



## ECP School Family Weekly Update

Ms. Dorothy's AM and PM Classes

Week of February 10-14, 2020

**\*\*NO SCHOOL NEXT WEEK, FEBRUARY 17-22, MID-WINTER VACATION! HOPE EVERYONE HAS A SAFE AND HAPPY BREAK! SCHOOL RESUMES MONDAY FEBRUARY 24, 2020! \*Scholastic Book order going home, due by Wed. Feb. 26, 2020.**

**SNACKS NEEDED: Facial Tissue, Animal Crackers, Small Regular Pretzels. Please see Ms. Dorothy if you can donate. Thank you!**

**AM Class: We welcome a new student to our classroom, Alex Camaj! Alex will be joining our class on Tuesday. We now have 11 students in the AM and 10 in the PM.**

Valentines Day: If you would like to send in Valentines, please do so no later than this Thursday Feb. 13, 2020. This will allow us to organize everyone's items before the big day! Thank you. It is only necessary to put "from + your child's name." Non-Edible treats are preferred. We will be making Valentines' bags for the children to collect their Valentines. Bags will be sealed at school and sent home. No treats will be consumed at school.

News from the past week: We learned about the letter R which makes the "errrrr" sound. Orthographic Letter Formation is "Big line down, jump up, little curve to the middle, little line to the bottom." Both classes really enjoyed the book, Rosie's Walk by Pat Hutchins. This story is about a hen, named Rosie who goes on a walk. A sly fox follows her and tries to chase her, however; he ends up getting into all kinds of mishap, while Rosie makes it back to her hen house just in time for dinner. The story focuses on prepositions: across, around, over, past, through, and under. We read the story and acted it out! We enjoyed our decorating our Valentine's Bags Art Project at Ms. Vicki's Art Table. We glued shapes and other decorations on to our bag.

Other News: PLEASE SEE MONTHLY CALENDAR/STAR SCHEDULE on the back

**➡ \*\*Children entering Kindergarten or Young 5s in the fall are required to have a vision screening & up-to-date immunizations. Parents can have these completed at their pediatrician's office, or at the Wayne Co. Health Dept. [HearingAndVisionProgram@waynecounty.com](mailto:HearingAndVisionProgram@waynecounty.com) or call 734-727-7136. *School Wellness Refresher: Now that we're in the winter season, please remember the Barnes School Health Policy. Please know that students need to be healthy in order to optimally function in the school setting, in terms of their learning, socialization and behavior! Germs can travel quickly and please know that some students have compromised immune systems. Fevers of 100 degrees or higher, diarrhea, excessive oral/nasal congestion, unexplained rashes, discharge from the eyes, ears or other body parts are all reasons for students to rest their bodies at home in order for a healthy successful recuperation to take place. In the cases of a fever (as fevers can indicate serious medical conditions): a child must be fully recovered before returning to the demands of learning in the***

*school setting; therefore, a child must have gone 24 hours with no fever or symptoms (or medications that temporarily dampen fevers.) **\*\* Please See Handouts on Ms. Dorothy's Hallway Board***

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