Preschool February Themes 2020  ☺ February is also focus on your FEELINGS month!! ☺

3-7th super Shapes

10th-14th - The Shape of our HEART! (All about Shapes and Feelings)

17-21st WINTER VACATION (no School)

25th- March 1st - Shapes around US! (don’t forget your Homework ☺)

Goodbye January, Hello February! We so enjoyed our PJ Days last Month! We graphed who has footie PJ’s, Tops and Bottoms and Night Gowns. Tops and Bottoms had the MOST! We shared bedtime routines and some of our favorite bedtime stories! We also spent some time matching local animals to there Tracks, as well as exploring Ice and all its wonderful characteristics. 😊

We have also been talking about Stories, and how they Have a Beginning a Middle and an End. Perhaps, When you read to your child save some time for reflecting at the end. You might ask questions like.. What happened in the beginning of the story? Was there a problem? Did it get fixed? What happened at the end? If you are ever looking for appropriate books don’t hesitate to ask! We always leave the book we read at group time up so you can have a look and often we can lend it if your child expresses an interest!

Thank You to all who have labeled snow gear. It helps so much! We also prefer Mittens instead of gloves! So much easier for little hands and busy teachers 😊

Here are some of the skills that we will be working on this month

Social/Emotional--- talking about what do that makes us feel good inside and how we can help or hurt others by what we say. We will talk about Healthy Habits like exercise, eating good food and getting rest!

Gross and fine motor— Cutting paper, Balancing and working on jumping, and hopping. Stretch band activities, stacking, buttoning and zipping. Jumping from shape to shape!

Math and Science: In January Elements came and talked to us about Bones. In February Audobon will come and Tell us all about OWLS! —we will be: weighing and measuring, Ice experimenting (with how long it takes Ice to melt/water to freeze.) What happens to your heart when you exercise? We will go on a shape hunt and learn how many sides each shape has. Or Not?

Language---learning new vocabulary words: cold, hot, blubber, insulation, Respect, thoughtful, etc… We will use oppositional words- Over, under, around and between. Continue to use our rhythm and rhyming songs and working on learning head and shoulders in Russian.

... RE: Valentines day...PLEASE... It is too much to ask children this age to send valentines to all their classmates so do NOT send your child in with valentines for their classmates. We will have upstairs downstairs day on Thurs. and Fri. to celebrate.

It will mean more if they make a few special ones for those they love the best!

Please Turn Over.........
Please Check the Bulletin boards for upcoming dates:

A Second Parent Group meeting on Thursday February 27th

Many Thanks to The Wile Family for all their Greens donations in December!

Thanks also to Jonah’s family for Donating the Airplane See Saw in the playground!

We are enjoying sharing Literacy events with all of you and look forward to more guest READERS!! See the sign up... 😊

Here is to a fun February! Hanna, Brenda, and Melanie