

JANUARY NEWSLETTER ROOM 1

Dear Room 1 Parents:

THANK YOU for all of the holiday gifts and treats!

HAPPY NEW YEAR! —SCHOOL RESUMES on MONDAY, JANUARY 7th

A Snowman fingerplay for January:

A chubby little snowman had a carrot nose.

Along came a bunny and what do you suppose?

That hungry little bunny, looking for his lunch,

Ate the snowman's carrot nose, nibble, nibble, crunch!

SOME MONTESSORI IDEAS:

Are you a Supporter of Independence??

Because children's growth and well-being is contingent on their independent functioning, parents need to be careful not to intrude on the child's independence. Allow children the full opportunity to struggle and grow toward independence, and do not give help that is not requested. Follow the adage, "Help children to help themselves". Parents must try to not make themselves overly available, and to give the children room to develop their own personalities and problem solving abilities.

Miss Rose and Miss Julia

SNOWPANTS make great rainpants!

Please bring snowpants back so we can play in the puddles and mud.

DOOR SIGN UPDATE:

When you are looking for our class in the afternoons, the new directional sign is to the right side of the door, where our newsletter used to be posted. The newsletter has been moved over to the door.