December 21st is the day that WINTER officially begins. Teachers will be taking the children outside to play in the fresh air and sunshine whenever the weather permits. So it is very important to protect your child with a supply of warm clothing: HAT, SCARF, MITTENS (or gloves), SNOWPANTS (or snowsuit), JACKET, and BOOTS. Also, it is a good idea to always have another set of spare clothing (underwear, socks, pants and shirt) in case your child’s clothes become wet or soiled during daily activities.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY
Arthur (Inf.)
Claire S. (PS3)
Stella (PS3)
Nora G. (PS4)
Arabella (PS4)
Genevieve (PS4)
Eliot (PS4)
Viola (SA)

Sweet Potato Chips the Family will Love
By Amanda Rock [www.verywell.com](http://www.verywell.com)

**Ingredients:**
- 2 or 3 sweet potatoes, washed
- 3 tablespoons vegetable oil
- Salt and/or other seasonings, to taste—suggestions: garlic, brown sugar, paprika, chili powder

**Preparation:**
- Preheat oven to 400 degrees.
- Spray a cookie sheet with non-stick cooking spray.
- Prepare the sweet potatoes. You can leave the skin on if you choose, but in any case, make slices to about 1/8” thick. Place in a large bowl with the oil and any seasonings. Toss to coat.
- Spread the slices in a single layer on the cookie sheet.
- Bake for about 15 minutes until they are golden brown. Turn halfway through the baking time.
- Carefully spread the baked chips on a paper towel to drain any excess oil.
- Baked sweet potato chips can be stored up to a week in an airtight container.

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- Aspire Catalog Orders: $948.00
- Portrait Photographs: $581.00
- New York Gives Day: $370.00

Calendar Notes:
- SUNY Canton Exam Week 12/5-9
- SUNY Potsdam Exam Week 12/12-16
- Christmas Day 12/25
- Hanukkah Begins 12/25
- Kwanzaa Begins 12/26
- SUNY Potsdam Winterim 1/2-20