

## December 17th - December 19th

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Language	Spelling words: then, them, these, so, sun, run, fun, bun
(Ms. Burghart)	These words will be tested on Monday, January 7th. Starting this week I will no longer be sounding out each word, and instead will simply repeat the word several times as well as using it in a sentence.
	As always, there will be the option to try spelling 2 bonus words of my choice taken from last week's list of words.
	Writing: The students continue writing in their journals this week. They will be writing about what they did over the weekend. We will be focusing on using uppercase and lowercase letter appropriately and ensuring we have a period at the end of our sentences. Students will also start working in their explode the code book which looks at breaking down sounds of words and using different strategies in order to read words.  Reading: As a class, we will be reading stories and discussing the beginning, middle and end of the story.
	<b>Home Reading:</b> Students will receive a book in their homework folders to read throughout the week. Students are also encouraged to read using Raz Kids.
Math (Ms. Burghart)	This week in math we will finish our unit on patterning with some fun holiday patterning games!
Physical Education (Mr. Fretz)	Students will be taking part in movement games and activities to build movement and instructional skills. They will be continuing directional running during activities and will be working to complete tasks based on verbal and visual instructions. On Friday the class will be taking part in activities to earn House Points for their designated house (Torrin, Malliag, Kyleakin).
Art (Ms. Burghart)	No class this week!
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(Ms. Murphy)	
French (Mme. Israil)	This week students will continue review the alphabet and will learn more words on letter V and W. Students will be assigned to complete some worksheets that have a letter and a word that involves coloring. sk students will keep learning some French expressions that are essential for a french Classroom. Will be introduced to christmas words and activities.
Science (Ms. Burghart)	This will be our last week on energy. We will review what we have learned so far and take home our pinwheels.
Health (Mr. Fretz)	Students will be taking part in a personal safety unit. They will finish their "Winter Safety" activity pages and posters this week.
Computers (Ms. Burghart)	No class this week!
Media Arts (Ms. Desa)	No class this week!
<b>Drama</b> (Ms. Burghart)	This week in drama we will be playing some fun holiday themed games, including dancing to holiday music while incorporating some of our new dance moves.