

BLOOMINGTON ELEMENTARY

NEWSLETTER - DECEMBER 2017

Important Dates:

December 11 — PLC Early Out Dismissal at 1:15 p.m.

December 13 — 2nd Grade Program 2 p.m.

December 14 — Treasure Cove

December 19 — Dress Up Day Holiday Dress

December 20 — Dress Up Day Pajama Day

December 21 — January 3rd

Christmas Break/Winter Holiday

January 4 — Students Return to School

January 11 — PTA Meeting 9:30 a.m. in Gym

Dear Parents,

The Holiday Season is upon us and soon it will be a New Year. On behalf of the PTA we wish you all a wonderful month of December and an enjoyable Christmas and New Year. I would like to thank all of our PTA parents as well all of the parent volunteers who have been helping at Bloomington as you make a difference in our children's lives. Thank you and enjoy the holidays!

Herschel Hill

Bloomington PTA President



December's Mindset mantra is:

We Love A Challenge! Finding and relishing a challenge is one of the cornerstones of the growth mindset, so offering sufficiently challenging work is critical in developing a growth-oriented classroom. If perseverance, grit, and tenacity are the building blocks of a growth mindset, we must give our students opportunities to hone these qualities. Teachers will be focusing on factors in practice (climate, input, output and feedback). Students will be given weekly "What" challenges. Watch for these weekly challenges on our FB or Instagram pages. The challenge questions for this week are:

- * What did you do today that made you think hard?
- * What happened today that made you keep on going?
- * What can you learn from this?



Computer Safety Tips

Always talk to a parent or guardian about posting pictures of yourself or others online and not post any pictures that your parent or guardian consider inappropriate.





Our Bookaneer Reading Rockstar program is going great! We received our t-shirts and the students are earning them quickly! Holidays are a busy time, but it seems like there is always time to read. Take books with you as you travel to keep kids entertained! Or while your waiting for Christmas concerts or events to start, a book is an easy way to pass the time. A book is always a fun gift to give as well. If your student reads on the go, just write down the date and number of minutes in your phone to record later on the reading calendar. Reading Calendar will be due on January 5th, right after we come back to school. If you misplace your calendar you can always get one in the office. It a note with child's name, teacher and minutes will work too. Thanks for encouraging our students to read! Thank you to all the volunteers that keep this program running! Thanks also to all our sponsors!! We hope our students enjoy a yummy treat from yogurtland this month!!

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NOVEMBER 27 ~ DECEMBER 12

2017 Wish List
BABY WIPES - BLANKETS - COATS/HOODIE (AGES 12-18) - DIAPERS (SIZES 4, 5, 6) - GIFT CARDS - LAUNDRY SOAP
SLEEPING BAGS - SOCKS - UNDERWEAR - SHOES (AGES 5-11) - TOOTHBRUSHES - TOOTHPASTE - WINTER GLOVES

DELIVER NEW WISH LIST ITEMS TO:

The Spectrum
STEPHEN WADE
CHEVROLET TOYOTA

DRIVE UP-DROP OFF
DECEMBER 2ND
10A TO 2P
STEPHEN WADE TOYOTA

DROP OFF GIFT CARDS & CASH DONATIONS
IN ANY **STEPHEN WADE** SHOWROOM OR
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