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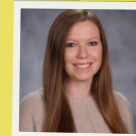
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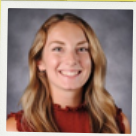
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Happy November Families! Fall and winter came in fast on us all! Along with the changing season, comes with changing into and out of winter gear. It quickly becomes apparent of the need for extra practice in zipping coats and tying shoes. Please see the resources below for some helpful tips/tricks to build those fine motor skills and promote independence here at school.

In addition, we are working hard to build a routine of being responsible for weather preparedness and taking ownership of their storage space for gear here at school. While at home, your partnership is extremely helpful in continuing the work we are promoting here at school. In building new schedules, visuals can be helpful for students who engage in 'verbal protest' when they are reminded of expectations once or repeatedly.



COLLABORATION CORNER

Help us, help you! Our team is not only here to help students, we are a resource for you too. If you have a question we can answer?

Click the 'contact us' icon to submit your question or additional support you may need.

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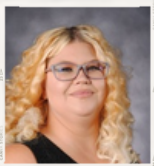
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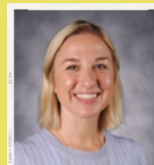
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WINTER GEAR AND FINE MOTOR DEVELOPMENT



Shoe tying...when loop, swoop and pull doesn't work.

Method #1

Method #2



Head in the Hood

"Hood on your head, make a cape/long hair, find the arm hole, then the other, zip and go.



Coat Flip

"Toes by the tag, dive into the sleeves, flip and zip."



Zippping a Coat



The Hawks Nest and Student Services Team works hard to ensure every student can be as successful as possible. We have put together an Amazon Wish List of various items that would help us better support and serve all kids. If you are interested in taking a look, we would be extremely grateful for your consideration.

Do your kid's toy bins need a clean-out? If/when you find yourself doing this and come across any small trinket/toy items that you would like to pass on Mrs. Heard would gladly take them to her prize bin that students who are working on developing various skills gain access to for meeting their daily goals as a reward. Think birthday bag/Kids meal kind of items.

