Theme of the Month	Newsletter-January Teachers Message:	Important Dates
In this unit, students learn how to use their senses to observe and describe materials. They also learn how some materials change when heated or cooled. These concepts establish a foundation for investigating the properties and states of matter in later grades. ELEMENTARY Lesson Activities Page See It, Feel It, Describe It	We will go outside as long as the weather permits.	Students return to school Jan. 7, 2025 Jan. 20, 2025 No School
Word Wall Words his, do, then, good, make, she out, when, hard, color, you, thing	Science experiment Heating and Cooling Chocolate NEED Experiment 5 chocolate chips zip-top bag freezer 1. Put chocolate chips in the bag and seal it. Observe what the chocolate chips look like 2. Hold the bag between the palms of your hands like a sandwich. 3. After 5 minutes, put the bag on the table and observe the chips. Record observations on the chart. 4. Put the bag of chocolate chips into the freezer. Wait 1 hour. 5. Remove the bag from the freezer and observe the chips. Record observations on the chart.	Books: The Listening Walk by Paul Showers My Five Senses by Aliki "Apple Pie" by Jessica McDonald A rhyming poem that uses the five senses to describe pie