

January

Yellow Room

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Hello January!

Our theme this month is Wonderful Winter. We will begin our month by exploring arctic animals! We will sort animals by habitat, make our own snowy owls, and see how blubber keeps animals warm.

Next, we will talk about winter clothes and activities. We will make our own paper mittens and hats, sing the winter pokey, and do a puppet show about the book The Hat!

The following week, the Yellow Room will talk about colors. We will experiment with primary and secondary colors, create our own rainbows, and make colorful art projects using eyedroppers!

Finally, we will wrap up January by talking about shapes. The students will create shape collages, sort shapes, and practice

Reminders:

- Dress wacky for National Opposite Day on Friday, January 23rd.
- Please remember take home blankets and roly-polies at the end of the week!
- If CHALK closes due to weather, you will receive a phone call from one of the Yellow Room teachers.

Show and Tell:

1/15 & 1/16: Holiday Keepsakes

1/29 & 1/30: Favorite Shape

So Long December

In December, the Yellow Room talked about snow, Disney's Frozen, Kwanza, Hanukkah, and Christmas. We even transformed our classroom into a Winter Wonderland!

We also had a special guest teach us about bees and beekeeping. The students enjoyed examining honeycomb and bees at our science center the rest of that week. The students also loved counting snowmen buttons at the math table last month.

For literacy, students enjoyed creating letters using lines and curves on the light table. In December, we began using our new Jolly Phonics curriculum and the students love the new songs! They can be heard singing the phonics songs throughout the day.

