

# JANUARY NEWS

## FROM MACEDONIA CHAPEL PRESCHOOL



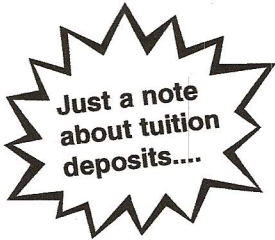
The entire staff of Macedonia Chapel Preschool wishes each one of you and your families a very happy and healthy New Year. We are glad to welcome back your children after the Christmas holiday. We hope it was a safe and blessed one for all of you.

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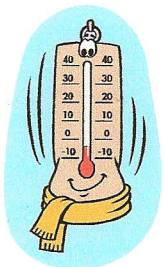
### Preschool Registration For Fall, 2012, Will Begin On Monday, Jan. 30.

Registration will be open for current students and their siblings, as well as Macedonia U.M. Church members. **If you wish to register your child for next fall, please do so during the week of January 30, to ensure your first choice of class times.** Class choices for 3's include: M-W-F mornings or T-Th mornings. Class choices for 4's include: T-Th mornings, M-W-F mornings, or M-T-W-Th-F mornings. Children must be either 3 or 4 by September 30, 2012. All students must be potty trained by the first day of school. All new students must present a birth certificate or valid passport at the time of registration. Also, a non-refundable \$50 registration fee is due when you register your child. **Please let friends and neighbors know that registration will be open to the general public beginning Feb. 6.**

**\*\*\*\*\*Be watching for more information to come home soon!**



I have had questions from parents about your tuition checks taking so long to clear the bank and to appear on your bank statements. Our treasurer volunteers his time to take care of financial matters for the school, and deposits the checks only once a month. Even though tuition is due by the 10th of the month, it may take a while for it to show up in your statement. I try to give the treasurer all the checks for the month at one time, so it may take a while, or go into the next month. Please be patient with this, and if you have a question about us receiving your check, don't hesitate to call or stop by the office to ask.



**Please dress your child in warm winter coats, hats, and mittens when the weather is cold. We do go outside to play, except when it is bitter cold, or snow or ice is on the ground.**

**Please make sure that your child always has spare clothes in his backpack that are appropriate for the season.**

**Remember:** If FCPS is closed or has a 1 hour delay, so will we. If there is a 2 hour delay, we generally will be closed. Please listen to our answering machine (after 8:00 a.m.) if you are in doubt. We also post on on local channel 3 news. Check their website for closing information at: [www.tv3winchester.com](http://www.tv3winchester.com)

### January Reminders:

- January 16- NO SCHOOL (Martin Luther King's birthday)
- January 17 - NO SCHOOL (FCPS work day)
- January 30 - Fall registration for current students begins



**Food for Thought:**

Mary had a little lamb, she also had the flu.  
And when she went to preschool, her classmates got it too!  
So anytime your child is sick, please keep him home with you.  
Then the children in our preschool will be healthy too!