



Enero/January

Spanish Class monthly newsletter

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School days : Thursdays

Feliz Año Nuevo/ Happy New Year wishing all of our school families a wonderful and memorable year ahead. January has come and gone and I think we are all excited for the warmer weather ahead.

Pre-k and Kindergarten : Returning from winter break we added a new song to our Thursday routine. This song teaches us what to wear for a cold winter month like *Enero/January*. We read award winning children's book *Mi Papi Tiene una Moto* by Isabel Quintero, *La Lechera* a scholastic book with a great lesson on the importance of *enforzar/ focusing* adaptation by Luz Orihuela and our favorite *Qué Cosas Dice Mi Abuela* by Ana Galan. In February we will begin our lesson on *familia/family*.

1st - 4th : Our primary grades have learned an amazing song titled Cancion del mes de Enero- Feliz Año nuevo feliz muy feliz by channel: Music Tube Kids on youtube. 1st and 2nd focused on poems, our first being about *ropa/clothing* we wear on winter days. 3rd and 4th worked on a project creating their own outfits using our clothing vocab. Both 3rd and 4th will take the *ropa* vocab test next week.

5th - 8th : Junior high has been focusing on New Year theme vocabulary words such as *comienzo/beginning*, *esperanza/hope*, *mejorar/improve* etc. I introduced these words with a game of Kahoot!. With this lesson they also wrote *malos hábitos/bad habits* they will like to leave behind in 2024 and accomplishments they want to obtain in 2025.

Mrs. Akroush's 7th grade class will be next in the Spanish class competition - Señora Calderón