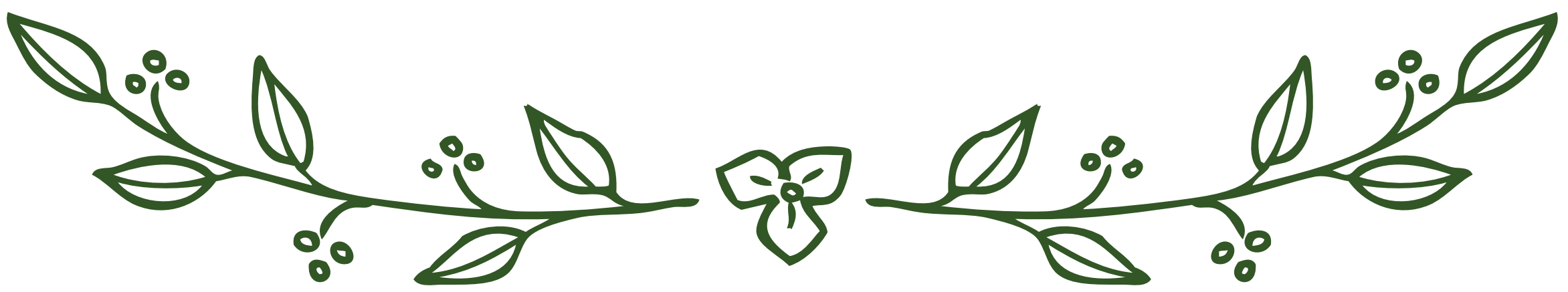
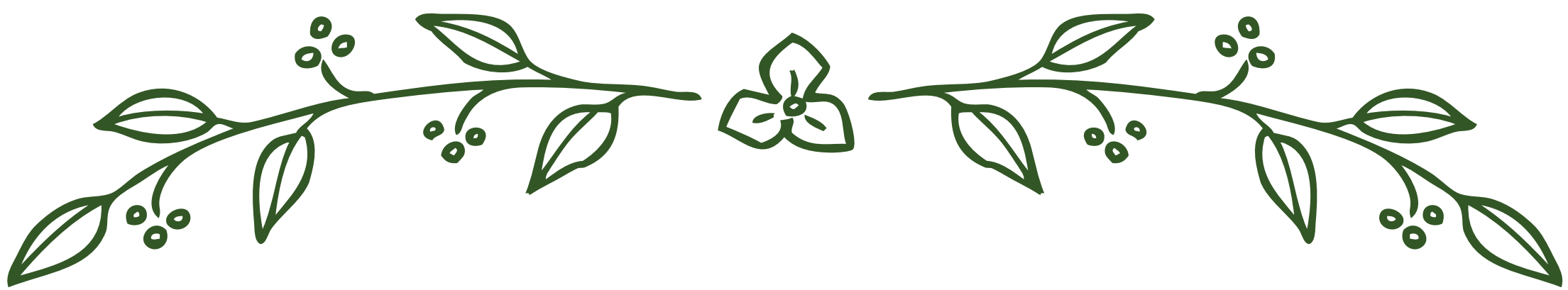


Newsletter



**LOWER
ELEMENTARY**



**DECEMBER
2023**





Reminders

Dear Parents,

Please remember about replacing school shoes, that your child has already grown out of or that have become damaged.

Every Friday we ask the children to empty their lockers of all 'treasures' and take the removed items home. It's also a good idea to take school slippers and wash them or wipe the sole, as there may be a review of that week's menu on it ;-)

Please remember that school shoes and clean clothes for a change of clothes, or PE, are returned to school on Monday, along with an empty folder.

Thank you!







Reminders

Because of the autumn weather, we remind you of rainwear (including waterproof shoes) and headwear. Children can also find it useful to have extra clothes to change into during this period.

On 14th December, we will again visit the library. Our pupils will have the opportunity to exchange the books they have read. Please remember your child's ID and MPC/ZTM card and a small backpack.



