



Holiday greetings from Blue Room! Our monthly theme is Holiday Hoopla; we will learn all about holidays around the world, winter, and New Year's celebrations!

For the first week, the kiddos will learn about holidays around the world. They will tell teachers what some of their holiday traditions are, as well as, make paper plate ornaments, handprint menorahs for Hanukah and unity friendship chains for Kwanzaa. The kiddos will also perform a science experiment using candy canes, vinegar and baking soda!

During the second week, the kiddos will learn about winter. They will make penguins, snowmen, and candy canes for art. They will count and match cotton balls to corresponding numerals, practice tracing letter of the week, as well as, painting with snow!

The third week, the kiddos will learn about New Year's celebrations. The kiddos will make resolutions for the New Year, as well as, make a 2018 banner! We will also marble paint fireworks and conduct a science experiment making our very own firework using diet soda and mentos!

Blue Room holiday party will be Thurs. Dec. 20 from 10:00-11:00am. We hope to see you there! Please remember to change out your kiddos fall clothes for winter ones. **CHALK will be closed Dec. 21-Jan. 3 for winter break.** We will see you back on Jan. 7! Have a safe and happy winter break!

Book Fair: Dec. 3rd-7th

CHALK Spirit Week Themes are:

Dec. 17 Princess/Super Hero Dec. 19 Holiday Attire

Dec. 18 Sports Day Dec. 20 Pajama Day

December Birthdays

Rylie 12/14 Jordan 12/18

Nahla 12/18 Will 12/25

Teddy 12/27



Star of the Week

12/3-12/7 —Peiqi

12/10-12/14 —Rylie

12/17-12/20 —Jordan

Letter of the Week

12/3-12/7 — Mm

12/10-12/14 — Nn

12/17-12/20 — Oo

My Gym Building Block: Body Knowledge

Character Trait of the Month: Fair

Children can learn to take turns and share. They listen to everyone's ideas and viewpoints. They treat people equally. They are inclusive and invite friends to play. They take action and change things that are unfair.