

HIGH ROAD SCHOOL OF SOUTHERN YORK

Winter Newsletter

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Notes from the Director

Join me in celebrating all of our students' success this marking period! As we celebrate our 100th day of the 2024-2025 school year in February, I am proud of all the things our students have accomplished.

On a larger note, February will also mark 5 years of our program being open! Thank you for sharing your children with us and hope we continue to be afforded the privilege of being a part of their amazing lives.

-Mrs. Krystle Kessler, Program Director

Holiday Fun

We had a very special visitor stop by in December. Santa Claus came to chat with each kiddo and wish them the merriest of Christmases. He brought gifts and even made time for some of our staff.



Class Updates

High School / Transition

The High School class has been working hard to develop their life skills! Our students have been practicing with cooking, washing dishes, doing laundry, sweeping, vacuuming, and daily hygiene activities. We continue to enjoy our monthly trips to Penn-Mar and getting to know everyone there. Students have also enjoyed social gaming time and doing crafts to celebrate the holidays and the fun winter snow!



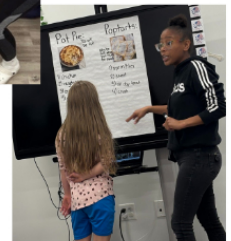
ACI

ACI had another successful marking period. The students achieved several goals while also focusing on being accountable for their actions. The students practiced using their schedule to know what they were to be doing without prompts from staff. To celebrate the success of the second marking period the class went on a fun-filled trip to Laser Alleys where all bets were off during a game of laser tag.



PALS

PALS has spent the winter exploring the inverse relationship between addition and subtraction. We're becoming environmentalists, classifying and exploring animal adaptations. And we've also been exploring the history of the United States and those who shaped this country!



BEST

In the BEST Classroom, we have started to learn about community signs. The cold weather has kept us inside, but that doesn't stop us from having fun! Playing with balls, balloons, and the parachute together has been a blast. We have been focusing on a certain letter each week for crafts and a snack, and are now on the letter P. For the 100th day of school, each kiddo had a picture taken to show what they would look like when they're older. Never a dull moment as we love to sing and dance to music too! 😊

