

# Belle Morris December /January Newsletter 2020

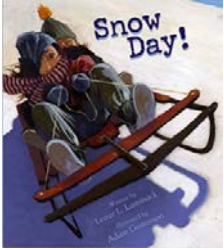


## A Note from the Principal:

The first semester at Belle Morris has been a strong beginning. Students are working hard to meet the academic requirements being demanded of them. Our main goal as a school is for the learner to become a responsible student, being able to tell what they are learning that day, how they know they are learning it and how they know they are improving. Ask your child what they learned about in reading or math and see if you get a different reply than what you might have received last year. These are the 3 questions I ask when I visit a room....1.)What are you learning? 2.) How do you score your work? 3.) What is your goal for this lesson? We celebrate the growth that each student makes.

*Ms. Hursey, Principal*

# December and January Events



## December

**Dec. 1.** 4:00 – 4:45 Author Lester Laminack Zoom Read Aloud.

5:00 – 6:00 Drive through the school alley and wave to the teachers as you stop at designated spots along the car rider line to pick up a snowflake bag, book, snowflake family art project, magic snow activity, Little Debbie treat, and end with a pizza for the first 75 cars.

**Dec. 7 -9.** iReady Reading and Math Assessment. (administered 3 times a year)

**Dec. 18.** End of second 9 week grading period. Report Cards go home.

**Dec. 18.** Half day for students. School dismisses at 11:15. (10:15 for PreK)

**Dec. 21 – Jan. 4.** **School's out for Winter Holidays**



## January

**Jan. 5.** First day back for students

**Jan. 6 – 15.** Aims Web Assessment (administered 3 times a year)

**Jan. 18.** Martin Luther King Holiday / No School