

# December

Ms. Olson's 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade  
December 5<sup>th</sup> - 9<sup>th</sup>

## Calendar

- ❖ Tutoring ends December 7<sup>th</sup> (Tuesday)
- ❖ Christmas Program Dec. 13<sup>th</sup>, 6:30 p.m.
- ❖ December 22<sup>nd</sup> – Early Release 1:00
- ❖ Christmas Break: December 23<sup>rd</sup> – January 6<sup>th</sup> NO SCHOOL

## Poem of the Month.

### My Gingerbread House

I made a house of gingerbread.  
It was so sugary sweet.  
It took me all day long to make.  
But lasted just a week.

On Monday I ate the ceiling  
On Tuesday I ate the door.  
On Wednesday I ate the windows.  
On Thursday I ate the floor.  
On Friday I ate all four walls.  
On Saturday I ate the lawn.  
On Sunday I licked up all the crumbs.  
My gingerbread house is gone!



## We are learning cursive . . .

Our upper-case letters are *Z* and *Q*.

## ELA: Literary Text

*Never Kick a Slipper at the Moon/The Rat Princess*  
Building Vocabulary  
Practicing Fluency  
Writing Sentences/ Beginning Paragraphs  
6-Traits Writing: Word Choice  
Getting the Reader's Attention



**Spelling Words.** (Tested on Friday, December 9th)  
fact music until true hole get  
don't direct picnic friend board  
public attend friends truly address  
struck getting liberty raise appear  
enough station whole during  
police request direction August  
September

**Phonograms.** (Tested on Friday, December 9th)  
a e i o u k p s ie pn ed wh the  
o di que w wor dge aigh

## Math.

- Telling and Showing Time to the minute
- Rounding a Number to the Nearest Hundred
- Estimating Sums and Differences of 3-digit Numbers
- Comparing Fractions
- Adding/Subtracting Fractions
- Writing/Comparing Fractions
- Written Assessment 14
- Fact Assessment 14

**Science.** Why does a straw look bent in a glass of water?



"Christmas, my child is love in action. Every time we love, every time we give, it's Christmas." – Dale Evans Rogers