



# NEWSLETTER

January 8<sup>th</sup>

## CLASSROOM NEWS

We will study Unit 5, Lesson 1 this week:

**Phonics-** Sounds of long i spelled with i and i\_e, /s/ spelled with ce and ci, and /j/ spelled with ge and gi

**Comprehension Strategies-** classify and categorize, author's purpose, main ideas and details, making connections, visualizing, point of view, asking questions, summarizing

**High-Frequency Word-** after, go, ride, them, walk, we, well, you

**Vocabulary Words-** citizen, common, commute, facilities, fewer, hectic, recreation, types

**Writing-** Describing a Person

**Grammar-** Proper Nouns

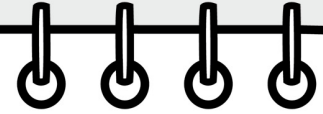
**Dictation-** On Friday there will be a dictation test. The teacher will call out some of the sounds listed above and the students will write the corresponding letters to spell the words and sentence. *Students will also write one red words: you*

**Math-** Topic 5-Working with Addition and Subtraction Equations

**Science/Social Studies-** New Year's Resolutions, MLK Day, Weather and Seasons

## REMINDERS

I hope everyone had a wonderful break! It is so good to have all of these kiddos back!! I am looking forward to a wonderful, second semester!



## EVENTS

January 10<sup>th</sup>- Report Cards

January 12<sup>th</sup>-Class Pictures

January 15<sup>th</sup>- MLK Holiday/No School

January 24<sup>th</sup>- More Info to Come

January 31<sup>st</sup>-Parent Picnic 11:35-12:05

February 2<sup>nd</sup>- Special Snack/Spirit Day

## TO-DO

Please read a book with your child each night. You may track these books in the reading log found in your child's binder

