December Newsletter

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Important News

Before/After Care – Just a reminder to sign students up in advance, otherwise you will be charged the drop-in rate vs. the scheduled rate for that week. Their website is: www.myschoolbucks.com. If you have any issues with signing up or making payment through MySchoolBucks, please give them a call at 1-855-832-5226. Their customer service will be able to help you with any issues or questions that you have.

Illness - If your child has a temperature of 100.0 or higher, diarrhea, or throwing up they must be symptom free for 24 hours without medication before they will be permitted to return to school. Refer to Student Handbook under Illness or Injuries for clarification if needed. If your child is sick, please keep them home. This will help reduce the spread of illnesses.

Upcoming Events

December 4

AAED Family Event Organ Stop Pizza – Mesa 1149 E Southern Avenue 12 pm – 1:30 pm

December 14

Gilbert Music Program Life Community Church 717 W. Ray Road Gilbert, AZ 6:00 pm

December 21

Early Release 11:50

December 22- January 4

Winter Break

January 5

Students return

More Important News

Expressive Language and Comprehension:

Books are a great way to elicit expressive language and comprehension in children. The important thing to remember when reading books with your child is to ask OPEN ENDED questions. This takes some practice but the best way to help children talk more is to ask them a question where they generate their own answers. For example, "what is she doing?" "How is he feeling?" "What's happening in this picture?" These are open ended questions versus yes or no questions or questions with one word answers.

Education is the most powerful weapon which you can use to change the world. ~Nelson Mandela

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