

Learning Resource Center Newsletter

December 2025

Issue 67

Winter Break



Food Pantry

The LRC now has a Mini-Cougar Cupboard food pantry and we are looking for organizations, businesses, and community members to help keep it stocked. If you are interested in adopting our food pantry and filling it for a month, please contact us.

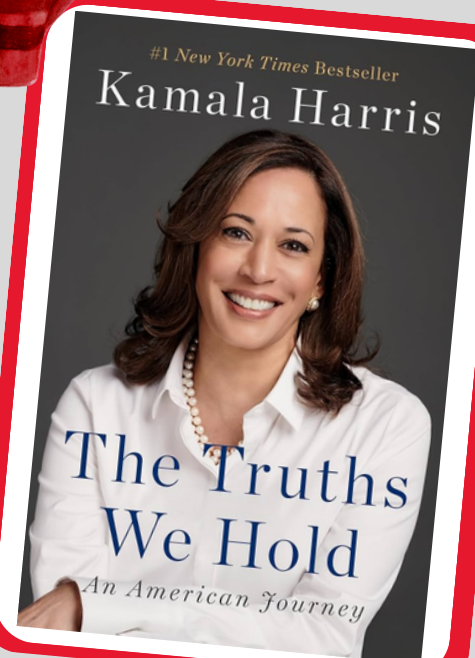
Hot Chocolate Bar

Winter is the perfect time to get cozy with some hot chocolate and a good book. At the LRC you can do both! Join us on Wednesday, December 17, at 9am for our Hot Chocolate bar. We'll have hot chocolate with all the favorite toppings.



LRC Book Club

Book Club will not meet in December but you can pick up January's book before our break. Our January book is *The Truths We Hold* by Kamala Harris. Contact the LRC to sign up and reserve your free copy. Book Club meets on the last Friday of the month, January 30, online.



November Recap

- Nov. 6-Apply Together Thursdays
- Nov. 11-Family Reading Event with SWIC
- Nov. 12-Mindfulness Workshop Series
- Nov. 13-Apply Together Thursdays
- Nov. 18-Computer Basics
- Nov. 19-Workforce Development: Mastering Interviews
- Nov. 20-Apply Together Thursdays
- Nov. 21-Nutrition 101 with SIHF
- Nov. 21-Book Club: The Mothers by Brit Bennett
- Nov. 24-Kid's Corner: Autumn Art
- Nov. 25-Computer Basics



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HOURS OF OPERATION

Monday-Friday 8:30am-4:30pm

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Computer Basics



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Unlock Your Digital Future

Computer Basics

In today's fast-paced, tech-driven world, computer skills are essential for success. Join us on the dates below to begin learning with us

Class Dates & Times

Tuesday, Nov. 18, 9-10 am
Tuesday, Nov. 25, 9-10 am
Tuesday, Dec. 2, 9-10 am

Tuesday, December 9, 9-10am
Tuesday, December 16, 9-10am



- Microsoft Basics ☒
- Real-Time Support ☒
- Hands-On Learning ☒

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Snow Globes



December's Kid's Corner
will feature Snow Globes!

Join us on Friday,
December 12 at 11am to
make snow globes.
Contact us to register so
we have enough supplies.



DECEMBER 2025

Monday


Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

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Computer Basics
Dec 2, 9, & 16 at 9am




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Tuesday, Dec 23, 30, & 31 at 9am
Wednesday, Dec 3, 10, & 17 at 9am



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WKFD:
AI & Your
Resume
2:30pm



