



NEWSLETTER grade 1 November 28, 2016
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Dear Parents,

I hope you enjoyed Thanksgiving time with your family. Thank you for your cooperation and support at conference.

HELPERS: the December calendar sign-up sheet is posted. We have several Christmas activities that require parent helpers.

HANDS: please see the green paper and directions, "HOMEWORK FOR PARENTS." Please return this by this Friday, Dec.2.

CHRISTMAS BOUTIQUE: the first graders will be going on Wed. or Thurs. Please send cash or a check if your child will be buying gifts.

SHOEBOX: we will be doing a special Christmas activity with a shoebox. Please write your child's name on the bottom and send in by Tuesday, Dec. 13. Any regular shoebox with a lid will be fine. Extra boxes will be appreciated.

VISION SCREENING: signed forms are due this week if you would like your child to have this service.

FRIDAY, Dec. 2, is a minimum day, 12:15 dismissal. Children may wear St. Edward t-shirt and jeans.

THIS WEEK WE WILL BE LEARNING:

RELIGION: Advent, we begin this Liturgical Season, a time to prepare for Jesus' coming at Christmas; Advent Chain, Advent Wreath

MATH: ch. 4, counting back to subtract using a number line, fact families, solving story problems.

READING: STORIES: U. 2, wk. 5; "Life in the Forest"

SPELLING/PHONICS: long u, u_e; e_e, _ed. **GRAMMAR:** singular and plural nouns

SCIENCE: what light can do; shadows, less. 3 check

SOCIAL STUDIES: landforms-mountains, plains, rivers and lakes-vocab. cards

ART: Advent chain, Dec. calendar

May God bless your family this first week of Advent. Mrs. Bettencourt

