

Mrs. DiGiovanni's 4th Grade Class Newsletter  
December 13-17 / 20-22  
2021



### Dates to Remember

Dec. 15..Christmas program  
Dec. 16...4th Grade Mass  
Dec. 17...Caroling at hi-rise  
Dec.. 22...2-hour early out  
Dec. 23...Christmas break  
Jan. 3.....School resumes



### Spelling words

Plurals of nouns ending in Y  
Puppies railways kidneys  
Hobbies journeys memories  
Keys varieties valleys  
Skies families countries  
Trays flies surveys  
Delays parties essays  
Candies supplies

### Review words:

Always mountain slouch

### Challenge words

Responsibilities  
opportunities

### Spelling Words

#### Homophones

Two too to  
Buy by bye  
No know here hear

#### Review words

Danger going huge

#### Star words

Where wear

#### Sight Words

Mountains carry young  
White river

### What are we studying?

**Reading:** We are reading the book, "The Best Christmas Pageant Ever" by Barbara Robinson. We are doing comprehension and vocabulary activities that go along with it.

**Spelling, Grammar, Writing:** Spelling words are listed in the boxes on this page. After a pretest on Mondays, we have spelling packets to complete during the week, and a final spelling test on Fridays.

**Grammar skills** are worked on in lessons, and also in the writing that we do. We will be **writing** about our family Christmas traditions.

**Math:** We are working on long division. We continue to review basic facts, and also multidigit multiplication.

**Social Studies:** We are learning about the Northeast Region of the United States...its geography, climate, natural resources, industries, cities, people, etc. We made flashcards of the states and capitals and test each other.

**Science:** We are studying the chapter on "Properties of Matter", as well as spending some time making Christmas crafts.

**Religion:** We are doing Advent activities. We continue reading Bible stories. We will learn Bible verses, and will journal about how God's word can guide us in our daily lives.

There will be no  
spelling Dec. 20-22



### Bible Verse of the Week

"Be kind and  
compassionate to one  
another, forgiving each  
other, just as in Christ,  
God forgave you."

Ephesians 4:32