



Purple Room January Newsletter

Curriculum Highlights

We are so excited to start a new year with new challenges and goals! Our second semester goes full force with letter recognition and sounds, numbers, rhyming, and sight words while following PlayWorks and Inspire curriculums. We will learn the Pledge of Allegiance and The Texas Pledge. We will be working on our journals a lot more. The journal is a great tool to assess your child's academic progress and development.

Reflections on Last Month

Looking back ... How much fun we had in December learning about Migration, Hibernation, Hanukkah, Kwanzaa, and Christmas Around the World! All the fun projects and activities were stupendous and the Holiday performance, what a great job the kiddos did! Academically the majority is doing well, right on target. We have started with a few sight words and they have nailed them already. Wow! We continue to practice good manners, kindness, and respect.

Themes for This Month

- #1 Patriotism
- #2 Classical Music & Instruments
- #3 My Community
- #4 Groundhogs

Dates to Remember

1. Happy New Year 2022!
11. Frozen Day!
17. MLK Day Holiday
Teacher In-Service
19. Music Man 🎵
Happy Birthday, Makena!
25. Happy Birthday, Karla!

Reminders/Other Notes

- *** WATER BOTTLES - Licensing requires all water bottles to be labeled with child's first name and last name initial.
- *** EXTRA CLOTHES - Please make sure your child has a change of clothes in a bag in his/her locker; children grow and temperature changes. Please make sure your child has the right kind of clothing and shoes for emergencies.
- *** Procure APP - Please check daily for important information.

INSPIRED in Action

CIVIC LITERACY

Children will listen to and discuss more complex storybooks, information books, and poetry. Children will show awareness how their behavior can affect the feelings of others. Children will be introduced to the values of cooperation, honesty, integrity, and patriotism.

"Purple Room is our Home away from Home."