



2023-2024

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## WINTER

### Student/Parent Packet



**Kindergarten**

**English Language Arts**

**December 21, 2023 - January 3, 2024**

**Have fun  
together!**

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## Kindergarten Literacy Everywhere



Literacy is everywhere! Here are some activities you can engage your child in at home, in a restaurant, and in the car.

Home	Restaurant	Car
Use magnetic letters to spell words on the refrigerator or baking sheet.	Read menus. Find words with the same ending sound (salad, bread).	Practice naming things and sorting them into categories, such as things in the sky or things on the ground.
Read directions for putting together new holiday toys.	Listen for items that have the same beginning sound (soup, sandwich).	Play games like I-Spy with letters and words.
Identify letters, words, and sounds in the newspaper.	Video your child describing his/her favorite dish.	Keep books in the back seat of the car for children to read during travel.
Compose a text message to a loved one; use proper grammar, spelling & punctuation.	Discuss daily happenings (Family Talk).	Point out and discuss what you see. What color is the tree? What sounds do you hear in the word "tree?" Try to spell tree.
Watch interactive educational videos/TV shows and retell the events in order.	Be a food critic and write a review of one of the menu items ordered.	

## Kindergarten High Frequency Word Fun!

Read each high frequency word. Challenge yourself with the list of activities below.






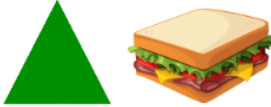
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1. Sort words by the number of letters in each word.
2. Identify the words in a story or write a story using the words.
3. Say and write simple sentences using each word.
4. Spell words with shaving cream, playdough, sand, or sugar.
5. Cut letters from magazines, ads, or newspapers to spell each word.

## Kindergarten Daily Literacy Practice

Complete a practice task each day during Winter Break. Use the blank space below and a separate sheet of paper to write your response.

**December 2023**

<p><b>21</b> Write 3 words that begin like "sun" /s/. Draw a picture for each word.</p>	<p><b>22</b> Clap the syllables for each picture.</p> 	<p><b>23</b> Write 4 words that begin like "mop" /m/. Use the words in a sentence.</p> 	<p><b>24</b> Go on a Scavenger Hunt around the house to find things with the short /i/ sound like lip.</p> 	<p><b>25</b> Write your first and last name. Then, trace the consonants with a blue crayon and the vowels with a red crayon.</p>
<p><b>26</b> Clap the syllables for each picture.</p> 	<p><b>27</b> Write the uppercase and lowercase <b>Nn</b> 5 times. Find five items that begin with "n" around your room.</p>	<p><b>28</b> Draw 3 pictures that rhyme with the picture below.</p> 	<p><b>29</b> Clap the syllables for each picture.</p> 	<p><b>30</b> Go on a Scavenger Hunt around your house for things that rhyme with socks.</p> 