**Winter break is from 25th
December to 2nd January.
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Inspiration from a parent...

Here is our latest discovery!

How to organize your child's space in the school locker to keep things tidy?

Take a look. :)

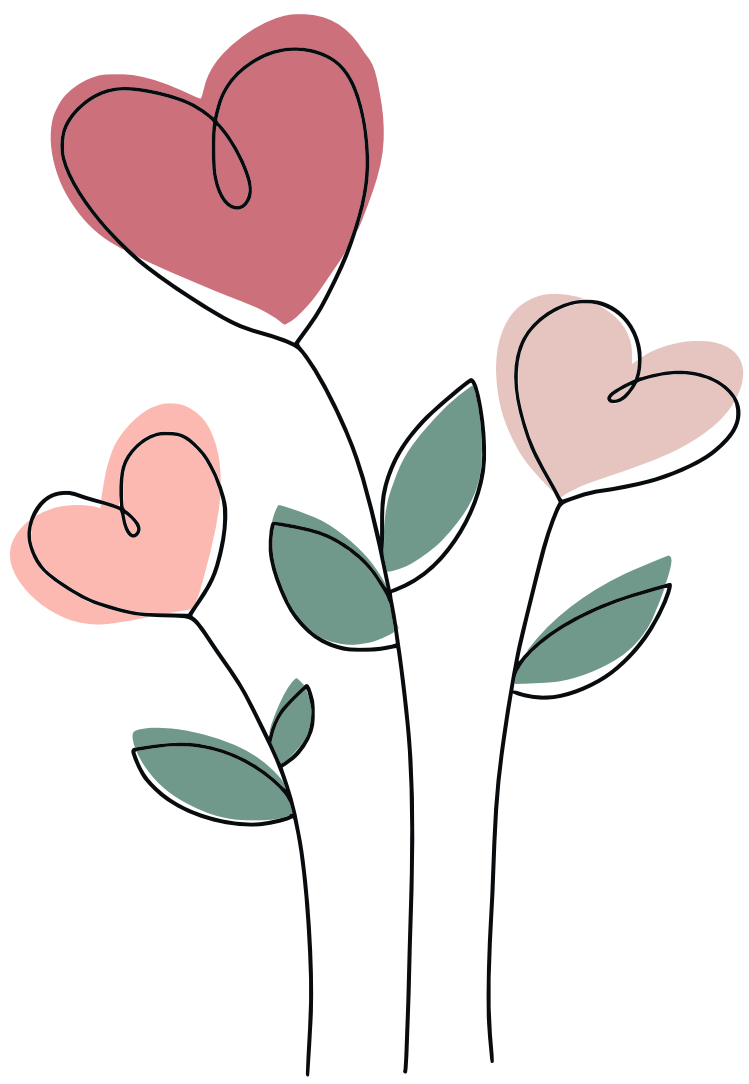


Thanks for parents

Thanks to Witek's parents, who installed the school's purchased sensory integration materials in the -1 play area, so children can develop large and small motor skills :), climb (including strengthening the shoulder muscles), swing (vestibular system stimulation) and much more :)

We saw the joy in the eyes of our pupils when they saw these devices for the first time :)
Thank you very much!

