



# FEBRUARY NEWS

## Contact Me/Absences

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If your child is going to be absent for any reason, please let me know! Please bring a doctor's note for appointments.



## Class Staff

Katie Washburn-Teacher  
Nancy Walker-Para  
Taylor Schymick-Para

Robyn Payne-Supervisor  
Nicole Fitch-Speech  
Michelle Rauch-PT  
Dana Gieske-Vision

Jennifer Emmerich-OT  
Carla Hanks-Social Work  
Molly Basnett-Psychologist



## Academics

Curriculum: Unique

Reading: Comprehension

Math: Addition and Subtraction

Social Studies: Traditions/Holidays  
and Traditions

Current Events: African American  
History Month, Valentine's Day

Sight Words: this, with, more, did,  
still, bring, want, music, come,  
these, family, long, of, part, were,  
them, day, add



## Important Information

January flew by so fast! I can't believe we are already a month into 2021. We have been working on functional skills. We are working on putting our own socks and shoes. Students are also working on putting their coats on and zipping them up independently. Please allow your child to attempt to do these on their own. If they have trouble, we ask that they have to ask for help. Continue to work on their functional skills: set the table, sort/put away silverware, sort the laundry, sweep the floor, fold wash cloths, pour a cup of water, and get ingredients from the fridge and the cabinet when you are cooking. All of these skills will help your child be independent.

This month, we will be talking about various holidays and traditions that make each of us unique and different. We will be making a class puzzle. We will also have a Valentines Day party and be sending home a list of names for Valentines.

If your child is displaying any symptoms of illness, please keep your child home. We are trying to help keep all students and staff healthy. COVID symptoms include: fever, cough, shortness of breath, difficulty breathing, fatigue, body aches, headaches, loss of taste or smell, sore throat, congestion, runny nose, nausea/vomiting, and diarrhea. Thank you for your help!

