The Preschool Journal

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Dear Students and Families!

 Happy New Year! I hope that everyone had a happy and relaxing Winter Break! Welcome Back!

 Show and Tell is off to a great start. The children love to bring in something special from home and the questions that the other children are asking are amazing.

Some of the questions they like to ask include:

Do you sleep with it?

Where did you get it?

What do you call it?

Can you bring it in the tub with you?

It is really fun to watch their communication, sharing and respect skills grow!

This month we are starting to work on number recognition and formation. We have started with the #1.

Number one is so much fun

A big line down

And you’ve got a ONE!

1 is a great number to start with because straight lines are used to form many different letters and numbers. We used straight lines (top down) to make a star for our twinkle, twinkle page!

As we discuss the formation of the numbers I will post the poems for you to read with your preschooler. At this age we are not worried about perfect formation, just exposure to numbers, counting and number sense,

Warmest Regards,

Mrs. Larabee & Ms. Jamie

**Important Dates!**

**January 16th**

Class Cooking Day

**January 20th**

Extended Day Only in honor of Martin Luther King Jr. Day

**January 24th**

Class Cooking Day

**PORTFOLIO**

Thank you to everyone that returned their child’s binder for parent-teacher conferences! We have already started to add more things to the binders. ☺

If you have not returned the binder please return it at your earliest convenience.

SHOW AND TELL

 When it is your child’s snack child day, your child may bring an item from home to share. A toy, book, game, etc. We ask that the item easily fit into your child’s cubby, and that it is an item that your child can talk about and answer any questions that the other children may have about it.

This is a great opportunity to work on communication skills as well as enhance the school home connection. Thank you in advance for your help!