

# BASA: North

Mims Elementary

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Dear Parents,

The badges we will be working on in December are Puzzle Piece and Investigator. We will be mixing and Counting Colors, Memory games, talk about Self Awareness and Getting to know New Friends, and for Art we will look at Stone Age paintings and Ole Lost Mines.

Remember Christmas break is December 21, 2020 - January 3, 2021. School will resume on January 4<sup>th</sup>.

We look forward to seeing you all and getting started again in January.

## Brevard After School Website

Don't forget to go to the Brevard After School 21<sup>st</sup> CCLC website to get the latest information including newsletters, pictures of students completing challenges, workshop schedules and information, and updates from the Semi-Annual Advisory Board Meetings.



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## Upcoming Events

Winter Break  
December 21-January 3

## What you can do to promote early learning

1. Play with your child and provide opportunities for them to play. Play is essential for healthy brain development.
2. Turn off the TV. A young child's brain is largely shaped by his/her development. Children need activities that stimulate the frontal lobe by involving all the senses, not just passive viewing.
3. Read and talk to your child. Phonemic awareness of sound comes from listening to the human voice.
4. Model the joy of learning and discovery. Go to parks, the beach, zoos and take children on walks. These types of activities stimulate early learning.
5. Connect with your child. Connections boost children's brain potential, encourages cooperation, promotes learning and literacy, increases attention, decreases power struggles and builds loving bonds.

Becky Bailey

**We are all like a snowflake in our own different way.  
-Unknown**

