

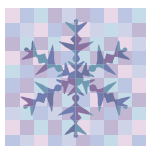
December 2009

Special points of interest:

- MET AYP
- School composite grade A
- Green Saving Machine
- Active parent support
- Art
- Music Spring and Winter concerts
- Technology
- Distance Learning
- Science
- Physical Education
- Spanish
- Community Service Projects
- Extended Day Programs
- Science Olympiad
- Safety Patrol and Student Council
- After school clubs for students

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Green Gazette

We are all Responsible for our School

Our new building and playground is beautiful and the children are enjoying both. We are truly fortunate to be in a community that supports our school. It is because of the people in this neighborhood that we have this new building.

At this time we are leaving two gates unlocked on the playground so the children can come over and enjoy the playground after school and on the weekends. The playground is closed during school hours and after school until SACC

is over to anyone but the children in the building. I am asking everyone who I using the playground to help us take care of the new playground. If you are here and see older children on the equipment please remind them to take care of our school. If everyone watches over the building, we will not have any problems and the gates can be left unlocked. As always when we work together good things happen.

We are very proud of the children. They are doing a good

job being responsible and taking care of their classrooms and work spaces.



We would like to thank Walmart for donating the Christmas tree and ornaments in the main lobby. They have been very generous with us in the past. We are truly grateful to them.

Dress for the Weather

Please encourage your children to dress in layers that they can take easily off and on. Children will be going outside to play as long as it is above 11 degrees and not raining outside.



Simple Reading Practice

Write short notes to your children and leave them around the house.

Mention good behavior. "Thanks for helping with the dishes." Making plans to do something fun later. "Let's bake cookies this afternoon." They can also be reminders to do a job later. "Remember to feed the dog when you get home.."

Look for unique places to put the

notes, such as on their pillows, in front of their breakfast, in a book bag. The children will have fun finding the notes while they practice using their reading skills.



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**Children need models
rather than critics.**

State Representative Jennifer Haase reading her favorite books to first and second grade students.



Green Elementary School

Positive Behavior Rules

Be Safe

We will walk quietly through our school. We will keep our hands, feet and other objects to ourselves.

Be Respectful

We will show respect for others and their property. We will use appropriate language.

Be Responsible

We will listen and follow directions. We will allow the teacher to teach and allow other students to learn.

Christmas Parties

Our classroom Christmas parties will be Thursday, December 17. As in the past the staff at Green ask you not to purchase us presents. Instead purchase an unwrapped toy for a child in need. Your child can bring the toy into the classroom and present it to the teacher. All toys will be placed in the Salvation Army barrels in the main hallway.

**December PTC
Events**

Breakfast with Santa

December 12th

8:30 or 10:00 am.

Holiday Gift Cards

Santa Shop

December 12

