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MEDIA ALERT – Monday, December 18, 2023
Fargo Public School District #1

SECOND GRADERS TO PARTICIPATE IN GINGERBREAD COOKIE DAY AND ELF DAY

Lewis & Clark Elementary School's second grade classrooms are transforming into a gingerbread bakery on Wednesday and Santa's Workshop on Thursday.

WHAT: Second Grade Gingerbread Cookie Day and Elf Day
WHEN: **Gingerbread Day, Wednesday, December 20**
Elf Day, Thursday, December 21
WHERE: Lewis & Clark Elementary School, 1729 16th Street South, Fargo
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The week leading up to winter break will be filled with holiday activities for the five sections of second grade students at Lewis & Clark Elementary School. On Wednesday, the second graders will participate in Gingerbread Cookie Day and then on Thursday they will enjoy Elf Day.

On Gingerbread Cookie Day, the classrooms will turn into a gingerbread bakery. The students will make, decorate, and eat gingerbread cookies while studying multiple versions of the classic tale of "The Gingerbread Man." The students will compare and contrast the differences between the retellings while they enjoy their holiday treats.

On Elf Day, the classrooms will turn into Santa's Workshop at the North Pole with the teachers dressed up as Santa's helpers. The second grade elves will put their workshop skills to good use as they rotate through various stations throughout the day to create holiday crafts. The students will be able to take their crafts home the next day after they dry and can wrap them up and feel the joy of creating and gifting four handmade and personalized items to their family or friends.

Crafts that students will be creating to gift to their loved ones include a photo puzzle wreath ornament, a tree ornament, a stocking cap ornament, and a pine cone ornament.

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