



Morningstar Learning Center Newsletter

January 11, 2019



Important Dates

January 15	February Billing Emailed
January 31	February Billing Due
February 1	Spring Quarterly Enrollment DUE!
February 1	Scholarship Applications DUE!
February 11	Late Fees Applied
February 14	MLC Board Meeting @ First Security Bank

Quarterly Enrollment Policy Update

Quarterly Enrollment Policy helps MLC predict long-term staffing and financial needs while allowing families flexibility with scheduling. Families are required to give their enrollment dates 3 months in advance. **MLC's Quarterly enrollment will now be due the 1st of the month**, due to high enrollment needs. In an effort to be accommodating, if families notify MLC 30 days or more in advance of absences (for example: vacations), they will be charged 50% of their tuition.

Spring Quarterly Enrollment (March, April, May) and MLC Scholarship Applications are due February 1st!

January Winter Animals

The **Infant Class** will continue playing with snow this week. They will also be learning all about penguins, what they eat, the noises they make and how they stay warm in the cold arctic waters!

The **Toddler Two's Class** this week will be learning about animals we see in Big Sky during the winter! We will be making some animal art and a special treat for our local birds.

Letter: **J**
Number: **4**
Color: **White**

The **Toddler Three's Class** will be exploring the animals that live underwater in the arctic. We will be swimming with seals and walruses to see how they survive in the cold winter.

Letter: **Jj**
Number: **9**
Color: **Brown**

This week in the **Preschool Class**, our little biologists will be learning about the wild winter animals of Montana that we coexist with in our very own backyards. We will compare and contrast these animals with Arctic and Antarctic animals as well. We will continue the discussion about habitat and what types of homes these animals have.

Letter: **Mm**
Number: **19**
Shape: **Rectangle**
Color: **Brown**
Word of the week: **We**

Director's Desk

Stephanie's Office Hours:
Monday- Friday 8:30am-10am

Lori's Office Hours:
Tuesday & Wednesday 9:30am-11am

Scholastic Book Order

Scholastic Book Orders Book orders are going home today with the oldest child in the family. They are due January 31. If you are interested in ordering online, go to www.scholastic.com and use:

Class Code: TPJZT

Dance Class

This month, and through the spring semester, the dancers will switch their focus from ballet to acrobatics! We will begin class with stretching, some balance drills, and then jumping exercises to warm up our bodies. From there, each month will have one or two particular acrobatic moves to work on. This month it will be somersaults! Each lesson will end with a freeze dance to let the dancers work on the new tricks we have practiced and be creative with musical choices.

Spanish Class

This month is Spanish, Ms. Karla will be teaching the Preschoolers their numbers 1 through 20 as well as continuing to practice colors. The students will also get to play a fun number game called "Mano Nerviosa"

Substitute Today!



SUBBING OPPORTUNITY

If you are interested, or know of anyone interested in subbing at MLC, we would love to have you join the team!

50% off childcare the days you work!