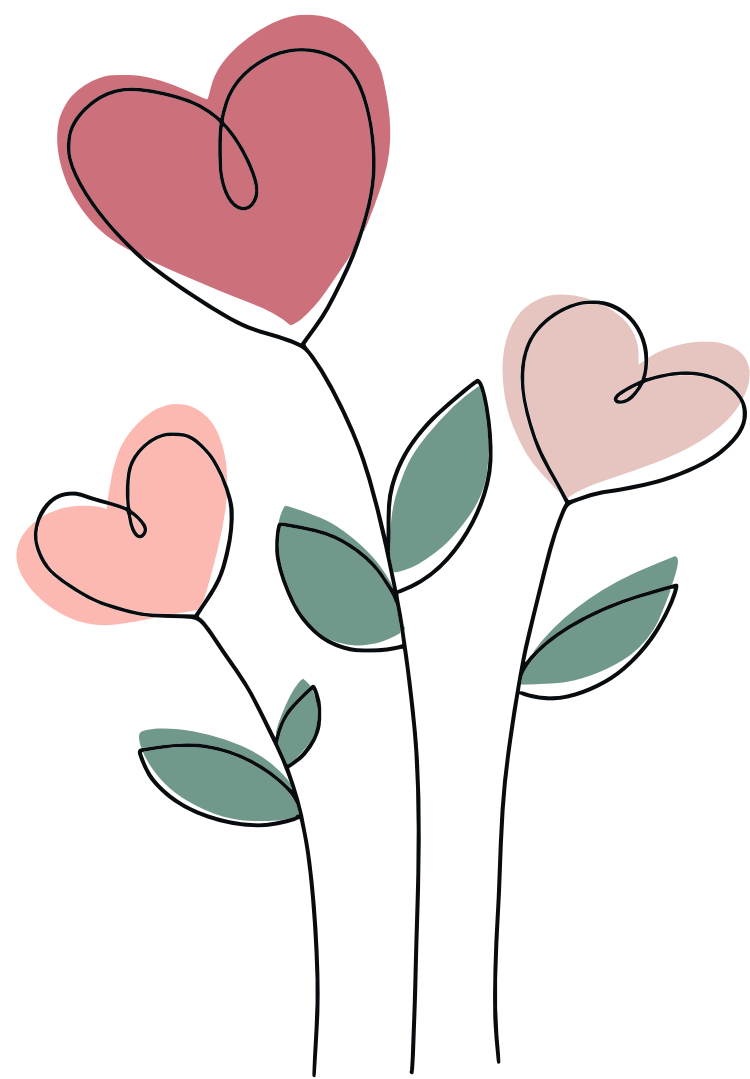




Thanks for parents

Thank you to all the parents who contributed to the clean up of our school play area.

We are grateful for the time you gave to us!
The children can now enjoy a refreshed and cleaned space.





Thanks for parents

We would like to thank Milosz's mum for helping us with school social media. We are sure that the newsletter created by our teachers will be at an even higher level!

If you also have any suggestions - please let us know. :)





Report meetings

Dear Parents! :)

We look forward to meeting you to discuss your child's progress:)

We believe that we welcome whole families to the Montessori school, so we absolutely want to meet and we ask you to book an appointment in advance.

We encourage you to ask questions and share your comments during this meeting.

The lead teacher will also give information about unexcused absences/ lateness in the first semester.





Report meetings

Dates when meetings will be held:

4th -8th December - 1st grade

11th-18th December - 1st grade & Cambridge group

18th-22nd December - 2nd grade

8th-12nd January - 2nd grade

15th-19th January - 3rd grade

22nd-26th January - 3rd grade



7th December International Aviation Day



This year at our school we will celebrate International Aviation Day. On this occasion, we have invited Stas's dad, who works as a pilot on a daily basis. He will introduce to the children what his work is about, and will certainly share with us interesting facts related to aviation.



13th December Tea Day

We are pleased to confirm that on 15th December we will host Milosz's dad. He is a tea sommelier-tea brewing expert, who will lead a tea brewing workshop for us! We can already smell the tea aromas... :)

We recommend our guest's book, which we bought a few years ago.

What's waiting for us during the workshop? We will learn a little bit of a history, tea recipes and the secrets of tea brewing. We hope to taste these aromatic brews!



14th December library

On 14th December, we will again visit the library. Our pupils will have the opportunity to return the books they have read. Please remember that the children should have their books, their ID cards and MPC/ZTM cards and a small backpack on that day.



