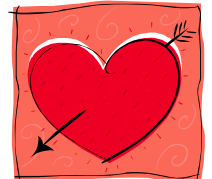


# February News



## Mrs. Frazier's Class

Literacy News: We will be finishing up Unit 3 of our reading series and work on reading benchmark assessments in the first week of February. Our class will be reading stories and doing projects about adventures in Unit 4. We will focus in on reading words with short vowels a, i and o as well as the consonant sounds of /l/ and /h/. Our comprehension skills will cover main idea, cause and effect and sequencing events. In grammar, we will practice identifying the naming parts and action parts of sentences. Our class will work on reading color words and number words. Some high frequency words to practice are: (that, do, all, are, they, was, of, you)

Math News: Children have been learning to identify several geometric solids including: cone, sphere, rectangular prism, cube, and pyramid. Students are also learning to identify shapes and their attributes. They will learn to identify equal parts as well as whole, halves, thirds and fourths.

We set up a pretend post office in our class. The children have the opportunity to write messages and praise notes to each other. Our class will celebrate Valentine's Day on Feb. 12<sup>th</sup> just before we leave for our winter vacation. Students may bring in their Valentine cards to distribute into individual valentine bags anytime during the second week of February. Students will enjoy opening them up and thanking their classmates during the Valentine Celebration on Feb. 12<sup>th</sup>. If

you wish to send in goodies for our Valentine Celebration, please let me know. On Monday, Feb. 22<sup>nd</sup> the students will be celebrating the 100<sup>th</sup> day of kindergarten. Students may bring in a collection of 100 things to school. Some examples include 100 paper clips, pennies, legos, cheerios, etc. We will be sorting the collections in groups of ten. The children will have a fun filled afternoon with several other 100 day activities.

## Reminders:

- Report Cards are going home on February 1<sup>st</sup>. If you have any questions or concerns regarding your child's progress, please let me know. I will be happy to set up a time to meet with you or set up a phone conference.
- Feb. 8<sup>th</sup>- Pie Fundraiser money due
- Feb. 11<sup>th</sup> -Students will visit the Zeiterion to see the performance of "If You Could Give a Pig a Pancake," and other short stories.
- Winter Vacation is Feb 13<sup>th</sup> -Feb. 21<sup>st</sup>  
Have a fantastic winter vacation!
- Mardi Gras Party is scheduled for Feb. 26<sup>th</sup> from 6-8 pm