

## Beechwood school

### Class 5: January 2021

Happy New Year! We are glad to be back in the swing of things. Thanks for contributing to our holiday party, the children really enjoyed the brunch.

We resumed with our alphabet study and show and share this week with letter 'M'. The Children are so excited because it is winning! We have 60 words so far.

We are starting our "trips" around the world, our first stop was Mexico where we celebrated three king's day. When we "visit" these Countries we will find them on our globe and discuss about cultures, languages, time zones, food etc.

We will start practicing our home addresses starting this month. Students will be asked to recite their address so please begin practicing at home.

We are now asking the students to write their first and last names on the chalkboard using Upper case for the first letter and lower case for the rest when they arrive in the morning. They can use the name cards for spelling as needed.

We have lots of birthdays coming up so please let us know when you would like to share your child's birthday treat with the class.

At the beginning of every month, we will send an "All about me" poster for the birthdays that will be celebrated within that month. Please work on it with your child and return it on the day we celebrate their birthday. We use it to make the day extra special.

**Reminders:** We will be going outside unless it is extremely cold. Please dress your child warmly and label everything. School will be closed on Monday, January 18th for Martin Luther King Day.