

# The Giesler Gazette

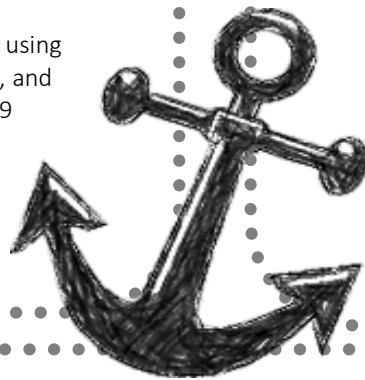
## What We Are Learning

MATH We are learning about measurement! We will be measuring using inches, feet, centimeters, and meters.

READING The next few weeks we will be learning about poetry! We will be discussing rhythm, rhyme, alliteration, and repetition in stories and poems.

WRITING We are continuing on working on using research to create an informational writing, and are beginning the final writing piece of the 9 weeks.

SOCIAL STUDIES We will soon begin Learning about goods and services, and the difference between the two.



## Upcoming Events!

12/4 Nutcracker Field Trip!

12/7 Library Check Out

12/14 Library Check Out

12/17 Class Holiday Party!

12/18 End of 2<sup>nd</sup> 9 weeks/ Spirit Shirt Day

12/21- 1/1 NO SCHOOL!

1/4 Staff Day – No school for students

1/8 Report Cards go home

## Reminders

**Field Trip:** As you know, we will be going to the Cobb Civic Center on Friday to see the Nutcracker ballet. I have had students ask me if parents can attend, but unfortunately, since we only have a certain number of seats for our school, we do not have extra space for parents to attend. Sorry! However, we are all looking forward to it! We will be off campus from about 10:30am until the end of the day. We will be having a very early hot lunch before we go on Friday.

**Class Holiday Party:** We will be having our class holiday party on Thursday, 12/17, tentatively from 1:00-2:00pm. We will be rotating through holiday-themed stations and having some treats. If you would like to volunteer to help at a station, that would be great! More information to come, including a sign up to volunteer and/or send in goodies to eat!

**SRI/SMI:** We will be taking the SRI and SMI reading and math tests (discussed at conferences) next week. Please encourage your child to take their time and do their best!

**Holiday Gift Shop:** Envelopes and flyers have gone home today for the holiday gift shop. If you would like your child to visit the holiday shop, please send them with money in the enclosed envelope on Wednesday, Thursday, or Friday. We will not be visiting as a class to preview the gifts, but students watched a video today with the items and their prices, so should have an idea of what they can purchase. There are many items less than \$5, and some as low as 25 cents! The shop will also be open from 4:00-5:30 each of these days after school if you would like to attend with your child to help them pick out gifts.

**Magnets:** Magnets with your child's picture are going home tomorrow. These magnets are \$10 (in provided envelope) if you would like to keep them. Please send them back as soon as possible if you would not like to keep them. These are due by Monday, December 7<sup>th</sup>.

I hope everyone had a great Thanksgiving! It's hard to believe that this year is almost half over. This will be a busy next three weeks!

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