



January 18-22, 2020

MORNING BOOKS & SONGS

YELLOW BOOKS:

The Snowy Day: Jack Ezra Keats
Real-Size Baby Animals: Marie Greenwood

BLUE BOOKS:

This Book Just Stole My Cat!: Richard Byrne
What if You had an Animal Nose?: Sandra Markle

SONGS:

Twinkle Twinkle Little Star
Walking, Walking

MOVEMENT

This week we will dance to the song "Move and Freeze!"

MUSIC

This week we will learn the musical terms "crescendo" and "decrescendo"! We will practice the terms by using animal cards, musical instruments, and our own voices.

BIBLE STORY & SONGS

This week we will learn about John baptizing Jesus! This story will remind us that Jesus came to live a perfect life for us by living as our example! We will learn the song "This Little Gospel Light of Mine" and the Bible passage "When the time had fully come, God sent forth his son" (Galatians 4:4).

LETTER CENTER

This week we will learn the letter Dd! We will write Dd shapes and letters in our journals, identify pictures with the Dd sound, and sort uppercase and lowercase Dds.

LUNCH BOOKS

YELLOW BOOK:

Block City: Robert Louis Stevenson

BLUE BOOK:

Interrupting Chicken: David Ezra Stein

SMALL GROUP PROJECT

MONDAY:

No school today!

TUESDAY:

Today we will learn about different places in our communities! We will watch a short video clip about places and then view and name places specific to Port Orchard. Afterwards we will add places to our own community map.

WEDNESDAY:

Today we will play "Letter Lunch Bag!" We will pass around a letter bag as the special song is sung and once the song stops the person holding the bag will take out a letter and identify it.

THURSDAY:

Today we will spray paint snowflakes! We will read the book "Snow" (Marion Dane Bauer) and afterwards spray bottles filled with watercolor paint on to the taped snowflakes.

FRIDAY:

Today we will explore our sense of touch! We will read the book "Look, Listen, Taste, Touch, and Smell: Learning About Your Five Senses" (Pamela Hill Nettleton) and afterwards feel inside a mystery bag and attempt to identify the objects based on how they feel.

AFTERNOON BOOKS

Princess! Fairy! Ballerina!: Bethanie Denney Murguia
If You Were a Penguin: Wendell Minor

AFTERNOON PROJECT

MONDAY:

No school today!

TUESDAY:

Today we will create necklaces!

WEDNESDAY:

Today we will paint our ABC's with q-tips!

THURSDAY:

Today we will have eraser races!

FRIDAY:

Today we will play "WAR!"

ANNOUNCEMENTS

(VIRTUAL) FAMILY GAME NIGHT:

"Join us" on Friday, January 22, for a family game night! Pull out your favorite games (board games, video games, or even outside games!) and have a fun family night! Snap a picture and add it to the Facebook post!

VALENTINE'S DAY PARTY:

Our classroom Valentine's Day party will be on Friday, February 12. Please only address each valentine's "From: ____" line, NOT the "To: ____" line! Each room has 17 kids.

A sign-up for party donations will be emailed to families interested in helping!

UPCOMING EVENTS

Monday, January 16:

NO SCHOOL: MLK Jr. Day

Friday, January 22:

(Virtual) Family Game Night

Friday, February 12:

Valentine's Day Party

Saturday, February 13; 10:00am:

Bedtime Books: Valentine's Edition

Monday, February 15:

NO SCHOOL: President's Day