



DECEMBER NEWS

Important Dates!

December 20th-31st NO SCHOOL for Winter Break
January 17th NO SCHOOL for Martin Luther King Jr. Day

Themes

December is a short month for school...but more time with family! Our December themes:

- Shapes
- Gingerbread

Ideas for Home

Tape Outlines – Stick tape outlines of shapes onto your carpet for kids to trace over with their small toys.

Shape Hunt - Walk around your home to find shapes in the environment (ie, a clock is round like a circle, or a picture frame in the shape of a square/rectangle).

Hide 'n Seek Gingerbread Man Hide a paper cutout of a gingerbread man and have your child find him. Use the opportunity to label objects in the house and for your child to learn prepositional words (ie, The gingerbread man was hiding beneath the table.”

Parent Opportunities

Keep an eye out for information on upcoming trainings to be offered in the coming months!

Topic examples include:

- **Behavior**
- **Communication**
- **Language and Play**

Interested in joining **the EI/ECSE Parent Group**? For more information contact our Parent Lead, Carrie Brown at crose.tafelig@gmail.com
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Program Information

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