



# JOHN WILL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL DECEMBER PARENT NEWSLETTER

NOVEMBER 22, 2023

## THIS WEEK

- Thanksgiving Break is November 20-24. Students will return to school on November 27. Have a wonderful and safe holiday!
- Students should have received information prior to the break regarding completion of online reading and math lessons using Open Court Reading and Waggle. Students can use a cell phone or computer to complete the lessons. Completion of these lessons is optional.

## NEXT WEEK

- We will begin accepting donations for the annual MCPSS Stuff the Bus Toy Drive on Monday, November 27. The last day for donating an unwrapped gift or toy is on Monday, December 4.
- The JWES Holiday Program is on Monday, December 11, from 5 PM-6 PM. Please come out to help us celebrate the holiday season!

## UPCOMING EVENTS

- The last day of Quarter 2 is Friday, December 15.
- School will be closed due to the Christmas Break, and professional development/teacher workdays on Monday, December 18, 2023 through Wednesday, January 3, 2024. Students will return to school on Thursday, January 4, 2024.
- School is closed on Monday, January 15, 2024, in observance of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day.
- Quarter 2 report cards will go home on Tuesday, January 16, 2024.
- The Quarter 2 Honors Day celebration is on Wednesday, January 24, 2024.