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Friday, January 2
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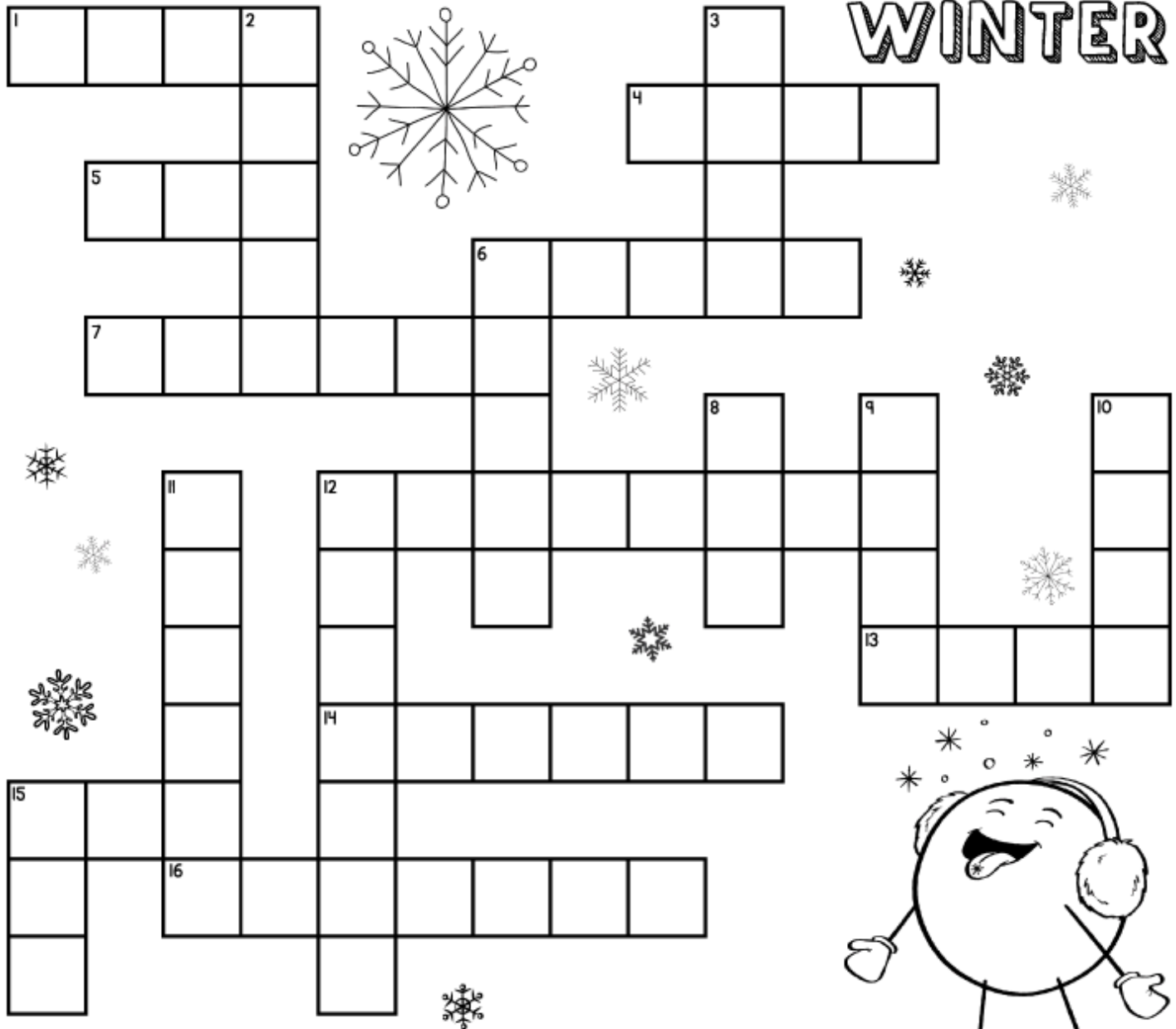
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WINTER



ACROSS

1. soft, white pieces of frozen water that falls to the ground
4. opposite of hot
5. to move on snow with long narrow strips attached to the feet
6. footwear in the winter
7. Dress warm so you don't ____.
12. children like to throw one of these
13. "The snow is 2 feet ____."
14. the coldest season of the year
15. frozen water
16. "We like to go ____ on the pond in the winter."

DOWN

2. the color of fresh snow
3. a piece of clothing worn to keep warm
6. "The temperature fell ____ zero last night."
8. a covering to keep the head warm
9. an outdoor winter toy for kids to slide down snowy hills
10. Be careful not to ____ and fall on the ice.
11. special shoes for ice
12. a model of a person made with snow
15. In the winter, the roads can be ____.

