

Thunderbird Flyer

January 2026



SAVE THE DATE

Parent/Teacher Conferences will be held on February 5th & 6th. There will be no school for students on those days. Information will be coming home soon with instructions on how to sign up for a time slot.

REGISTRATION 2026-2027

In-house registration for the 2026-2027 school year begins this month. Be sure to turn in your registration by Friday, January 23rd in order to take advantage of our priority registration. Registration will open up to Thunderbird alumni the following week, and then open up to the community the week after that. Please call the office if you have any questions.

REMINDERS

Unless it is slushy or particularly frigid, children do not need to wear their boots or snow pants to walk from the car into school. However, when the wind chill factor is above 20 degrees and the conditions are right for playing in the snow, we will allow time at the end of class to bundle up and play outside. On these days, we will send a text reminding you to bring snow pants and boots in their new blue bags, along with hats and mittens. Please label everything! You would be surprised at how many children have identical boots, snow pants, mittens, hats and jackets too! Thank you!

INCOME TAX INFO

Thunderbird Preschool, LLC Federal Tax ID: 26-0458906

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Happy New Year!

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
12/28	12/29	12/30	12/31	1/1	1/2	1/3

WINTER BREAK

1/4 WINTER FUN R r	1/5 PAJAMA DAY & Hot Cocoa  ABC Show & Tell Introducing the letter "Rr"	1/6 SNOWFLAKES  Seriation Project & Borax Experiment	1/7 “SNOW” MUCH FUN!  Snowflake painting	1/8 <u>Snowmen at Night</u>  Snowman story sequencing	1/9 FREEZING BRING ICE MOLDS  Making ice castles	1/10
1/11 ARCTIC ANIMALS M m	1/12 Vision & Hearing All About Arctic Animals  Introducing the letter "Mm"	1/13 Animals at the South Pole Penguins  Penguin project	1/14 Animals at the North Pole Polar Bears  Blubber Science	1/15 NO SCHOOL Teacher In-service Day	1/16 <u>Time To Sleep</u> <i>Story and Dramatization</i> Journals: What Arctic animal would you be?	1/17
1/18 UNDER THE SEA Review	1/19 NO SCHOOL 	1/20 What is an Ocean?  Ocean science experiment	1/21 What is a Coral Reef?  Coral reef sculptures	1/22 Large animals in the ocean  Painting with rollers	1/23 Animals in Shells  Watercolor shells Journals: What ocean animal would you be?	1/24
1/25 A VACATION TO HAWAII D d	1/26 Packing for a trip to Hawaii  Introducing the letter "Dd"	1/27 Flying to Hawaii  Stringing Leis Mystery Guest 	1/28 Things To Do in Hawaii  Painting SurfBoards	1/29 Hawaiian Culture  Tasting foods from Hawaii & graphing our favorites	1/30 Wear swimsuit over clothes Volcano Demonstration  Writing Postcards	1/31

January Song Sheet for Seniors/Super 5's



SIX LITTLE PENGUINS



Six little penguins off an iceberg did dive.
One bumped his beak, then there were five.



Five little penguins swam the ocean floor.
One saw a whale, then there were four.



Four little penguins climbed out of the sea.
One stayed in, then there were three.



Three little penguins, with nothing to do.
One went fishing, then there were two.



Two little penguins, having lots of fun.
One fell in the water, then there was one.



One little penguin, when the day was done.
Went home to sleep, then there were none.



I'M A LITTLE SNOWMAN

(Tune: "I'm a Little Teapot")

I'm a little snowman, short and fat.
Here is my broomstick, here is my hat.
When the sun comes out, I melt away.
Down, down, down, whoops...
I'm a puddle!!



HELLO & GOODBYE SONG

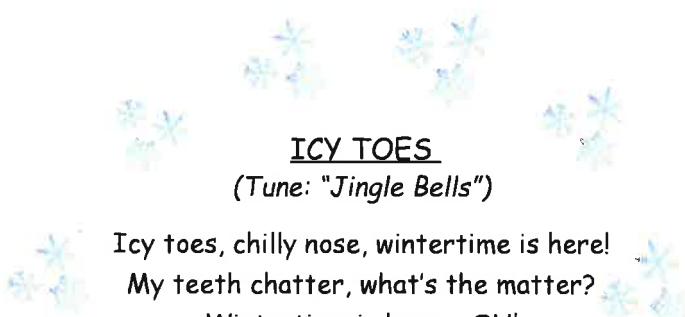
(Tune: "Happy Birthday")

Aloha (ah-low-ha) to you, Aloha to you,
Aloha, means hello, Aloha to you.
(Repeat the verse above but
this time say "means goodbye".)

SNOWFLAKES FALLING

(Tune: "Mary Had A Little Lamb")

Snowflakes falling from the sky,
from the sky, from the sky.
Snowflakes falling from the sky,
to the earth below.
Watch them as they dance and whirl,
dance and whirl, dance and whirl.
Watch them as they dance and whirl,
soft white winter snow.



ICY TOES

(Tune: "Jingle Bells")

Icy toes, chilly nose, wintertime is here!
My teeth chatter, what's the matter?
Wintertime is here... OH!
Icy toes, chilly nose, wintertime is here!
My teeth chatter, what's the matter?
Wintertime is here!

Creative Learning is...

Super Tots

Discovering

When children enter the classroom, one of the first things they do is look around the room to see what is new. These Super Tots were delighted to discover a new Gingerbread & Coffee Shop to enjoy! They eagerly lined up as customers and took turns baking and working the register.



Juniors

Strengthening

Tearing and cutting paper are both great ways to strengthen fine motor muscles. Holiday wrapping paper made this activity extra festive and inviting.

Creative Learning is...

Seniors

Collaborating

These two Seniors chose to collaborate on an elaborate marker drawing at the easel. You can tell by their smiles, the sense of accomplishment and pride they felt upon completion!



Super 5's

Enjoying

What do you do when there has been a great snowfall, but it is too cold to play outside? You bring the snow inside to enjoy! Super 5's enjoyed putting on mittens and playing in the snow while still staying warm in the classroom.