

Mrs. Mooneyham's Memo

February 13, 2017



Dear parents,

Wow! Thank you so much for helping your child create his/her 100th day project. We loved all the creativity! Students had such a fun day and really enjoyed sharing their project. We will send these home today or Tuesday.

Students also loved their Early Release collaboration day with the specialist teachers! Students traveled through each of the four seasons, learning about various weather patterns in each. I hope your child was able to share about their projects on Friday!

This week students will have their second lesson with our media specialist, Mrs. Grice. During this time students are listening to fictional texts that have received various medals such as the Newberry or Caldecott. Students review how these medals can be earned and also the author/illustrator's role throughout each text.

Our Specials Rotation

- Day 1- Spanish
- Day 2- PE
- Day 3- Spanish
- Day 4- Art
- Day 5- Technology
- Day 6- Music
- Day 7- Science

February 13th - March 10th

What are we learning this week?

Reading:

- Sight words of the week: "have", "an", "they" (same as last week)
- Letterland lessons: short "e" word families
- Reading accurately and looking for context clues
- Reading sight words fluently
- Noticing endings on words we already know (ex: If I know "look", I know "looks", "looked", "looking")

Writing:

- Students are working on their FIRST how to book: learning how to include a cover page, materials page, an introduction page and step pages
- Learning about action and transitional words

Math:

- Addition/Subtraction to 5
- Using tools such as a five frame and ten frame to see adding and taking away

Science/Social Studies:

- IB Unit: *How the World Works*
- Central idea: Weather changes can affect people and the environment.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Feb 13 Day 6 <u>Media Center Lesson with Mrs. Grice</u>	Feb 14 Day 7 <u>Valentine's Day</u>	Feb 15 Day 1	Feb 16 Day 2 <u>"Hook a Book" session</u> <u>5th Grade Exhibition</u> 6:30-8:00pm	Feb 17 Day 3 <u>Meet with our 5th grade buddies</u>
Feb 20 Day 4	Feb 21 Day 5	Feb 22 Day 6 <u>Media Center Lesson with Mrs. Grice</u>	Feb 23 Day 7 <u>Bowling Field Trip</u>	Feb 24 Day 1
Feb 27 Day 2 <u>3rd Quarter Interims sent home</u>	Feb 28 Day 3	March 1 Day 4	March 2 Day 5	March 3 Day 6 <u>March Walk to School Day</u> <u>Media Center Lesson with Mrs. Grice</u>
March 6 Day 7	March 7 Day 1 <u>"Ident-a-Kid" Photos taken</u>	March 8 Day 2	March 9 Day 3	March 10 Day 4

Class List for Valentine Cards:

Paulina, Casey, Makiyah, Elyes, Jocelyn, Anaya, Anvay, Kenny, Henry, McCoy, Olivia, Ansley, Owen, Catalina, Alex, Edmund, Aimar, Ella, Tyler, Nyla, Amanda, Chandler

