



Social Studies

Civics Unit

- ☺ Identify authority figures and discuss their roles
- ☺ Discuss and identify American Symbols(Flag, Statue of Liberty, etc)
- ☺ Discuss the role of the President
- ☺ Discuss how to make informed decisions
- ☺ We will hold a mock election(candidates are Farmer Brown and Duck)

Science:

Mammals Unit:

- ☺ Observing unique living spaces and habitats of animals
- ☺ Nocturnal vs. Diurnal
- ☺ Hibernation

Weather Unit:

- ☺ Observing and describing different weather patterns
- ☺ What creates weather?
- ☺ Mapping our Weather
- ☺ Discuss various severe weather phenomena(tornados, hurricanes, etc)

Bible:

The Singer: The Sermon on the Mount from Matt 6,9 and Luke 12

The Captain of the Storm: The storm on the lake, Mark 4, Matt 8

Filled Full: The Feeding of 5000 Matt 14

Treasure Hunt!: The Story of the hidden treasures, Matt 13

Class Verses for February:

"You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, soul, and mind." Matt 18:20

Music

Composer of the Month:

Ella Fitzgerald and Duke Ellington

Social Emotional

Modeling ways to manage big emotions/ feelings

- "Try 3 and then ask me": modeling ways to self advocate

-Practicing kindness and encouragement daily

Recognizes and celebrating abilities in others





Literacy

- ☺ Phonogram focus: b, h, v, k, f, x, y, z
- ☺ Blends: bl, nd, st, sh, th
- ☺ Increase automaticity of high frequency words in reading
- ☺ Practice Buddy Reading/ Partner Reading
- ☺ Identifying author, table of contents, bold words, italicized words, and glossary in read aloud
- ☺ Reading Focus: Non Fiction and Poetry
- ☺ Persuasive Writing: special focus on lowercase letters, spacing, and punctuation
- ☺ Edit for punctuation(. ? !)

Math

- ☺ Visualizing, representing, and solving addition and subtraction story problems with result unknown
- ☺ Decomposing numbers 2-10 in different ways
- ☺ Developing and analyzing visual images for quantities up to 10
- ☺ Adding/ subtracting from one quantity to make another quantity
- ☺ Using numbers and addition notation to record how many
- ☺ Describing, identifying, comparing, composing and decomposing 3-D Shapes

Calendar

- 2/9 Muffins with Mom and Chinese New Year
- 2/14 Valentines Day
- 2/1-26- Parent Love Letters to Kids
- 2/19 NO SCHOOL
- 2/21- 100th Day of Kindergarten!
- 2/23 Pizza and Pajama Day
- 2/ 27- FIELD TRIP TO THE SYMPHONY

Birthdays

- 2/29 Katie Jo's $\frac{1}{2}$
- 2/20 Mr. Walker



Reminders

- Please return Friday Folders each Monday.
- Please login to Seesaw, if you have not already, to view photos of your child and see possible extensions

