



Dear Parents,

It's hard to believe that March is almost here! Hopefully, we will begin to see signs of spring. As we finish the month of February, we have added some new words to our word wall. These include: **look see of you they are do that was here** We will also be adding the color words: **blue green yellow** Word wall words or "popcorn words" serve as anchors when your child reads independently. Please practice spelling and writing these words at home. When your child is writing, please encourage your child to spell these words correctly. Other words may be spelled phonetically by writing letters for the sounds that your child hears. Does your child ask "how do you spell ____?" Remind them to say the word slowly and write letters for the sounds they hear.

In science, we have been studying movement. We learned about gravity from flying paper airplanes. We will also be learning about magnets and vibrations.

In math, we continue to practice recognizing and writing numbers. We are also talking about 2- and 3-dimensional shapes and telling time.

On Thursday, March 1, we will visit the book fair in the library. **This will be our only class trip to the book fair.** If you would like to send money, your child may pick out a book then. The fair will be open on March 1 and 2, Donuts for Dads days.

Reminders: Wednesday, Feb. 22—Early Dismissal Day PM K meets 11:35-1:15

EDK meets 8:55-1:15

Thursday, March 1—1:00 Book Fair Visit

Thursday and Friday, March 1 & 2-Donuts for Dads

Saturday, March 3—PTO Roller Skating Party

Sincerely,

Sue Gehman

P.S. We are experiencing a lot of sickness here at school. If your child has been sick, **do not** send your child to school until they have been fever-free for at least 24 hours. Also, if your child has been vomiting, they should not return to school until at least 24 hours after vomiting has stopped. Please help us all stay healthy 😊