



Betty Jane CLC Friday Five

## Important things you need to know...

For the week of 12/17/2018



Hello Families of Betty Jane CLC, this is Mrs. Kochis, Dean of Students.

Here is your Friday Five important things to know for the week of December 17, 2018.

1. Attention Parents: The school day ends at 2:30. Please ensure that you are in line for pickup by 2:40. Any individuals entering the line after 2:40 will be asked to park their car and come inside to sign out their children. An increasing number of children are standing in the cold well after dismissal time.

ALSO- Parents, we are asking for your cooperation in ensuring that we **always** have a safe and orderly drop off and pick-ups. In the mornings and at dismissal, please wait for your turn in line. Mrs. Lucas has noted numerous parents in the past two weeks who have pulled up around the drop off line to let their children out, or who have done the same thing to enter the building to pick up their child at dismissal. This is not safe, nor is it courteous to the other members of our Betty Jane Family. If you choose to not wait in the line, you are welcome to drop off or pick up your child with the adult crossing guard on Darrow Road. We also have folks that are pulling around the line to use the staff lot to collect their children from the back playground. This lot is closed to everyone but staff and Daycare providers. Please ensure that you do your part to leave this space for children loading onto daycare vans. We all can agree that children and cars **don't** mix. Please do not pull into this area before or after school.

We all have lives and places to be. Please be courteous. Our children are watching our example :)

2. Students may wear pajamas to school on the last day before winter break, Friday, December 21, 2018. The entire school will be watching The Polar Express in the afternoon and PTA will provide popcorn, hot chocolate and a cookie for each child. This is a special day for **students only**. Parents do not need to provide anything special for this event. If students choose to not wear their cozy jammies, they may wear their uniforms. Please ensure that students wear safe shoes. They are not to bring blankets or pillows for this event.

3. Marking Period 2 ends on Friday December 21. Report cards will be sent home mid January after Winter break.

4. When school is cancelled due to inclement weather or other emergencies you will receive a notification phone call. Please make sure the office has your most updated phone numbers so that you get the alert. You can also check local television and radio stations, or social media outlets.

5. Winter break is from December 24-January 7. Students will return on Tuesday, January 8th 2019.

Please have a warm, safe and family fun filled break from all of us at Betty Jane.

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