of spring semester
- Jan 16: Martin Luther King, Jr Day (we are open)
- Jan 23: Chinese New Year celebration
- Feb 1: 100th Day of School
- Feb 20: Presidents' Day (we are open)
- Mar 6-10: Spring Break (we are open)

## JANUARY: WEATHER/ HIBERNATION

MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI
2	3	4	5	6
NEW YEAR'S DAY (SCHOOL CLOSED)	TEACHER IN-SERVICE (SCHOOL CLOSED)	WHAT IS HIBERNATION?	ANIMALS THAT HIBERNATE	HIBERNATION CRAFT
9	10	11	12	13
READING A THERMOMETER	CELSIUS/ FAHRENHEIT	THE MERCURY: GO UP OR DOWN	THE TEMPERATURE: HOT OR COLD WATER DENSITY EXPERIMENT	THERMOMETER CRAFT
16	17	18	19	20
MLK: MARTIN LUTHER KING DAY (SCHOOL OPEN)	WINTER CLOTHES: ZIPPERS, BUTTONS, SCARF, MITTENS, SWEATERS	WINTER ACTIVITIES WITH THE WORD "ICE" (ICE HOCKEY/FISHING/SKATING)	WINTER FOOD/ DRINK THAT MAKE YOU FEEL WARM& FUZZY (CHICKEN SOUP/ HOT CHOCOLATE)	WINTER CRAFT
23	24	25	26	27
CHINESE NEW YEAR CELEBRATION; WEAR RED	GEESE MIGRATION	BUTTERFLIES MIGRATION	MOOSE MIRATION	MIGRATION CRAFT
30	31			
ICE MELT EXPERIMENT	HIBERNATION VS MIGRATION SORT			

## TAX STATEMENT

To access your tax receipt in Childpilot, click on Billing, then click on Tax Statement.

Be sure to select the correct year and full year.

Please let us know if you have any problems accessing your receipt.

## A quick reminder about our medication policy:

Please send medication to school only when imperative. Ask your physician to prescribe dosage times other than school hours if possible.

At no time may medications be brought into the child's classroom in his/her lunch bag or backpack.

A medication request form, found in the front office, must be filled out and signed by the parent or legal guardian before the school may administer medications. No medication can be dispensed without this form. Medications must be in their original container. Review our full policy in the Parent handbook.

***Reminder:*** Please only send water or unflavored milk as drinks. Juice, soft drinks, Gatorade are not allowed and are reserved for parties or special occasions.

## Weekend Chinese School

Tian Yi Chinese School holds classes in our building on Sunday afternoons. Classes start at age 3 and go up to 8th grade. Please contact the office for more information and schedules.

## Chinese New Year Celebration

January 22nd will begin the year of the rabbit.

On Monday, 1/23, we will have a celebration at school, eat dumplings, and students will receive a red envelope.

The children can wear their own Chinese traditional clothing the color red.



Registration is open for Spring Extracurricular Activities. Contact the office to sign up.

We are excited to have Stretch-N-Grow's dance class this semester! They will start 1/19.

- Mondays: Soccer (9:30am)
- Mondays: Lego class (3:30pm)
- Tuesdays: Art Drawing (3:30pm)
- Thursday: Dance (9:15am)
- Thursday: Chess (3:30pm)
- Private piano lessons are scheduled according to teacher's availability.

Classes are \$18 per week, billed every four weeks. (Piano is \$35 per week, billed every four weeks.)