

**Dec. b-days**

1 – Mrs. Woosley

4 – Fritz

15 – King

24 - Melissa

Dec. 4- Dec.8

**Important Dates:**

**Dec. 12 – ELA Checkpoint**

 **Bojangles Night**

**Dec. 13 – Math Checkpoint**

**Dec. 14 – Science Checkpoint?**

 **1st & 2nd Christmas Program 6 pm**

**Dec. 19 – ½ Day & Holiday Party**

**Dec. 20-Jan. 3 – Winter Break**

**Spelling Words**

NO spelling words this week!

**Vocabulary Words**

**behavior**– the way something or someone acts

**curious**– wanting to know something

**imitated** – copied or did the same thing as someone else

**motion–**moving around

**illness** – being sick or not feeling well

**silence –** totally quiet; no noise

**darkness –** no light

**knowledge** – information or facts

**Story of the Week**

*Helen Keller*

**Tutoring**

**Dates**

**Monday, Dec. 4**

**YES**

**Tuesday, Dec. 5**

**YES**

**Thursday, Dec.7**

**YES**

Wow! What wonderful birthday surprises I had on Friday! Thank you for your generous surprises! I had some beautiful cards/letters.

This week we will be starting our day with reviews for Checkpoints. It is very important for your child to be here and on time. We have also had some behavior issues. Please remind your students that we still have 2+ weeks of school left. I know that this is an exciting time of year, but the rules and procedures will not change.

In reading this week, we are going to read a story about Helen Keller. We will talk about biographies and autobiographies. We will also talk about how technology for the deaf/blind has changed over the years.

We will do our math subtraction review tomorrow, and take a test on Wednesday. Starting Thursday, we will use what we have learned to begin adding and subtracting 3-digit numbers.

If anyone has questions or concerns, please call me! My planning is from 12:00-1:00 each day. E-mail works as well woosleym@jcschools.org. If you need to call, my cell number is 483-0933 (Please do not call after 9:00 pm)

**Homework Information!!!**

This week: Every night your child will bring home sections of previous checkpoints. Please, please, please, DO NOT help with or check this homework. If a student does not understand something, I need to know so that I can pull them for additional help. Thanks!!

**\*\*\*\* The reading on the ELA homework can count as the 20 min. of reading \*\*\*\***

Our holiday party will be held on Dec. 19 (the ½ day). I will need parent volunteers to help set up and clean up that day. I will also be sending home a sign-up sheet for food. Since it is a half day (and we won’t have lunch) I usually try to have actual food (not only cookies, cupcakes, etc). In the past I have supplied the pizza, chicken nuggets, etc. and the parents have sent in the rest. School rules state that all food items have to be store bought. If you have any ideas or suggestions feel free to e-mail me. Thanks!

**Special Area Schedule**

**Monday**-PE(don’t forget your sneakers!)

 **Tuesday**- Library

**Wednesday**- Computer

 **Thursday**- Art

**Friday**- Music

Woosley News