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Dear Parents,

This will be our last newsletter of the year! With only 4 ½ weeks left of school, we are focusing on having lots of fun in afterschool! Our students are still attending tutoring sessions and clubs with their teachers, but our last Project Based Learning Theme is: In the Kitchen – which means cooking and food experiments. Our students will learn how to make their own butter, make potato stamps, pop a corn on the cob, and have a special last week of school.

Some housekeeping: if for some reason you have not completed your parent survey for 21CCLC, please see Ms. Christina. We need to have these done as soon as possible! These surveys are a requirement for families in the 21CCLC program, just like parent workshops. Please plan to attend our last parent workshop on May 15th from 5:15-6PM in the media center.

We cannot believe the year is almost through and we want to thank you for partnering with us in our first year of 21CCLC. We look forward to next year being better and brighter!

Ms. Christina and the Afterschool Staff



Upcoming Events

May 15 – Family Workshop

May 27- No School

May 30 – Last day of School

Ways to Prevent Summer Slide

- Read EVERY day! Read non-fiction, fiction, ebooks, poetry, newspapers and read out loud! Most libraries have a wonderful summer reading program with incentives and rewards for books read over the summer.
- Cook with your children. This is one of the best ways to integrate math, reading and following directions.
- Plant a garden. Your child will gain responsibility and pride as they watch their plants grow and thrive.
- Take a field trip to a museum, zoo or local park with walking trails.
- Learn a new word each week! Hang it on the fridge and see who can use it the most times throughout the week.
- Enroll in a quality summer program that will provide your child with opportunities to build their critical thinking skills.
- Play quick games with flashcards like Math War or Concentration to keep math skills sharp.
- Listen to Audio Books during your road trip.
- Take pictures and make a summer scrapbook.
- Did I mention READ?! If your child does nothing else this summer make sure he/she is reading!

-Little Scholars, 2016