18th December

Afternoon with pierogi



What do children love to do?
Pierogi! :)

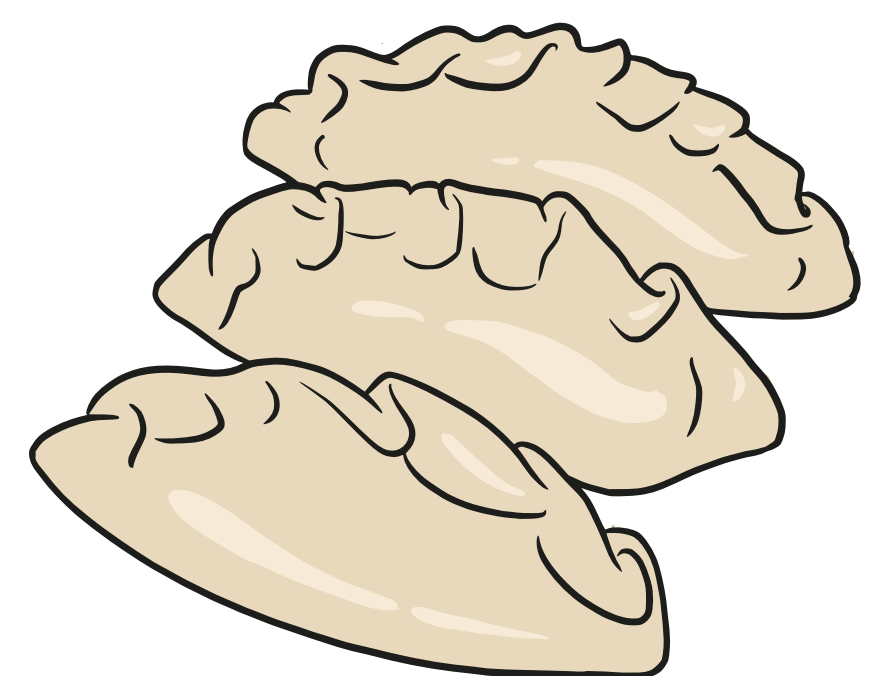
The time spent making pierogi is magical!
That is why ...

...we invite you to join us in making pierogi
with your child at EMS :)

This will be a great opportunity to learn
together with our little cooks how to create
tasty traditional pierogi.

We believe that this joint fun in the kitchen
will bring a lot of joy to both you, Dear
Parents and our talented little cooks.

Everyone will have the opportunity to
actively participate in the process of making
pierogi, and at the end they will take them
home.

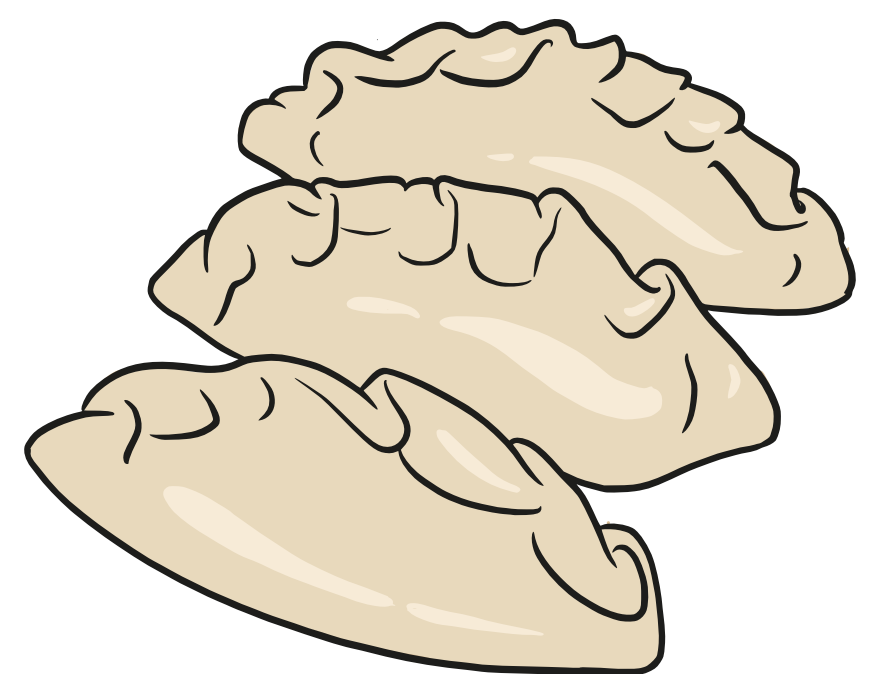




For the workshop, registration is required on the EMS sign up list by 8th December.

