

Apple Bee News Letter

#1 Math & Science Academy

December 3, 2018

Cold & Flu Season - Most of the children will sooner or later come down with runny noses or mild fevers. We do our best to monitor every child's condition during the day. It is important that you let the teachers know if your child is sick or is taking medication when you drop off your child. We disinfect the classrooms at least twice a day. If your child is out because he or she is sick and the illness is contagious, please call the office and let us know in case other children show similar symptoms. **Due to state regulations, we are not allowed to dispense over the counter medication.**

Medical excuses - Lately we have had some doctor's excuses stating that students are allowed to return to school; but requesting for them to stay indoors from one to three weeks. A couple of days is possible but more than 3 days is difficult. Especially for the one and two year olds. Most schools will not even allow students to return if they need to be inside so many days. However, we will address all cases on an individual basis. Please stop by the office if you need more information.

Light or Mild fever- Children can attend with proper medication and if you know it is not contagious.

Cold- Student needs to be out at least for 3 days and return with Dr.'s permission

Lice - Child needs to be out at least 2 days.

Pink Eye - Child needs to be out at least 2 days and return with Dr.'s permission.

Chicken pox - Child can return with doctor's permission.

These are just examples of illnesses and the amount of time that the health department requires that they be out for. The list of illnesses is much longer.

Name on personal items- we need to have the children's names on their clothing and especially on their jackets. This prevents mixing up clothing and jackets.

Parents Day - Cookies and Punch - Parents are invited to join the children on Wednesday December 19, 2018 from 10:00 AM to 11:00 AM.

Christmas Party - The students will have a party on December 20, 2018. The teachers will put out a sheet for parents to sign up for food and drinks. Children may wear festive attire.

Christmas Holidays - The Center will close on Friday December 21, Monday December 24 and Tuesday December 25. Classes will resume on Wednesday December 26.

Uniforms- First of all, thank you to all those parents that always make the extra effort to make sure that their children wear the correct uniform everyday. While this is not required, some parents have purchased Apple Bee jackets and sweaters for their children. Our school uniforms are part of what makes Apple Bee unique. The uniform is required everyday. During cold days boys can only wear plain navy blue under shirts and girls may only wear plain white under shirts. Girls may also wear PLAIN navy blue or white socks, stockings, or leggings. **No Warm ups.** You may view our displays in the hallway for the proper school uniform for boys and girls. Your child will not be allowed to stay if he or she is not wearing the school uniform. Uniforms are now a common requirement in all local public schools. Please do not tell the teacher that your child is not wearing the uniform because you didn't get a chance to wash or that you have the right to leave your child because you are paying. A good number of our students will end up going to other private schools that also require uniforms and you will also be paying.

Just a Friendly Reminder - WE ask that parents **not go** into the classroom especially for the baby's class. Some parents bring other older children with them and get the students riled up. Knock and wait by the door for the teacher to bring your bundle of joy to the door.

Tutorials - Apple Bee has been offering after school tutorials since 1990. We were surprised to hear that some of our parents did not know.

Thank you,
The Grinch
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