

Roadrunner News

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December
Rex Patron Bulletin



LITERACY FIRST:

Did you know that student's must learn approx. 3,000 new words per year in order to acquire the vocabulary knowledge needed in high school.

- Three hundred to five hundred of those must be taught explicitly.
- Some of the best ways to ensure your child is learning new words is to have conversations with them every chance you get. Talk to them while you are making dinner, driving them to swimming lessons, waiting for the dentist or doctor to come in. Make every opportunity count—they are only young once!
- Sometimes it is difficult for children to learn new words. To help make cognitive connections, try having your child illustrate the word they are learning or create a game out of it.

If you have any questions about Literacy First please feel free to contact your child's teacher, myself or check out the official website: www.literacyfirst.com

*Brenda Lolling
Learning Facilitator*



REMEMBER

Winter Break is
Dec. 26th -Jan 3rd



DECEMBER 2016

| Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri |
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| |  | | <p>1</p> <p>10:50 AM-1:15 PM 1st Grade to Wichita Children's Theatre</p> <p>3:50 PM-4:50 PM TAPS</p> | <p>2</p> |
| <p>5</p> <p>3:50 PM-4:50 PM TAPS</p> | <p>6</p> <p>3:50 PM-4:50 PM TAPS</p> <p>3:55 PM-5:15 PM Campus Kids Bible Club</p> <p>5:00 PM-8:00 PM Sonic Night</p> | <p>7</p> <p>3:50 PM-4:50 PM TAPS</p> | <p>8</p> <p>3:50 PM-4:50 PM TAPS</p> | <p>9</p> <p>11:00 AM-1:30 PM PTO Fundraiser Limo Lunch</p> |
| <p>12</p> <p>3:50 PM-4:50 PM TAPS</p> | <p>13</p> <p>3:50 PM-4:50 PM TAPS</p> <p>3:55-5:15 PM Campus Kids Bible Club</p> <p>5:00 PM-6:00 PM Rex PTO Meeting</p> | <p>14</p> <p>1:30 PM-2:30 PM 5th Grade DARE Graduation</p> <p>3:50 PM-4:50 PM TAPS</p> | <p>15</p> <p>3:50 PM-4:50 PM TAPS</p> <p>6:30 PM-7:30 PM 5th Grade Christmas Program</p> | <p>16</p> |
| <p>19</p> | <p>20</p> <p>3:55 PM-5:15 PM Campus Kids Bible Club</p> | <p>21</p> <p>10:30 AM-11:00 AM 5th Grade Band and Orchestra Winter Concert</p> | <p>22</p> <p>3:00 PM-3:45 PM Winter Parties</p> | <p>23</p> <p>11:40 AM Early Release</p> |
| <p>26</p> <p>NO SCHOOL Winter Break</p> | <p>27</p> <p>NO SCHOOL Winter Break</p> | <p>28</p> <p>NO SCHOOL Winter Break</p> | <p>29</p> <p>NO SCHOOL Winter Break</p> | <p>30</p> <p>NO SCHOOL Winter Break</p> |
| <h2>JANUARY 2017</h2> | | | | |
|  | <p>2</p> <p>NO SCHOOL Winter Break</p> | <p>3</p> <p>NO SCHOOL Work Day</p> <p>5:00 PM-8:00 PM Sonic Night</p> | <p>4</p> <p>3:50 PM-4:50 PM TAPS</p> | <p>5</p> <p>3:50 PM-4:50 PM TAPS</p> |
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| | | | | <p>6</p> <p>9:30 AM-10:00 AM Jump Rope for Heart Kick Off Assembly</p> |