



Coosa Elementary School

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Winter Break is quickly approaching! Many of our teachers use the midpoint of the year to celebrate students' accomplishments and hard work. As mentioned in a previous Bobcat Brief, students generally eat prepackage food during these celebrations. We make every effort to ensure students do not consume food in which we know they have a documented allergy. Please make your child's teacher aware, if you prefer for your child to not consume store bought, prepacked items. Student safety is a priority to us.



Chorus Spotlight: At the direction of Ms. Kirk, our Coosa Chorus recorded their culminating winter performance Thursday after school. The Chorus was comprised of 3rd-5th grade students who practiced once a week to prepare for this performance. These students performed "The Dum Dum Song," "Just Sing," and "Winter Wonderland." The Coosa Chorus worked very hard leading up to this concert and we are so proud of them. Watch the performance here:

<https://youtu.be/Mpjmxbkqds>

Leading with Literacy: Students have been busy working on their December Literacy Tracker. All trackers are due on Friday, December 17th.



STEM Showcase: After listening to the story of *Olive, the other Reindeer* by J. Otto Seibold, kindergarten students designed and built their own paper airplanes to help Olive fly. They tested their designs outside to see whose airplane would fly the longest distance.



Holiday Spirit Days: From December 13th-17th

Monday, 12.13.2021- Candy Cane Day- Wear red and white to look like this favorite winter treat.

Tuesday, 12.14.2021- Deck the Halls- Wear your favorite Holiday shirt and /or Holiday socks.

Wednesday, 12.15.2021- Tree Topper/Headband Day- Dig out your Holiday hats/headbands!

Thursday, 12.16.2021- Jingle All the Way!- Add a little jingle to your attire, ie jingle bell bracelet, necklace, garland.













Friday, 12.17.2021- Polar Express Day- Wear your coziest pajamas.

Coosa is...

"Growing great leaders who dream more, learn more, achieve more, become more..."

Angel Tree: Thank you to our families that were able to spread a little holiday cheer to our families in need. Gifts need to be wrapped and dropped off to Ms. Tyson in the front office no later than Monday, December 13th. If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Bossak at 843-322-6123. With your help, we are able to spread a little extra spirit this holiday season!

SIC Meeting: There will not be a SIC Meeting in December. There will be a joint SIC meeting in January. Date is TBD.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
December 13 th	December 14 th	December 15 th	December 16 th	December 17 th
		Deadline for picture purchases	4th Grade – Master Jr. Gardening Class Spirit Night from 4-7: Agave and Tout Sweet Macarons	College Colors Last day of 2nd Quarter FULL Day of School
December 20 th	December 21 st	December 22 nd	December 23 rd	December 24 th
Winter Break Begins 				
December 27 th	December 28 th	December 29 th	December 30 th	December 31 st
				
January 3 rd	January 4 th	January 5 th	January 6 th	January 7 th
		Students return from Winter Break		