

January 2018



Teays Valley Child Development Center Newsletter

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*Main office hours are from
8am -5pm daily.*

Dates to remember:

**Be sure to check out the
January calendar for spe-
cial days this month!**



Weekend Service Time-
Sundays at 10:30am

Check out Grouplink-
churchatthedepot.com

Director's News

2018 has arrived! We are excited about what God will be accomplishing this year through us, your children, your families, and the world. As we head into this new year, our prayer is that our relationship with God would grow stronger. May this be a year where the desires of each heart will be met as we delight ourselves in Christ.

Thank you parents for making our Happy Birthday Jesus party a great success! Also, thank you for all the thoughtful gifts and treats for our amazing teachers. They are much appreciated!

During the winter months it is still important that children get plenty of exercise including time outside, when possible. Young children need several loose layers of clothing to keep their little bodies warm. Hats should be worn. Ears and hands should be kept covered to retain body heat. Please donate any hats, gloves or warm coats your children out-grow so we will have extras. Label all your children's items to avoid losing them. Even young toddlers need shoes, coats and hats to be prepared for brief outdoor play times in winter. There are weather guideline charts from the licensing regulations in the classrooms. Teachers follow the guidelines outlining suitable conditions for classes to go outdoors and keep active this winter.

Parent reminder: When Putnam county schools are closed, have a 2 hour delay, or get out early for any reason, TVCDC is still open regular hours. Scott Teays and Eastbrook Elementary students are bused to school from the daycare on 2 hour delay days. Extra charges will be applied to your child's account the following week. If you have any questions, please contact the main office. Thank you!

Tax statements for 2017 will be mailed this month. Please remember to update your personal information in writing with the office to ensure you receive all information and documentation properly.

"Children are a gift from the Lord; they are a reward from Him."

Psalm 127:3 (NLT)

Infants, Toddlers, Twos

Hey parents! The New Year is here!! We hope everyone had a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

With the new year brings a fresh start and a new perspective. We're positive that 2018 is going to be fulfilling and blessed.

Our weekly classroom themes for the month of January are stars/night/astronomy, snowmen, penguins, fish/oceans, and the jungle. Some classes will be reviewing their letters, and the older two year olds will be focusing on the letter D and F. The numbers will be a review

of 1-10. The colors are brown and light blue. Our bible stories for the month of January are *Jesus Calms a Storm* and *Miracles at Sea*. We will be focusing on the character trait of **SELF CONTROL**.

Also a reminder to parents to make sure weather appropriate clothing is provided for their child and that their personal items are labeled. Make sure to check your child's folder daily for important memos, classroom announcements and precious artwork. Thank you for all you do! We greatly appreciate it!!



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Threes, Fours, and Fives

Hello and Happy New Year to all! Thank you for your generosity throughout the Christmas holiday! We thank you most of all for the gift of getting to teach your children about our Savior Jesus as we help them learn and grow. We hope you and your families are off to a wonderful 2018.

In the month of January, our character trait to learn about is **SELF CONTROL**. Our bible focus will first finish up the Christmas season by learning about the three wise men. Then we begin a unit about going fishing in the bible— how the disciples came to follow Jesus, how Jesus can calm the storm, the miracle of the

loaves and fishes, and a miracle at sea. Our weekly themes are snowmen, winter, penguins, fish/oceans, and jungles. Our letters for the month will be Gg, Rr, Ff, and Jj.

The three and four year old classes can use donations of tissues, wet wipes, stickers, small non food treasure items, and gently used or outgrown toys. Thank you in advance!

Please be advised that we will continue to go outside as often as weather permits. Thanks to our WV weather, that can mean anything from wind-breakers to full winter coats with gloves, mittens, and hats. Thank you for bringing your child ready to enjoy the wonders of outside winter fun. Donations of these winter items are

Wet wipe donations appreciated!

Infant teachers:

Ms. Grace, Ms. Wanita, Ms. Demaris, Ms. Vicki, Ms. Angie, Ms. Stacey, Ms. Tiffany, Ms. Gracie

Younger one year old teachers:

Ms. Michelle H., Ms. Sarah C., Ms. Karen, Ms. Sarah B., Ms. Mary

Older one year old teachers:

Ms. Michelle M., Ms. LaDonna, Ms. Karri, Ms. Kayela, Ms. Sue, Ms. Patti

Two year old teachers:

Ms. Kelly, Ms. Alyssa, Ms. Tara, Ms. Laura, Ms. Kinsey, Ms. Bailey, Ms. Leigh Ann

also appreciated!

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Three year old teachers:

Ms. Claire Ms. Chelsie
Ms. Cassi Ms. Amee
Ms. Raven

Four/Five year old teachers:

Ms. Brianne Ms. Melinda
Ms. Kristen
Ms. Marisa
Ms. Kari
Ms. Traci

