



Class: Ms. McElfresh

Date: February 2017

SPECIFIC SKILLS:

Picture Study- Attention to details  
Arithmetic- Accuracy and memory work.  
Poetry- Correct voice inflection  
Rug time- Having control over one's body

CONTENT:

Phonics- dge rule and Beginning Scamp and Tramp  
Poetry- Sing Song; a nursery rhyme book by Christina Rossetti  
Literature- The Sky tree  
Composer Study- John Philip Sousa

MEMORY WORK:

“To repay evils with kindness is the religion I was taught to practice, and this will forever be my rule.”

-John James Audubon

INSPIRATION:

"We attempt to define a person, the most commonplace person we know, but he will not submit to bounds; some unexpected beauty of nature breaks out; we find he is not what we thought, and begin to suspect that every person exceeds our power of measurement."

- Charlotte Mason, *Concerning Children as Persons*, Part 1

IDEAS:

Phonics- Remembering blends and approaching longer words peacefully  
Picture Study- Finding the beauty in art  
Arithmetic- Math is a language designed by God to better understand our world  
Rest time- The importance of rest and how our bodies need it

IMPORTANT DATES:

February 8 – PVA Meeting at 6:30pm  
February 10 – Community Day – Movie Trip to Brenden Theaters  
February 17 – Parent’s Night Out – Bowling, Bowlounge 6:30pm (van leaves at 5:30pm)  
February 20 – Presidents’ Day – SCHOOL DAY  
February 22 – All School Lunch February 22 & 23 – Parent Teacher Conferences (Early Release 1:00pm)  
February 24 – Community Day – Ski Sunlight

VOCABULARY your child has been introduced to through text: