



# Tiger Town Tribune

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Hello Turner Tigers!

It is crazy to think that we are halfway through the school year. The students and teachers have been working very hard and are ready for a break. Please enjoy your family and friends this holiday season. I look forward to more great things happening at Turner this spring.

Dr. Toll

## DID YOU KNOW...

Students lose the most math facts during the **first two weeks** away from school. Reading and writing skills can freeze up too! But You Can Prevent It!

Download the K – 5<sup>th</sup> grade 2018 BrainFreeze Winter Break packets for **FREE!**

**Each grade specific, take-home BrainFreeze packet includes:**

- BrainFreeze Reading log for 10 days
- Math facts review
- Winter writing activity
- and a Bonus Activity for winter science and art fun

[tps://thinkstretch.com/page/brainfreeze.html](https://thinkstretch.com/page/brainfreeze.html)



## Dates to Remember

December 3 – 19 Santa's Workshop

December 4 Jersey Mike's Spirit Night

December 6 Star Gazer Night 5:30pm

December 13 Holiday's Around the World 5:30pm

December 14 Big Idea Assembly – COMPASSION

**December 19 - 21 EARLY DISMISSAL @ 1:15PM**



**2018 – 2019**

**School hours for students:  
8:00 am – 2:30 pm**

**\*Early Release days are  
Friday @ 1:15 pm**

**Office hours:  
7:15am - 3:45 pm**



**Breakfast is available to all students and is served in the cafeteria beginning at 7:30 am each day.**

## Positive Behavior

We would like to remind parents of our **ROAR** expectations:

Respectful Role Models, cOmpassionate and Caring, Actively Involved, Responsible and Ready.

Each nine weeks we recognize those students who have had **zero referrals** at a special PBS celebration. We appreciate your continued support at home reminding students of these expectations.



## Music News

**What?** Holidays Around the World

**When?** Thursday, Dec. 13th.

**Who is performing?** Chorus, Orchestra, 1st Grade, and 3rd Grade

**Where?** Turner cafeteria

All Turner Families are welcome to join our Holiday fun. There will be food and decorations in the Tiger Town Square.

**Orchestra and Chorus Students** Please return your uniforms to Mrs. Borkowski on December 14th.

Have a wonderful Holiday Break,  
Mrs. Borkowski

## 3rd Grade's Annual Star Gazer Night!

December 6th

5:30 pm

- use telescopes to explore the night sky
- purchase a glow bracelet
- enjoy popcorn, pizza, and soda

You may now access The Parent and Family Engagement Plan (PFEP) on Turner's FOCUS page. The PFEP is also available in the front office. A translated copy is also available upon request.

You may now access the School Improvement Plan (SIP) on Turner's FOCUS page. A copy of the SIP is available upon request. You may also request a translated copy.

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## Family Activities to Keep Skills Sharp During the Winter Break

1. Read for fun! Your child may be in the mood for holiday stories or a favorite book in a series. Winter break is the perfect chance to read just for fun. Books are also wonderful gifts!
2. Ask your child to help you in the kitchen so that you can work together to whip up a special dish. Measuring half-tablespoon and quarter-cups are great ways to practice fractions. Reading the recipe directions and the list of ingredients is great reading practice.
3. Writing thank-you notes teaches gratitude and helps develop writing and spelling skills.
4. Playing board games and card games together as a family reinforces counting and reading skills.
5. Practice letters and numbers while you're driving around town. Try to find the alphabet on license plates or count the number of red (or white or green) cars you see.

*Happy Holidays*



