



Pre-K & PEP January 2026 News



Events

January 1 & 2 : NO SCHOOL

**January 19: Martin Luther King
Jr. Day NO SCHOOL**

**January 13: Family Health and
Wellness Night 6:00-7:30pm**

**January 26: NO SCHOOL
Grading and Planning End of
Marking Period 2**

CKLA Reading

Children love learning about and seeing pictures of animals, and we will continue learning more about animals in the coming weeks. Your child will learn about baby animals and their mothers. S/he will also learn about groups of animals, such as birds, insects, fish, and mammals.

Eureka Math

- Students will arrange and count up to groups of 9 objects in a linear, array, and circular configurations to answer how many questions. *Array configurations have the same number of objects in each row.
- Students will identify pre-written numerals 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, and 9.
- Students will make a group of objects to match a given numeral 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, and 9.
- Students will use tally marks to count up to 9 objects. Tally marks helps students see numbers 6, 7, 8, and 9 as a group of 5 and some more. For example number 8 can be made of a group of 5 and 3 more.



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Fine Motor Practice

- Finger paint
- Thread pasta on string
- Transfer objects with tongs or tweezers
- Peeling off labels
- Rip paper
- Play with jackets or clothes with zippers for zipping practice

Rhyming Practice

Rhyming: “What rhymes with **boat**?” (goat, coat).

Use everyday objects: “We have a **chair**—what rhymes with chair?” (bear, hair).

Finish my sentence: “I see a cat wearing a ____.” (hat!)

Reminders/Recordatorios

- Send in a water bottle labeled with child's name
Envía las botellas de agua con el nombre del niño.
- Label all coats, hats, gloves and scarves
Etiqueta todos los abrigos, sombreros, guantes y bufandas.
- Please check folders every evening and remove papers
Por favor, revisen las carpetas todas las tardes y retiren los papeles.
- Send in a change of clothes that is winter appropriate
Envía un cambio de ropa adecuada para el invierno.