



## Topics Learned

- Habitats
- Winter
- Martin Luther King, Jr.
- Groundhog Day



## Topics Coming Next

- Life Cycles
- 100<sup>th</sup> Day
- Valentine's Day
- Presidents
- Goods and Services
- Dr. Seuss

## Letters & Words to Practice

**Letters:** m, a, l, o, h, g, c, d, t, i, j, k, p, u, b, r, f, n, e, s,

**Words:** I, a, see, can, the, we, my, to, do, at, up, and, go, so, like, in, is, it, me, be, he, she, on, look, got, get, his, her, you, are, for, come

## Reading Highlights

- Reading groups start
- Checking a word all the way through
- Thinking about the story to help with tricky words
- Retelling a story
- Learning new vocabulary

## Writing Highlights

- Writing and illustrating stories independently
- Adding speech bubbles
- Punctuation, capitalization, and spacing
- Pound and tap on words we don't know
- Writing sight words

## Math Highlights

- Daily calendar activities such as month, day, year, weather
- Writing numbers
- More, less, equal
- Continue addition and subtraction

## Birthdays

February 6 – Lincoln H.

February 11 – Oliver B.



## Specials Schedule

Be sure your child wears appropriate shoes on Gym days

**Monday** – Gym

**Tuesday** – Library

**Wednesday** – Music

**Thursday** – Art

**Friday** – Music and Art



## Upcoming Dates and Reminders

**February 5** – Pizza Bingo and Book Fair Night – Kindergarten

**February 6** – Pizza Bingo and Book Fair Night – Grades 1 & 2

**February 8** – 100<sup>th</sup> Day of School – Fun activities throughout the day

**February 5-9** – Book Fair at school – Our class shops on Tuesday

**February 13** – PTA meeting – 7:00 p.m.

**February 16** – Valentine Party at school – Important info. already sent home

**February 19** – NO SCHOOL – Presidents Day

**February 21** – Spring Pictures (optional)

## Other Notes

- Now that it is mid-winter, please make sure your child has a coat, gloves, hat, etc. each day. The playground is much windier and colder than you might think. We typically go out with temperatures above 25 degrees wind chill.
- PLEASE check with me to make arrangements if you are going to send in birthday treats. There are allergies, daily schedules, and other birthdays to work around and I need time to organize the details. THANK YOU!!!!
- Every Friday, we will have a special activity tied to our letter of the week for students to earn as a reward for good behavior. If they have trouble throughout the week and don't have positive behavior or improvement, they may lose the reward and attend a social skills lesson. The reward time is called "Fun Friday" and the social skills lesson time is called "Fix It Friday." Encourage your child to work for the reward!