Please bring with you:

- good mood and a lot of patience :)
- flour,
- any filling (already prepared),
- salt and spices,
- a pastry board (if you have one),
- rolling pin,
- pierogi cutter/glass,
- bowl,
- apron, chef's hat,
- a cloth.





Annual collection for the "Zakaṭek" children's home

This year, the children's home is asking for:

flip-flops (as for the pool):

for girls- size 23, 27, 28, 30, 32, 37;

for boys - size 28, 32, 33, 32, 38, 41, 42, 44, 43;

underwear - pants, size: XL, M, S, 140, 146,
130, 128, 120, 116, can be used;

socks - sizes as for shoes;

sweets, juices etc.;

laundry supplies— floor liquids, laundry
capsules (not powders);

makeup and makeup removal cosmetics

winter gloves.

The collection runs until the 15th December.



Vocabulary project



In front of the entrance to the school there is a shelf where you will find English vocabulary for each class - these are copies for you and the children to practice, for example, in the car.

We would like to remind you that each week pupils of the second and third grades take a test on the vocabulary that is used in the following week's conversation. Eight (out of ten) correctly written vocabulary words indicate mastery of the vocabulary of the topic. The child checks the correctness of the notation with the control card.

We have a go at the test until we get it right!



Vocabulary project

1st grade



Verbs/Actions 2

bounce, catch, hit, kick, roll, throw, clap, cut, run, jump

Food

rice, bread, pasta, eggs, soup, yoghurt, cereal, milk, butter, chicken

Prepositions 1

in, on, under, by, between, behind

Shapes

a triangle, a circle, a square, a rectangle, a cube, a cone, a cylinder, a heart, a cross, an oval



Vocabulary project

2nd grade

Emotions

scared, tired, unhappy, cross, puzzled, excited, surprised, embarrassed, happy

Hobbies

swimming, gardening, skipping, playing chess, painting, shopping, playing football, riding a bike, dancing, reading

Daily routines

brush my hair, brush my teeth, watch TV, use a computer, use a phone, play, walk, talk, go to school, eat breakfast

Numbers 3

Ten, twenty, thirty, forty, fifty, sixty, seventy, eighty, ninety, one hundred



Vocabulary project

3rd grade



In the Kitchen

a stove, an oven, a fridge, a kettle, a pot, a pan , a knife, a chopping board, a pantry, a dishwasher

In the bathroom

a towel, a bathtub, a shower, a washbasin, a toilet, toothpaste, toilet paper, a washing machine, a tooth brush, a hairdryer

South American Animals

a jaguar, a turtle, puma, iguana, armadillo, llama, capybara, panther, sloth, ocelot

Opposites

moveable - immovable, Healthy - unhealthy, tidy - untidy, possible - impossible, polite- impolite





