

FEBRUARY 2018 NEWSLETTER

M-T-W DEVELOPMENTAL FOUNDATIONS

Dear Families,

Our themes for the month of February will include Valentine's Day and President's Day.

Important Dates:

February 7: The children will be mailing valentines to their homes. We will mail them at our mailbox outside the building. Please place envelopes in the appropriate tray on the beige shelf by February 6th.

February 14: Valentine's Day Celebration!

Each child is asked to bring in 19 valentines (with their name on the valentine) to pass out to their friends. Please do not put any names on the envelopes. Put your child's valentines in a bag with their name on the outside of the bag. Put it on the brown table in the gym before school.

February 19: No School

February 21: "PRESIDENT'S DAY PARADE"

*Children are asked to wear the colors red, white and blue to school.

Parade begins promptly at 11:15am. The children will be marching down the hall wearing their red, white and blue hats. "Parade Spectators" are welcome to line up in the hall to form a parade route. Cameras are welcome. The parade lasts about 5 minutes. Classroom dismissal will follow the parade.

CLASSROOM ACTIVITIES:

Week of February 5:

***Send in your addressed envelope by Tuesday, February 6**

Coloring and mailing our Valentines at the mailbox

Valentine art

Finger painting hearts

Week of February 12:

Valentine Art

Letter A-M letter match Valentine Day style.

Valentine exchange and party

Week of February 19:

Making a "Patriotic Banner" for our President's Day Parade

Making a patriotic hat for our parade

Week of February 27:

Marble painting the silhouette of President Lincoln or President Washington

American flag art

Snowman #1-10 number match (This activity was rescheduled due to a snow day)

Stay Warm!

Ms. Bonnie, Ms. Lynn F. and Ms. Danelle

FYI:

We are teaching our children to cough and sneeze into their elbows. Please encourage them to follow through at home. This is a technique that is currently used by health agencies. It is used in an effort to cut down on spreading germs. During the month of March we will be talking about "Healthy Habits" and covering our coughs and sneezes. We are asking families to pre-teach the skill at home.

Thank You