

Miss Maria's Lc-2 Classroom Newsletter

This Month's Units:

Unit 1 - 2/1-2/5 Ground Hog's Day/Cont. Winter Weather/Animals(Polar Bears, Penguins) Dental Awareness/Community Helpers. Five Senses.

Unit 2 - 2/8-2/12 Friendship, Sharing is Caring, Get Ready for Valentine's Day. Pres. Day. Chinese New Year.

Unit 3 - 2/22-2/26 100th Day of School, Review, Cont. Spatial Concepts, Intro Opposites.

Read Aloud: Stories related to Unit themes. Stories by Rosemary Wells & Intro: Kevin Henkes.

Vocabulary/Sight Words: February, winter, cold, snow, snowflake, snowman, hat, coat, bear, Penguins, Ice, President's Day, Valentine's Day, Friends, Caring, Sharing, Love, "I Love You" , Words that begin with the letters O,P,& Q. Continue review of shape/color/number words. Days of the week & Spatial Concept Word Meanings. Opposite words. Level 1Sight Words.

Letters of the week: Introduce the letters O, P,& Q.

Math: Introduce numbers 12,13,14. Daily Calendar: Count the days of the week, & each number of the day. Daily calendar patterning fun. Daily Weather Calendar, count sunny, cloudy, rainy days. Shape patterning mat game. Number/Shape hunt.

Color: Purple&Pink. Games:Twister,Color Bingo.

Shape: Review all shapes. Shape Bingo.

Number: 12,13,14. Number Bingo, Hi-Ho Cherry O Game.

Science: Make Bird Feeders (Bagel with Bird Seeds). Sink & Float Experiment, Fun with Snow/Ice (weather permitting) Explore the 5 Senses.

Author of the Month: Intro: Kevin Henkes & Cont. R. Wells.

Special Happenings

Wear Red/Pink or Purple 2/12 in celebration of Valentine's Day.
Pizza/PJ/ Day for the letter Pp
Movie Day Fri. 2/12



School will be closed:
Mon. 2/15 - 2/19 for Winter Recess.

Parent Info:

Happy Valentine's Day to all of you! We will continue this month concentrating on last month's academic skills. This month we will be discussing in great detail the importance of sharing, caring, love, & friendship, as well as, the importance of expressing our feelings & the meanings of them. We will be learning about dental health & we will be having a lot of fun exploring Science concepts. A friendly reminder that we will be sending progress reports home at the end of the month. Please continue to work with your child at home on their cutting skills, as well as, practicing to write their names. Enjoy the winter break with your children & play a lot!! :)

Activities related to Literature or Theme

Letters O, P,& Q. Activity Sheets

Numbers 12,13,14, Activity Sheets

Feb Board Decorations: Still Snowflakes/Penguins
Jan/Feb Rm. Decorations: Snowmen, Winter Windsocks, Writing Board & Math Activity. Theme Projects: Groundhog, Mr. Tooth, Valentine Projects: Cards, Bags, Sm Md Lg Heart Project, Heart Puzzle, Collages, Bird Feeder(for school). President's Day Project. Spatial Concept Activity Sheets.
Occasional Homework Activity Sheets.