For parents

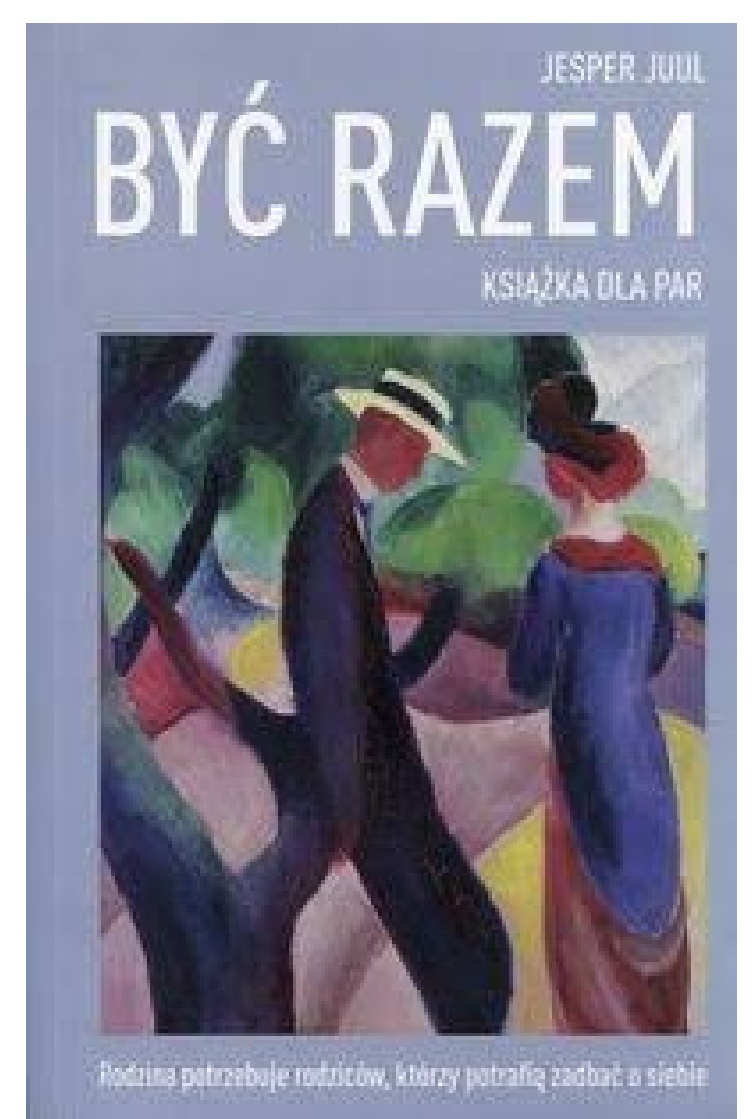
a pedagogue recommends...

Life is a road, raising a child is a road... we walk it with you. You recommend to us various places and things. You also often ask us what books we can recommend :)

One of them is "Być razem." The author is Jesper Juul - a Danish psychotherapist. Questions he answers in his book, among others:

- What impact does the relationship between parents have on family life?
- What do we need conflicts and crises in a relationship for?
- How do we support each other in difficult times?

The book can be borrowed from Ms. Sandra Boratyńska.



Important information



5th December 4.00pm - second dance rehearsal

7th December - Aviation Day

13th December - tea workshop

14th December - library

18th December - pierogi afternoon (please, sign up)

25.12 - 2.01 - school is closed

03.01. 2024 - back to school

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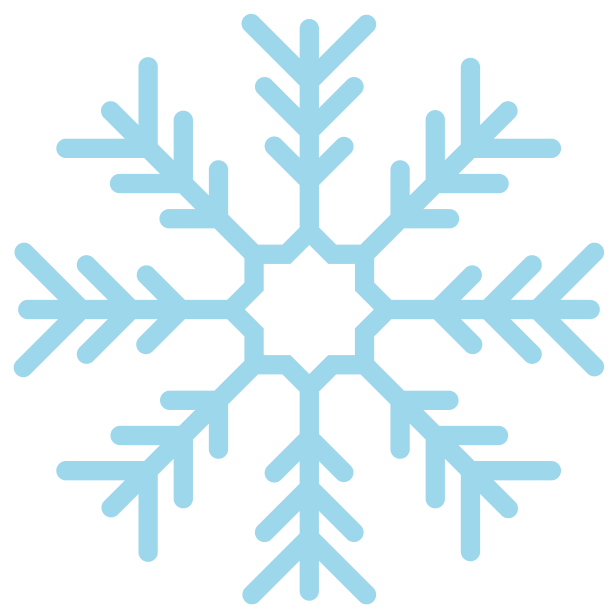
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We wish everyone a wonderful time with family during the upcoming December break!



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