

# DECEMBER 2024

## PRE-SCHOOL ROOM

**Calendar Definitions**  
**Music** - Song or Poem / **Art** - Art related projects  
**Vocabulary (Vocab)** - Theme and project related words  
**Math or Science (MoS)** - Math and Science related concepts  
**Enrichment (Enrich)** - Additional enrichment to better understand the theme such as enhancing fine motor skills  
**Print Concepts (PC)** - To encompass all Literacy; Letter of the Week, Sight Words (SW) & Colors  
**Gross Motor Skills (GMS)** - includes outdoor play - done daily  
**Social** - Social/Emotional concepts/activities, Centers Play, Dramatic Play - done daily

### EVENTS

**Tuesday, December 3**  
 Tea Party Social

**Friday, December 20**  
 Scotty's Holiday Party

Look for the Party Sign-up in your child's room.  
 Please bring a \$5 unisex gift for your child to exchange.

**Monday, December 23 through Friday, December 27**  
 CENTER IS CLOSED FOR OUR WINTER VACATION SHUTDOWN

**Tuesday, December 31**  
 Scotty's will close at 2pm today in observance of NYE

**Wednesday, January 1, 2025**  
 Scotty's is CLOSED in observance of New Year's Day

**Every Monday is Español Day**  
 with the introduction of Spanish words relative to the day's activities

**First Tuesday of the Month is our Tea Party Social**  
 with the introduction of manners and social skills


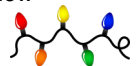
















**Third Friday of the Month is Show & Tell**  
 this is a time for children to work on their communication skills

**Everyday is Music Time and Friday is when we will gather**  
 and assemble our week's projects and worksheets to take home

Each day is filled with learning activities supplemental to the written calendar.  
 Children participate in reading, singing, sensory play, gross and fine motor play, science, creative movement, dramatic play and much more.



