## Celebrating Holidays Questionnaire for Families

Dear Families,

Your answers to the following questions will guide the development of an inclusive, age-appropriate approach to celebrating holidays. The goal is to host celebrations and plan activities that meet the needs of all children and families in this setting. Thank you for taking the time to share this information.

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1. Which special occasions and holidays do you celebrate in your family?
2. How do you commemorate special occasions and holidays?
3. Would you like your child(ren) to celebrate holidays at preschool? (If you answer No, skip to question 7.)
4. How do you feel about the possibility of your child(ren) learning about holidays that are not celebrated in your home?
5. What would you like your child(ren) to gain from holiday activities occurring at preschool
6. How would you like to participate in holiday activities occurring at preschool?
7. What concerns, if any, do you have about your child(ren) participating in holiday activities

8. If your family does not celebrate holidays, what kind of support would you like if/when

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there are holiday activities?

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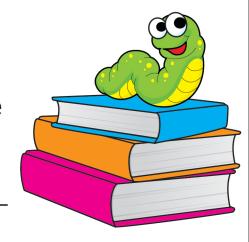
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Reading together is fun! Work as a family to read 20 books. Check off the boxes as you complete the challenge in any order.

Read a book in an unusual place.

Read a wordless book.

Read a book that was recommended by a neighbor or teacher.

Read a book that has the word "winter" in the title.

Read a book in the morning. Read a book that has animals as characters. Read a book that you picked out at the library.

Read a book that is available online.

Read a book of poems.

Read a book under a blanket with a flashlight.

Read a nonfiction book.

Read a book to a pet or stuffed animal.

Read a joke book.

Read a book that is a family member's favorite. Read a book that has an interesting cover illustration.

Read a book outdoors.

Read a book that you have read before.

Read a book to a friend.

Read a book aloud in a silly voice.

Read a book that is part of a series.