



# Healthy Learning Academy

A Tuition-Free, Elementary Charter School

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## *Happy Holidays to our HLA family and friends!!*

- December 1<sup>st</sup> – Progress reports go home
- December 5<sup>th</sup> – Board of Directors meeting 4:30pm
- December 8<sup>th</sup> - HLA Market 1:45-3:00pm
- December 14<sup>th</sup> – HLA Holiday Program (Tioga center stage) 6:00 p.m.
- December 18<sup>th</sup>, 19<sup>th</sup> & January 2<sup>nd</sup> – Hurricane make up days
- December 19<sup>th</sup> – Pajama day!
- December 20<sup>th</sup> - January 1<sup>st</sup> – Winter holidays

\*Contact Mrs. Carr at [rcarr@hlacharter.com](mailto:rcarr@hlacharter.com) if you are interested in being a vendor at our HLA market on December 8<sup>th</sup>. We hope you will visit the market and support our local community.

\*We will be presenting our holiday program on December 14<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 p.m. at the Tioga center stage area. Please bring chairs or blankets. This event is open to the public, so family and friends are all welcome. Please be sure the children arrive by 5:45 at the latest, so we can prepare for the performance.

\*Here at HLA we want to celebrate and reward the best of our students' talents and behavior. We acknowledge academic success with Honor Roll certificates, and Morning Mile accomplishments with charms. On November 27<sup>th</sup>, we implemented a second phase of our school-wide positive behavior reinforcement plan. The staff will be keeping track of students with exemplary behavior throughout each day. Every two weeks those students who have demonstrated at least nine school days of excellent behavior will have the opportunity to participate in a special group activity. The activities will vary based on the students' interests. We are looking forward to implementing this additional positive behavior plan. Please feel free to contact me with any questions.

\*Ms. Katje is an excellent resource if you are planning to purchase your child an instrument. She has knowledge of a variety of instruments. Feel free to contact her at [kjanisch@hlacharter.com](mailto:kjanisch@hlacharter.com)

\*Be sure your children wear sneakers and socks to school every day. Your children should be dressed in layers, appropriate for the weather. **Please write your children's names on their jackets and sweaters so we can find the owners of items that end up in the lost and found.**

\*We will have our annual Pajama Day on Tuesday, December 19<sup>th</sup> to usher in the winter holidays. Children may wear school appropriate pajamas, but must wear sneakers as we will still be going out for recess. **Do not send blankets, hats, or stuffed animals.**

\*Thank you SO much to our amazing Morning Mile team!! You have really stepped up to the plate this year! There are many other things we need volunteers for. Check our sign up genius for more

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