



## February 2023 Pre-K Newsletter

### LOVING LEARNING!

While it may be cold outside, the classroom has been on fire with learning! The Pre-K kiddos are making great strides in the New Year. I am proud of each of them!

In February we will circle back and review each letter we have focused on thus far. There will be 5 new letters introduced this month: N, O, P, Q and R.

We will continue to move full speed ahead with our math skills. Additionally, we will visit broad concepts such as opposites, positional words, sorting, patterning and graphing. We will also spend some time building on our knowledge of shapes, specifically looking at rectangle, diamond and oval.

Progress Assessments will be done this month. I anticipate Parent/Teacher Conferences will be the week of 2/21 - 2/24. More info regarding conference scheduling/ sign-up to come!

#### Feb. 6-9: "N"/ "O" Week

- We will craft a Nest and an Octopus.
- We will sing about Ocean animals and their adventures!
- We will continue Pre-K Progress Assessments.
- Opposites Day- Thurs. 2/9 we will go through our class routine in Opposite order, starting with recess and snack!
- "N" / "O" WEEK SHOW & TELL: Monday 2/6

#### Feb. 13-16: "P" Week / Valentine's Day

- P-Week is Positively Packed! We will learn the Pledge of Allegiance, share about our Pets, Paint on the easel, read about Pete the Cat's Pizza and make our own Pizza!
- On Monday we will make "Puppy Love" Valentine's bags to hold the Valentine's cards from our friends.
- **Valentine's Day Party**- Tues. 2/14. Please have your child write ONLY his/her name on each valentine. Each child should bring 1 valentine for each classmate- 19 total students.
- Pet Day Thurs 2/16- Bring a photo of your pet(s) to share!
- "P" WEEK SHOW & TELL: Mon. 2/13
- "P" WEEK SNACK: Theo & Family
- "P" WEEK PARENT HELPER: Rachel White
- Valentine's Day Party Planners: Jenn Daniels, Rachel White, and Jennifer Zapf

#### Feb. 20-23: "Q" Week / President's Day

NO SCHOOL Mon. 2/20- PRESIDENTS DAY

- Learn about the Presidents
- We will work together to make a class Quilt!
- Parent/ Teacher Conferences will be scheduled this week.
- "Q" WEEK SHOW & TELL: Tues. 2/21
- "Q" WEEK SNACK: Michael & Family
- "Q" WEEK PARENT HELPER: Christina Rose

#### Feb. 27- Mar. 2: "R" Week

- Read up on Raccoons and craft a Raccoon out of shapes
- Go on a "Rainbow hunt," build mathematical Rainbows by subitizing and create a Rainbow- Rocket Number Line
- Review Ratios using Money.
- Ready, Set, REST... Wear your PJs to school on Th. 3/2!
- "R" WEEK SHOW & TELL: Mon. 2/27
- "R" WEEK SNACK: Eleanor & Family
- "R" WEEK PARENT HELPER: Jennifer Ritter