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STEM - MAKING ICE CREAM

The students explored the science behind making ice cream and discovered that rock salt, when added to ice, can lower its freezing point. When the ice starts to melt the salt mixes with it making it colder than the frozen ice. This makes the perfect environment to make ice cream. Students shook bags of heavy cream, which were enclosed in a bag of ice and rock salt. They noticed that the cream quickly became very cold and solidified. They then enjoyed the fruits of their labor with chocolate sauce and sprinkles!





'TIS THE SEASON! To celebrate this festive time of year students made their own holiday ornaments which they displayed on our class tree. They chose either to make a reindeer or a snowman. As you can see everyone got into

the holiday spirit.













GRADES 3-5 RESEARCHED HOW OTHER COUNTRIES IN THE WORLD CELEBRATE THE HOLIDAYS

While this time of year is a holiday season, many countries celebrate the holidays differently and have their own traditions and festivities. The students each selected a country to research. They discovered many differences between traditions familiar to them and those celebrated around the world. The different countries they chose to explore were Germany, Sweden, Russia, Italy, Israel, and Africa. Understanding and embracing different cultures is part of our curriculum to promote kindness, tolerance and acceptance, and also to embrace our many differences.

The HTASC Staff wish all our Tubman Families a very Merry Christmas and a Peaceful and Happy New Year.