



Les Petits Soleils<sup>Inc.</sup> Preschool

## **December News – Année 2C**

It's hard to believe that three months have gone by already. We are having a great time with your children and love to see how willing they are to learn. We would also like to take this opportunity to wish you all a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. Please remember that preschool is closed over the school Christmas break (**December 17<sup>th</sup> – January 8<sup>th</sup> inclusive**). Classes resume the week of January 9<sup>th</sup>.

Please note that calendars and newsletters are posted on our website, should you misplace or delete your own copy.

### **Un petit rappel / Gentle Reminders**

1. Please remove everyone's outdoor shoes when entering the school as we are starting to find an accumulation of muddy puddles in front of our lockers.
2. Please be sure to empty out your child's mailbox of crafts and notes at the end of each day.

### **Ce qu'on apprend / What we're learning**

This month we are learning about the Winter Holidays. The colour of the month is rouge (red). Below is some of the vocabulary that we will be learning throughout the month.

#### **Le mois de décembre (the month of December):**

**Le thème:** les vacances

(Winter Holidays)

- Noël (Christmas)
- Un sapin de Noël (Christmas tree)
- Le Père Noël (Santa)
- Un bonhomme de neige (snowman)
- L'hiver (winter)
- La neige (snow)
- Une étoile (star)
- Un ange (angel)
- Une couronne (wreath)
- Une cloche (bell)

**La couleur:** rouge (red)

- Colour a picture using only rouge.
- Can you see anything outside that is rouge?
- What is rouge at your house?

**L'alphabet:** Ff

- Is this letter in your name?
- Can you write this letter?
- Look for the letter when you're out with your family.

## **Concert de Noël / Christmas Concert**

We will be holding our Christmas Concert for all five classes on **Thursday, December 15<sup>th</sup>** at 6:30pm in **Campbelltown School gym**. Parents are expected to attend with their child. The children have already begun to learn their songs and dances and are having a great time doing so. **Please bring your child to the school for 6:15pm**. Due to the size of the gym, each family will have a limit of **3 tickets, for 3 guests to attend. Your preschool child does NOT require a ticket**. We will not be arranging for families to acquire extra tickets. If you have extra tickets that you won't be using, please feel free to offer them to other families in your class. Please note that, due to fire code regulations, every guest (including small children and infants in car seats) must have a ticket. Please let us know as soon as possible if your child will not be attending the concert. Christmas concert tickets will be distributed the week of December 5<sup>th</sup>.

Each child will require some props for the concert. As soon as possible, and by Wednesday, December 7<sup>th</sup> at the latest, please send the following to school in a small Christmas gift bag, clearly labeled with your child's name:

- A box of macaroni and cheese (to use as a shaking instrument) wrapped in Christmas paper
- A winter toque
- A pair of sunglasses

We will also be collecting donations for the food bank that night, so please bring a donation. We will add each child's macaroni box to the donation. We will also have a Silver Collection bowl for willing families to contribute toward the rental cost of the gym for the evening.

## **Fête de Noël / Christmas Party**

On December 16<sup>th</sup>, we will be holding a Christmas party for the class. We will need 5 extra parent volunteers for this party. We would like to give all parents an opportunity to help at a party, so if you already volunteered for the Halloween Party, we will take your name, and let you know if we don't get enough new volunteers. Please email us ([petits-soleils@shaw.ca](mailto:petits-soleils@shaw.ca)) if you would like to volunteer as an extra parent helper.

Should you have any questions or concerns, please contact us. Merci!

Madame Kathryn, Madame Jill et Madame Lisa

## Songs sung in November

### Les Parties du corps

Tête, Oreilles 🦻

Deux yeux 👁️ 👁️, un nez: 👃

Ma polka fait tout bouger !

Épaules 🙆, bras 🦵, doigts, 🖐️

Jambes 🦵 et pieds 🦶:

Ma polka fait tout bouger !

### Jours de la semaine

Dimanche, lundi, mardi,

Mercredi, jeudi, vendredi et samedi

Toute la semaine j'ai hâte à samedi

Ce jour-là je vois mon ami

### Frère Jacques

Frère Jacques x2

Dormez-vous 🛏️ x2

Sonnez 🎵 les matines x2

Ding dang dong x2

### Les roues de l'autobus

Les roues 🛞 de l'autobus 🚌

Roulent, roulent x3

Les roues 🛞 de l'autobus 🚌

Roulent, roulent toute la journée

Le conducteur 🚗 de l'autobus 🚌 dit « À l'arrière »

Les essuie-glaces de l'autobus 🚌 font « swish, swish, swish »

Le klaxon 🚗 de l'autobus 🚌 fait « beep, beep, beep »

Les passagers 🚗 de l'autobus 🚌 font « bam, bam, bam »

Le conducteur 🚗 de l'autobus 🚌 dit « Au-revoir »