

# Roadrunner News

Preparation  
Respect  
Integrity  
Discipline  
Excellence

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.catapultlearning.com](http://www.catapultlearning.com)

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## REMEMBER . . . . .

Winter Break is  
Dec. 20th -Jan 3rd



# DECEMBER 2017

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
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4	5 3:55 PM-5:15 PM Campus Kids Bible Club 5:00 PM-8:00 PM Sonic Night	6	7	8
11	12 3:55-5:15 PM Campus Kids Bible Club 5:30 PM-7:00 PM Rex PTO Holiday Craft Night	13	14 2:30-3:30 PM - 5th Grade Christmas Program Dress Rehearsal 6:30-7:30 PM - 5th Grade Christmas Program	15 10:15 -10:45 AM 5th Grade Band/Orchestra Winter Concert
18	19 9:00 - 9:45 AM Kdg -2nd Grade 2nd Nine Week Awards 10:00 -10:45 AM 3rd -5th Grade 2nd Nine Week Awards 3:00 - 3:45 PM Winter Parties	20 NO SCHOOL Winter Break 1/2 Work Day 1/2 Collaboration	21 NO SCHOOL Winter Break	22 NO SCHOOL Winter Break
25 NO SCHOOL Winter Break	26 NO SCHOOL Winter Break	27 NO SCHOOL Winter Break	28 NO SCHOOL Winter Break	29 NO SCHOOL Winter Break
 <h2 style="font-size: 2em;">JANUARY 2018</h2> 				
1 NO SCHOOL Winter Break	2 NO SCHOOL 5:00 PM-8:00 PM Sonic Night	3 NO SCHOOL Work Day	4	5