

## EARLY CHILDHOOD NEWSLETTER

### WEEK OF NOVEMBER 27, 2023

THEME: We finished working on our unit based on the story *If You Give a Mouse a Cookie*. We also began working on our holiday theme.

CONCEPTS INTRODUCED: We introduced the letter G this week. We worked on counting skills, color and shape matching and stringing beads.

CLASSROOM ACTIVITIES: We made goldfish for the letter G. We made December placemats and we will be having fun with Mrs. Z in our sensory motor group on Thursday. We will also complete the letter G page in our letter book.

NEXT WEEK'S THEME: Next week, we will begin working on our unit based on the story *Corduroy* by Don Freeman. We will continue working on our holiday theme and introduce the letter H.

IMPORTANT MESSAGES: Our gingerbread house event will take place next Monday, December 4, at 10:00 AM in the gym. Students will arrive at their normal time and adults/younger siblings are invited to meet us in the gym at 10:00. If parents cannot attend, we encourage you to ask a grandparent/aunt/uncle, etc. to attend! We look forward to seeing everyone for this fun holiday event!

#### SAVE THE DATE:

- **Monday, December 4** – Parent Involvement – Gingerbread Houses – 10:00.
- **Tuesday, December 5** – Pictures with Santa
- **Thursday, December 21** – No EC/Preschool Classes – District Early Dismissal Day
- **Friday, December 22 – Monday, January 8** – Winter Break
- **Tuesday, January 9** – Classes Resume
- **Monday, January 15** – No School – Martin Luther King Jr. Day
- **Friday, January 26** – Field Trip – Oak Lawn Children's Museum – more info to follow soon

