

Hello parents; here is your December news.

1. I am excited to let you know that we successfully completed all of the requirements needed to become reaccredited with UMAP, the United Methodist Association of Preschools. This accreditation qualifies us for Florida's Gold Seal. We are now a Gold Seal school for 3 more years. Thanks for your support and for partnering with us to help make Trinity the best we can be.
2. **VERY IMPORTANT** (Yes, I wrote that in all caps, and yes, I was yelling it! Hahaha!): Please take your child's temperature at home before you leave each day, and if it is 100 or more, please stay home. We will no longer take temps at drop off, but will continue to take them throughout the day. Thank you parents for keeping your children at home when they are not feeling well.
3. Please label all of your child's belongings so that we can help keep track of them. This is especially helpful with jackets, hats, and gloves, now that the cooler weather has arrived.
4. Do you have any of our yellow school blankets? We use these blankets as a back-up at naptime if you forget one; we originally had six and are now down to only one. They are yellow and have TUMP written in marker on them.
5. At times, (especially at Christmas) parents ask me what their child's teachers likes and favorite things are. When we are not in a pandemic, parents can enter the building and look at the staff wall where we have posted a little bio on each member. Because you cannot do that now, I have summed up their bio's and attached it as a PDF.
6. Save the date: Monday, December 13 is GIFT DAY. The kids are working hard on making something special for you!
7. Would anyone like to take home the VPK class pet Jingle? ☺ Please let me know ASAP; thank you.
8. Please mark your calendars; we have changed our January teacher planning day from the 15th to the 19th in order to align with Leon County Schools. This is done as a courtesy for our families who have children in the county school system.

Dates to remember:

2020

December 18	Last day of school for 2020
December 21-31	School is closed for Christmas break

2021

January 1-4	School is closed for Christmas break
January 5	Students return to school for 2021 school year!
January 15	We are OPEN (this was previously a Teacher Planning Day)
January 18	MLK Holiday; school is closed
January 19	Teacher Planning; school is closed
February 15	Presidents Day; school is closed
March 15-19	Spring Break; school is closed

"Finally, be strong in the Lord and in the strength of his might." [Ephesians 6:10](#)

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