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1st Grade News

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### Timber Drive Elementary School

Monday, Dec. 11, 2017

Curriculum Corner

Reading: In reading we are looking at text features in nonfiction text and answering “I wonder” questions that we can pose to ourselves while we read. We will be working with Magic e at the end of words and making long vowel sounds in Letterland.

Writing: We are writing “how to” pieces where the students write informative/explanatory texts in which they name a topic, supply the steps for the topic, and provide some sense of closure for an activity they know how to do.

Math: In math students are learning to tell time. We are learning times on the hour and half hour on both, analog and digital clocks.

Social Studies: We are continuing our Social Studies unit compare the languages, traditions and holidays of various cultures. Students are traveling around the world, looking at holiday traditions in different countries,

Our student teacher, Ms. Stewart’s last day is this Friday. We have enjoyed having her in our class☺

**Mark Your Calendars!**

\*Wednesday, December 20th- Polar Express Day- students wear PJ’s to school

\*Thursday, December 21st- Early Release 1:15; Track out begins

\*Monday, January 22nd – Students Track-In

\*Friday, January 26th- Report Cards go home

Winter Weather

With the season ready to change and the weather getting colder, please make sure you are dressing your child appropriately. Our plan is to go out for recess daily unless the weather is wet or extremely cold.