

# BASA: Endeavour

Endeavour Elementary

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FLORIDA'S 21<sup>ST</sup> CENTURY  
COMMUNITY LEARNING CENTERS

Dear Parents,

Time seems to be flying by! It's almost time for Winter Break.

Students are working on our new theme, Medical City. They are learning many things about good health and how to care for themselves. Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts have started and all our Kindergarten through 2<sup>nd</sup> grade students are participating with them. Our 3<sup>rd</sup> through 6<sup>th</sup> grade students are involved in Art, Sports, Minecraft, and Board Game Clubs. Most of our students receive tutoring in Math and/or Reading every week.

The weather has started changing so be sure to label your child's jacket.

We are having our Holiday Music Concert on December 12<sup>th</sup>. Many of our students are involved. It will begin at 5:30 so save the date.

Winter Break will begin on December 23<sup>rd</sup> and will end on January 7<sup>th</sup> with students and staff returning on January 8<sup>th</sup>. We will be closed during the Winter Break. Our staff wishes you and your family a very safe and happy holiday.



## 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.

## Upcoming Events

December 5<sup>th</sup> - Advisory Board Meeting

December 12<sup>th</sup>- Winter Concert

December 23-January 7<sup>th</sup>-  
Winter Break/no school

## 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

