

# JANUARY 2019

**Welcome back!** The new year has officially started and we are so excited to have your kiddos back after a long winter break!

As we jump back into the swing of things, we will be learning all about the rainforest/jungle during the first week. Get ready to see some monkey and sloth artwork along with a water color jungle piece. The kiddos will also complete a rain cloud experiment at the science center!

During the second week of the month, our classroom will be exploring the polar habitat. Your kiddos will explore arctic animals such as polar bears, penguins and walrus'. We will make an edible igloo as a large group, trace the outline of various shaped penguins during math and read arctic themed books in literacy!

In the third week, we will focus on the grasslands. Our class will create ducks out of a paper plate, sort zebra colored pom-poms and sequence the alphabet on lily pads! Additionally, we will be discussing bugs/insects such as dragonflies.

Finally, we will end the month talking about the desert habitat. Children will learn about snakes, camels, lizards and cacti. We will play with sand in the sensory table, practice writing uppercase and lowercase letter "L" for lizard and create color patterns using camel's humps!

**CHALK Preschool  
Venice**

**Yellow Room**

**Ms. Kim & Ms. Zoe**



## **REMINDER:**

-NO SCHOOL January 21st in observance of MLK Jr Day.

## **STAR OF THE WEEK:**

1/7- Olivia  
1/14 - Lea  
1/21 - Maya  
1/28 - Francesco

## **BIRTHDAYS:**

Maya 1/2  
Mateo 1/9  
William 1/15  
Olivia 1/29

## **LETTER OF THE WEEK:**

1/7 - M  
1/14 - N  
1/21 - O  
1/28 - P

