



**Charlottesville
Catholic School**
Christ Community Scholars

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Friday Newsletter

Kindergarten

12/20/24

Teacher's Message/Announcements

We are learning about how Christmas is celebrated around the world!

We will be studying about: Germany, France, Mexico, Canada, United States, Brazil and the United Kingdom! If you have a picture or a postcard that you would like to share, please [contact: r.zartler@cvillecatholic.org](mailto:r.zartler@cvillecatholic.org)

Please continue to practice the sight words every day. These are extremely important for their kindergarten year.

Calendar/Important Dates

*Winter dress for uniforms is in effect NO WHITE SOCKS PLEASE

12/20 11:30 Dismissal NO AFTERCARE STEAM ALL STUDENTS HAVE TO BE IN CAR LINE

12/23-1/5 Christmas break

1/06-School starts back again

1/10-NO SCHOOL FOR KINDERGARTEN ONLY

Important School Announcements

***Please review the **winter dress code** and make sure that your child is bundled up for winter with coats, hats, gloves, etc! **Only blue socks** are to be worn with the winter uniform. Also, please remember that leggings should not be worn for Spirit Days (unless they are under a jumper).

Christmas Break is a great time to make sure that uniform pieces fit students properly (especially lengths for pants, skirts, and jumpers), and for boys to get haircuts.

Social Studies

We continued learning about the different countries around the world and how they celebrate Christmas.

Math

We finished Unit 7, which includes understanding subtraction. We discussed word problems and the strategies that we used to determine whether we need to add or subtract. We also continued to practice counting to 100! Some of them already know how to count to 100. At this time, the students are now expected to count to fifty. The students have also been counting to 100 by 2s, 5s and 10s. We have calendar time during math every day. The students continue to learn our days of the week song, months of the year song and seasons every day.

Language Arts/Reading/Writing

The students are continuing to practice reading to self and work on writing. Please have your child read the books we send home every Friday to you three times to practice sight words and fluency. **Our sight words this week were: came, now, no, are, ride. Our sight words after Christmas break will be: into, good, want, too, pretty.**

Theology

We continued to talk about Advent, discussed Christ's birth, and we continue to light our Advent candle daily as we prepare our hearts for celebrating Christ's birth.

Science

We focused on Social Studies this week.