

NEW FIELD KINDERGARTEN

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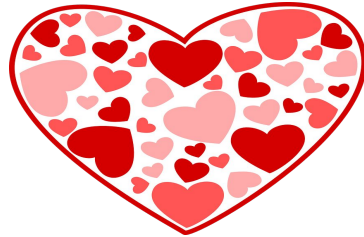
Important Dates

2/8: Progress Reports are sent home

2/9: No School, Professional Development Day for Teachers

2/14: Friendship Party

2/19: No School, Presidents Day



Parent Tip of the Month

If your child wears boots to school, please send a pair of shoes to wear in the classroom.



Curriculum Notes

Reading: In Readers' Workshop, Unit 3 reinforces the "Reading Superpowers" (Pointer Power, Reread Power, Picture Power, Letter Power), while introducing comprehension strategies (Does that make sense? Look right? Sound right?).

Math: Kindergartners are transitioning from the measurement unit to the concept of addition.

Writing: Students are focusing on concepts of print when writing a sentence. Topics include beginning a sentence with an uppercase letter, spaces between words, and punctuation.

Social Studies/Social Emotional Learning: Kindergartners are learning how to solve conflicts by talking and working it out. In addition, the kindergarten classrooms will begin an artist residency with Lifeline Theater, where artists teach our students drama and communication skills.

Essential Team

Physical education: Students will practice kicking a stationary ball, dribbling a ball with their feet, along with other soccer skills.

Technology: Students will learn to program and code mini BeeBots.

Art: Students will be painting winter scenes, and looking at the story quilts of Faith Ringgold.

Music: Students will continue to practice steady beat and rhythms with body percussion, and will learn new circle singing games.