

# Winter Mug Exchange



Dear Parents,

On Friday morning, December 17<sup>th</sup> our class will be celebrating with a **Winter Mug Exchange and a Hot Cocoa Party**. I am asking each student to bring in one winter/holiday ceramic mug stuffed with small treats and wrapped in some type of plastic wrap. The students will exchange mugs with one of their peers. The mug (including all items inside) should cost no more than \$5 to \$7, and it should be able to be given to a boy or a girl.

The holiday time is special time to reflect back on our year and remind ourselves of the many ways in which we have been blessed. During our mug exchange, we will be sharing our thoughts of appreciation about the year 2010. We will drink hot chocolate from our new mugs, and we'll eat cookies and/or donuts while enjoying a holiday movie or story. If you are willing to send in store-bought cookies or donuts for this activity, please write me a note under your signature to say what you'll contribute.

On the day of our Mug Exchange, my students will be allowed to wear their favorite fuzzy slippers (bedroom shoes) and robe during our social time. We will be doing our Read In before our Mug Exchange, so they may bring a blanket or a pillow, but not both. I want them to be comfortable and have a special day! I'm looking forward to it!

I would like all children to be able to participate in the Winter Mug Exchange, and I'm willing to help if needed. Please sign below to show that you are aware of this activity. **All mugs must be turned in by Wednesday, December 15th!** Let me know if I can assist you in any way. As always, if you have any questions or concerns, please email me or contact me by phone at the school. Thanks for your support!

~ Mrs. Candler



Student Name

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Parent Signature

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