



# Mrs. Riley's Roundup

## December 2019

Dear FAWE Families,

In taking time to “focus on the bright spots” during the month, we most certainly had MANY bright spots to help celebrate the various ways that our FAWE school community SHINES BRIGHTLY. FAWE continued hosting traditions with various celebrations in the classroom, such as Kindergarten building Gingerbread Houses, First Grade students traveled to learn about Winter Around the World, Second Grade Holiday Crafts, Third Grade Winter Celebration, Fourth Grade Frolic, and Fifth Grade BizTown. These events will become special memories in the years to come. It was a bright spot during each occasion to see the smiles and hear the laughter while traveling throughout the campus. As well, we all enjoyed the annual Barnes & Noble Holiday Bookfair and the Sailfish Singers & Ensemble Groups Holiday Show. Last but certainly not least, our FAWE PTA, Volunteers, and Families truly helped our bright spots to shine even BRIGHTER as they hosted an AMAZING Holiday Shoppe for our students to purchase gifts for their family members; designed an Eco-Friendly “GREEN” float for the Holiday Parade; donated dessert items to the annual Cookie Exchange for the FAWE Staff; and gave the gift of time when volunteering for various events. I encourage everyone to take a minute of silence each day to think about the bright spots, both big and small, that make our lives and those around us SHINE BRIGHTLY.