



# Kidsplace Newsletter

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## January

## Themes

**Week 1 (Jan 2–7):** No  
Classes (*Winter Break*)

**Week 2 (Jan 8–14):**  
*ABC's & 123's*

**Week 3 & 4 (Jan 15-26)**  
*Winter Fun!*

**Week 5 (Jan 29—Feb 2):**  
*Polar Animals*

## Happy New Year! - From the Teachers

Welcome back to school! We hope you and your families enjoyed the holidays and had a fun and relaxing break.

We are very proud of the children for performing their songs and poems and all the hard work they put into preparing for our Christmas Concerts. We would like to take this opportunity to thank all of you for helping to make our concerts and parties successful and memorable for the children by providing baking and snacks and cleaning up afterwards. Your support is very much appreciated.

Time for something new! We would like to start **Show & Tell** with the children in January. Show & Tell gives the children an opportunity to share something special from home with their classmates while practicing language skills. Students in each class will be divided into groups and each group will be assigned one day each month to bring in a special item to share with the class. These items will be kept aside until Show & Tell time as we would not want anything to get lost or broken during class time. We will have

Show & Tell in the months of January through March so please try to remember your child's Show & Tell day so they may participate when it is their turn.

Please help your child choose appropriate items to share (no weapons) and help them think of what they would like to say about their special item.

Be on the look out for more information regarding Show & Tell and which group and day your child is assigned!

A few reminders: Please remember to remove outdoor footwear upstairs (**adults and children**) before coming downstairs. This helps to keep the stairs and hallway free from melted snow that can cause slippery stairs and a messy hallway.

We would also like to know if your child will be absent from school. We understand that sometimes it is a last minute decision but if you can, a quick call or a message left on our answering machine lets us know not to expect your child if they are not attending. We also appreciate a call if you are running late call if you can manage it so we can be listening for the doorbell

and not leave you out in the cold for too long.

Email messages sent the day of a class your child will be missing are **not** an effective way to let us know about an absence as we do not usually get a chance to check emails prior to class time. Please note, the board email (kidsplaceboard@hotmail) is not checked regularly by the teachers. If you need to communicate with the teachers regarding timely or sensitive matters it is better to call the school directly if possible to make sure we get the message and to ensure confidentiality.

Lastly, please make sure you let us know if someone other than the regular person will be picking up your child so we have a chance to check our records to make they are listed on our pick up sheet and avoid unexpected delays or complications at the end of class.

That's all for now!

**-Ms Lori and Ms Sherry**



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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<b>THEME:</b> (No Classes - Winter Break)	1	2	3	4	5	6
<b>7 THEME:</b> ABC's & 123's	8	9	10 <i>Happy Birthday Henry!</i>	11 <i>Happy Birthday Camden!</i>	12	13
<b>14 THEME:</b> Winter Fun!	15	16	17	18	19 <i>Happy Birthday Juanesa!</i>	20 <i>Happy Birthday Preston!</i>
<b>21 THEME:</b> Winter Fun!	22 <i>MWF Class Show &amp; Tell— Group 1</i>	23 <i>T/TH Class Show &amp; Tell— Group 1  <i>Happy Birthday Ryan!</i></i>	24 <i>MWF Class Show &amp; Tell— Group 2</i>	25 <i>T/Th Class Show &amp; Tell— Group 2</i>	26	27
<b>28 THEME:</b> Polar Animals!	29	30				

## January Birthdays



*Henry—Jan 10*  
*Camden—Jan 11*  
*Juanesa—Jan 19*  
*Preston—Jan 20*  
*Ryan—Jan 23*

This brings a wish for all  
 The best a day and year can bring  
 For someone who should always have  
 The best of everything!  
 Have a Happy Birthday and a wonderful year!  
 -Ms. Lori, Ms. Sherry, Ms. Adeline & Ms. Barb

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