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Sageville Elementary Newsletter

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From the desk of Miss Mac:

Lead by example! Show your children the importance of reading by sharing what you're reading. Talk about this on a daily basis, whether it's something you've read in the newspaper, a magazine, or a book you just can't put down! What about reading the menu when you go out to eat or an appropriate brochure at the doctor's office? Let your child read a special recipe that you make over the holidays. Signs, sign, signs are everywhere. Ask your child to read them and talk about what they mean. Take some time to read during the upcoming winter break. Research states that 500 minutes outside of the school day a month are needed to improve a child's reading!



The Grinch tried to take the preschoolers letters to Santa. Tate saved the day!

Calendar of Events

Monday-December 19

10:00 Gr. 5 DARE

7:00 PTC

Tuesday-December 20

1:00 2J Author Share

Wednesday-December 21

9:15 Celebration Assembly

1:30 4R Inquiry Presentations

Thursday-December 22

1:00 Grs. 3R/3W's Parent

"How To" Presentations

Friday-December 23

No School! Winter Break

begins! See you next year on
Tuesday, January 3rd!

Friday Focus:

- We will be doing the Fact Fluency math module developed by our math content leaders. Mrs. Johnson will be leading our staff.



The Grinch entertains the Martin family at the Preschool Holiday Program!

Counselor Corner...Mrs. Kaiser

During the week of December 12th – 16th I have been in grades 3 thru 5. In third grade we reviewed the characteristics of a short story they learned in second grade, *Snake, Snail and Best Self*. The students were then introduced to new vocabulary and its definition; aggressive, passive and assertive. In fourth grade we reviewed the meaning of aggressive, passive and assertive and took a short quiz, do you have assertive skills? We also discussed what we can do to build on our assertive skills. In fifth grade we reviewed the meaning of aggressive, passive and assertive. Students then were put into small groups and were to make a comic script of one of the definitions. I will be working in small groups next week.

Tips for Parents: Operation New View has some great programs to help families thru the winter and holiday season. Click here to view all services <http://www.operationnewview.org/programs/>

Our celebration assembly is next Wednesday, December 21st at 9:15 a.m. We will focus on our giving theme.

Parents are always welcome to attend our monthly assemblies!



Music Performances for the 2016 – 2017 School Year

March 9 at 6:30pm
Grades 1 & 3

April 20 at 6:30pm
Grades 4 & Choir

May 4 at 6:30pm
Grades K & 2



Kaylee and big brother Cody enjoy a treat at the PreK Program!