



We hope everyone had an amazing Thanksgiving! Thank you to everyone that provided food for our Thanksgiving lunches. The kiddos and staff really enjoyed it! It's that time of year! Christmas time is here!!! We will be closed on December 25th and 26th. We will also be closing at 3pm on December 31st and closed January 1st. We will be providing all day care for schoolage children over the break. Sign up sheets will be at the front when we get closer. As we prepare for the holidays, we ask that you let us know if you will be taking time off, so we can properly staff our classrooms during the last week of December and the first week of January.

Thank you for your help!





## December Curriculum:

Week of December 2nd - Mad Scientist

Week of December 9th - Gingerbread

Week of December 16th - Merry Christmas

Week of December 23rd - Grinch

Week of December 30th - Happy New Year

## **Academic Focus for the Month:**

• Letters: L, M      Shape: Triangle

• Numbers: 8, 9 (Pre-K: 14, 15, 16)      Color: White

Social Skill: Keeping our spaces clean

Pre-K Assessment: Rhyming





## Reminders:

Christmas Pajama Day: Friday, December 20th

No School for Millard: December 23rd—January 6th

No School for Gretna: December 23rd—January 3rd

**WE will be closed Christmas Eve and Christmas Day.**

**We will be closing early (3pm) on New Year's Eve**

**We will be closed on New Year's Day**





Mira K	12/01
Jackson H	12/10
Jasmine M	12/11
Avery G	12/17
Olivia B	12/21
Charlotte R	12/22
Asher H	12/23
Ahmed H	12/24



**Staff Birthdays:**

**Peyton M 12/02**

**Ella M 12/06**

**Kayli G 12/14**





## Important Information

### Upcoming Holiday closings:

- November 28th & 29th - closed
- December 24th & 25th - closed
- December 31st—Early Closure @ 3pm
  - January 1st - closed

LOVING  
GARDEN PATCH

Leave us a review

★★★★★

Yelp Review



Google Review



Thank you for being part of our  
Garden Patch family.



**Come decorate a gingerbread house with your child!**

Sunflowers and Daisies will be on Wednesday, December 11th.

Snapdragons and Dragonflies will be on Friday, December 13th.

More info on this to follow at a later time.



**Santa will be coming to visit the kids on Tuesday, December 17th from 9-11am.**



# FROZEN SNOWBALL PUNCH



## Ingredients

- 1 bottle blue Hawaiian Punch 1 gallon, chilled
- 1 2 Liter of Sprite chilled
- 12 oz pineapple juice chilled
- 10 scoops vanilla ice cream

## Directions:

In a large punch bowl, stir together the punch, Sprite, and pineapple juice.

Just before serving, drop in the scoops of ice cream. Gently stir, just until slightly

Ladle punch into glasses to serve, topping each glass off with one of the scoops of ice cream







Full-Time



Part-Time

# Employees of the Month





# DECEMBER 2024



MONDAY TUESDAY WEDNESDAY THURSDAY FRIDAY

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Mod Scientist	2	3	4 	5	6 
Gingerbread	9	10 	11 Pre-k Gingerbread houses with parents	12 	13 3's Gingerbread houses with parents
Merry Christmas	16 	17 Santa Visit 168 <sup>th</sup> 9:00-11:00	18 	19 Christmas Pajama Day	20
Grinch	23 No School Millard 23 <sup>rd</sup> - 6th Gretna 23 <sup>rd</sup> - 3 <sup>rd</sup>	24 CLOSED Christmas Break	25 CLOSED Christmas Break	26 	27 
Happy New Year	30	31 CLOSE at 3 For New Years Eve	Happy New Year 2025		

## ACADEMIC FOCUS

### Letters:

L, M

### Numbers:

8, 9

### Preschool Numbers:

14, 15, 16

### Shape:

Triangle

### Color:

White

### Social Skill:

Keeping our Spaces

Clean

### PRE-K Assessment:

Rhyming

