



Brevard After School Academy: North

Oak Park Elementary

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Dear Parents,

This will be a short month due to the Winter Break. We have been working on World Expeditions. This month we are focusing on different cultural celebrations that take place in different parts of the world. They have learned about the different traditions that are carried on in the different parts of the world.

If you have any concerns, please don't hesitate to talk with me.

Girl's scout will come every other Wednesday from 3:30-4:30 for those girls that would like to attend.

Boy scouts comes every Wednesday from 2:00pm-3:00pm for those that would like to attend.

Brevard After School Website

Don't forget to go to the Brevard After School 21st 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.

Upcoming Events

Dec. 7th Early dismissal & Boy scouts

Dec. 14th Early dismissal & Boy scout's/Girl's scouts

Dec. 19th -21st Early dismissal

Dec. 22nd-Jan. 6th Winter break

Jan 9th School resumes

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