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<p><b>2</b> NAVIDAD EN AMÉRICA (CHRISTMAS IN AMERICA)</p> <p><u>Music:</u> Five Little Reindeer  <u>Art:</u> Fork Painted Christmas Tree  <u>Vocab:</u> Árbol de Navidad (Christmas Tree)  <u>PC:</u> Letter: Nn  <u>Color:</u> Green, Red &amp; Yellow  <u>SW:</u> Get &amp; Have</p> 	<p><b>3</b> CHRISTMAS IN AMERICA          TEA PARTY SOCIAL</p> <p><u>Music:</u> Five Little Reindeer  <u>Art:</u> Toilet Paper Roll Christmas Lights  <u>Vocab:</u> Christmas Lights  <u>Enrich:</u> Christmas Tracing  <u>PC:</u> Letter: Nn  <u>Color:</u> Green, Red &amp; Yellow  <u>SW:</u> Get &amp; Have</p> 	<p><b>4</b> CHRISTMAS IN AMERICA</p> <p><u>Music:</u> Five Little Reindeer  <u>Art:</u> Straw Christmas Wreath  <u>Vocab:</u> Wreath  <u>PC:</u> Letter: Nn  <u>Color:</u> Green, Red &amp; Yellow  <u>SW:</u> Get &amp; Have</p> 	<p><b>5</b> CHRISTMAS IN AMERICA</p> <p><u>Music:</u> Five Little Reindeer  <u>Art:</u> Christmas Ornament Symmetry Painting  <u>Vocab:</u> Ornament  <u>MoS:</u> Christmas Counting  <u>PC:</u> Letter: Nn  <u>Color:</u> Green, Red &amp; Yellow  <u>SW:</u> Get &amp; Have</p> 	<p><b>6</b> CHRISTMAS IN AMERICA</p> <p><u>Music:</u> Five Little Reindeer  <u>Art:</u> Patterned Candy Cane  <u>Vocab:</u> Candy Cane  <u>PC:</u> Letter: Nn  <u>Color:</u> Green, Red &amp; Yellow  <u>SW:</u> Get &amp; Have</p> 
<p><b>9</b> FIESTAS EN DICIEMBRE (HOLIDAYS IN DECEMBER)</p> <p><u>Music:</u> Dreidel, Dreidel, Dreidel  <u>Art:</u> Christmas Cards  <u>Vocab:</u> Tarjetas (Cards)  <u>PC:</u> Letter: Oo  <u>Color:</u> Blue  <u>SW:</u> Get &amp; Have</p> 	<p><b>10</b> HOLIDAYS IN DECEMBER</p> <p><u>Music:</u> Dreidel, Dreidel, Dreidel  <u>Art:</u> My Own Dreidel  <u>Vocab:</u> Hannukah &amp; Dreidel  <u>PC:</u> Letter: Oo  <u>Color:</u> Blue  <u>SW:</u> Get &amp; Have</p> 	<p><b>11</b> HOLIDAYS IN DECEMBER</p> <p><u>Music:</u> Dreidel, Dreidel, Dreidel  <u>Art:</u> Paper Plate Menorah  <u>Vocab:</u> Shammesh  <u>PC:</u> Letter: Oo  <u>Color:</u> Blue  <u>SW:</u> Get &amp; Have</p> 	<p><b>12</b> HOLIDAYS IN DECEMBER</p> <p><u>Music:</u> Dreidel, Dreidel, Dreidel  <u>Art:</u> Popsicle Stick Kinara  <u>Vocab:</u> Kwanzaa &amp; Kinara  <u>PC:</u> Letter: Oo  <u>Color:</u> Blue  <u>SW:</u> Get &amp; Have</p> 	<p><b>13</b> HOLIDAYS IN DECEMBER</p> <p><u>Music:</u> Dreidel, Dreidel, Dreidel  <u>Art:</u> Santa Name Hat  <u>Vocab:</u> Santa Claus  <u>PC:</u> Letter: Oo  <u>Color:</u> Blue  <u>SW:</u> Get &amp; Have</p> 
<p><b>16</b> NAVIDAD (CHRISTMAS)</p> <p><u>Music:</u> Jingle Bells  <u>Art:</u> Holiday Present  <u>Vocab:</u> El Regalo (Present)  <u>PC:</u> Letter: Pp  <u>Color:</u> Green &amp; Red  <u>SW:</u> Get &amp; Have</p> 	<p><b>17</b> CHRISTMAS</p> <p><u>Music:</u> Jingle Bells  <u>Art:</u> Holiday Present  <u>Vocab:</u> Stocking  <u>PC:</u> Letter: Pp  <u>Color:</u> Green &amp; Red  <u>SW:</u> Get &amp; Have</p> 	<p><b>18</b> CHRISTMAS</p> <p><u>Music:</u> Jingle Bells  <u>Art:</u> Holiday Free Art  <u>Vocab:</u> Mistletoe  <u>PC:</u> Letter: Pp  <u>Color:</u> Green &amp; Red  <u>SW:</u> Get &amp; Have</p> 	<p><b>19</b> CHRISTMAS</p> <p><u>Music:</u> Jingle Bells  <u>Art:</u> Holiday Free Art  <u>Vocab:</u> Reindeer  <u>PC:</u> Letter: Pp  <u>Color:</u> Green &amp; Red  <u>SW:</u> Get &amp; Have</p> 	<p><b>20</b> CHRISTMAS</p> <p><b>HOLIDAY PARTY</b>          Please look for Party sign-up          Holiday Movie          and Gift Exchange          (\$5 UNISEX GIFT)</p>
<p><b>23</b> CENTER CLOSED FOR WINTER VACATION</p>	<p><b>24</b> CENTER CLOSED FOR WINTER VACATION</p>	<p><b>25</b> CENTER CLOSED FOR WINTER VACATION</p>	<p><b>26</b> CENTER CLOSED FOR WINTER VACATION</p>	<p><b>27</b> CENTER CLOSED FOR WINTER VACATION</p>
<p>Scotty's is closed this week for our Winter Vacation Shutdown</p> <p>We wish everyone a Merry Christmas!</p> <p>We will reopen on Monday, December 30th</p>				
<p><b>30</b> HIELO Y NIEVE (ICE &amp; SNOW)</p> <p><u>Music:</u> The Snow is Falling Down  <u>Art:</u> My Own Snow Globe  <u>Vocab:</u> Nieve (Snow)  <u>Enrich:</u> Shaving Cream Snow  <u>PC:</u> Letter: Qq  <u>Color:</u> White  <u>SW:</u> Get &amp; Have</p> 	<p><b>31</b> ICE &amp; SNOW</p> <p><u>Music:</u> The Snow is Falling Down  <u>Art:</u> Snowflake Tear Art  <u>Vocab:</u> Snowflake  <u>MoS:</u> Life Cycle of a Snowflake  <u>PC:</u> Letter: Qq  <u>Color:</u> White  <u>SW:</u> Get &amp; Have</p>  <p><b>CENTER CLOSING AT 2PM TODAY!</b></p>	<p><b>1</b> CENTER CLOSED NEW YEARS OBSERVANCE</p> <p><b>CENTER CLOSED IN OBSERVANCE OF NEW YEARS!</b></p> 	<p><b>2</b> ICE &amp; SNOW</p> <p><u>Music:</u> The Snow is Falling Down  <u>Art:</u> Painting Ice  <u>Vocab:</u> Ice  <u>Enrich:</u> Icicle Cutting Practice  <u>PC:</u> Letter: Qq  <u>Color:</u> White  <u>SW:</u> Get &amp; Have</p> 	<p><b>3</b> ICE &amp; SNOW</p> <p><u>Music:</u> The Snow is Falling Down  <u>Vocab:</u> Winter  <u>GMS:</u> Winter Movement Activity Cube  <u>Social:</u> Show &amp; Tell  <u>PC:</u> Letter: Qq  <u>Color:</u> White  <u>SW:</u> Get &amp; Have</p> 