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Dear Parents,

Welcome to the Chiki Daycare December Newsletter. We will be providing you with updates on what your children are **learning through play**. Each month, we focus on particular themes, letters, numbers, shapes, and colors. We use various books and games to reinforce the lessons in a fun way.

This Month's Spotlight is on...

Themes Celebrations	Vocabulary Snowflake, Igloo, Boots, Mittens, Gloves, Scarves, Coat
Holidays Christmas, New Year, Chanukah, Kwanzaa.	Science Listen and predict the different sounds produced by bells of different sizes.
Letters G, H, I	Math Count the cookies on the plate for Santa.
Numbers 1, 2, 3, 4, 5	Music Rudolph the Red Nose Reindeer, Jingle Bells, I Wish You a Merry Christmas, Dreidel, Dreidel, Dreidel, Mi Burrito Sabanero.
Shapes Circles, Squares, Rectangles	
Colors Blue, Red, Green	



Upcoming Events

December 22

Join us for refreshments at our Holiday Celebration and Grand Opening of our new classrooms on the second floor.

December 24 - 25

Closed for Christmas Eve and Day.

December 31 – January 1

Closed for New Year's Eve and Day.

Important Announcements

New Classrooms Added

We are excited to announce that we have expanded to add a second floor with two new classrooms for 2 ½ - 5 year olds.

Flu Shots

It's the Law. All children enrolled in a Childcare Center or Pre-K Program must have a yearly flu vaccine. Please bring a record of your child's flu shot by December 31st.

Craft and Snack Ideas

Christmas Craft

Create a Christmas Tree using Triangles for the branches, a Rectangle for the stump, Circles for the ornaments and a Star on top.



Christmas Tree Snacks



Green Grape Christmas Tree

24 Green Grapes (Halved)
1 Raspberry

Broccoli and Grape Tomatoes Tree

1 Small Head of Broccoli
8-10 Small Grape Tomatoes
Use a piece of Stem for Tree Trunk

Sugar Snap Pea Christmas Tree

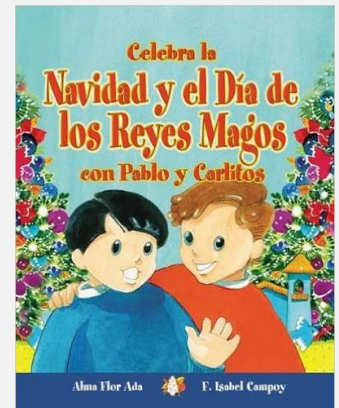
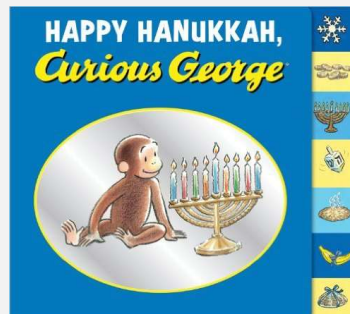
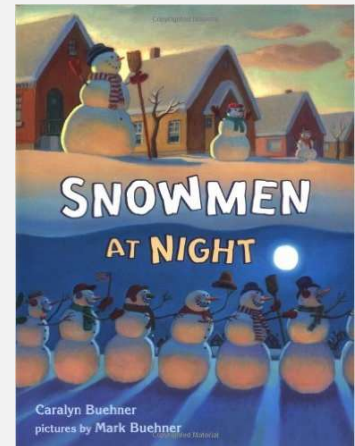
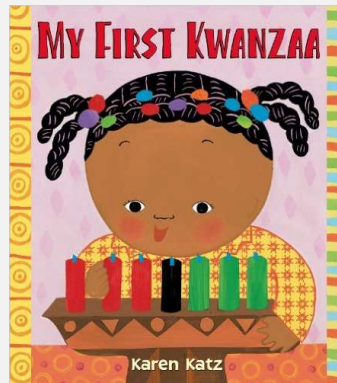
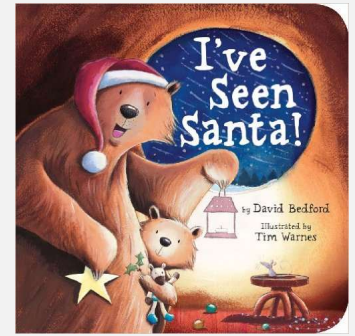
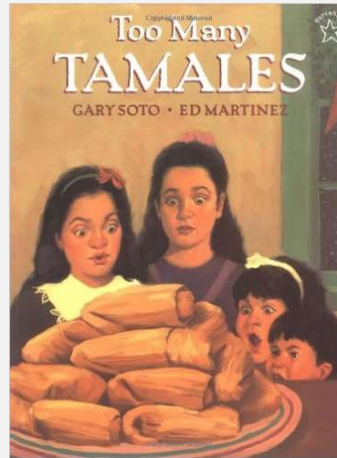
9 Sugar Snap Peas
1 Yellow Bell Pepper (Cut into a Star)

Kiwi Christmas Tree

1 Kiwi
1 Raspberry
Slice the kiwi into rounds.

As seen on sheknows.com

Books We Are Reading



Director's Note:

Thank you for choosing Chiki Daycare!
As always, if you have any questions or concerns,
please do not hesitate to contact us.

Carmen Calle Lugo