

Weekly Newsletter - Mrs. Papczun - klulrich-pap@cps.edu Week of March 5-9, 2018

Please understand that I teach children, not subjects, so this may adjust as the week goes!

| What's happening this week... <br> $\star$ THEME: (Dr. Seuss carry-over) Maps! <br> $\star$ LITERACY: comprehension <br> * MATH: measurement <br> * SOCIAL EMOTIONAL: Calm classroom daily, Second Step lesson on empathy <br> $\star$ Students of the week are *SOFIA* and *BARNABY*! | What's coming up soon... <br> $\star$ Wed, March 7, 9a- Coffee with Principal <br> $\star$ Fri, March 9- field trip \$ + form due <br> $\star$ Tues, March 20-Shedd Aquarium field trip <br> * March 26-30-Spring Break <br> Wednesdays are Ray Spirit Day! Wear green and any Ray gear! |
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| SIGHT WORDS OF THE WEEK: <br> where, his, her <br> PAST SIGHT WORDS: <br> why, because, so, yes, no, help, love, day, fun, away, by, want, what, with, it, said, come, us, he, she, was, play, go, here, and, are, to, do, all, me, a, is, I, like, can, see, the, big, little, in, up, down, we, have, be, look, at, my, eat, run, as, for, you, am, on, of, they | Regular Reminders: <br> - Monday and Friday mornings have the extra teacher prep time <br> - Special teachers dismiss each day at 3:45p <br> - Homework packets go home on Mondays and are returned on Fridays (please don't send them early) <br> - Please clear folders nightly (it's ok to keep the homework packet in there) |
| What's happened already... <br> - Ms. Annorh's 3rd graders shared their cereal box projects for Black History Month! <br> - *TYLOR* and *KELLY* were our students of the week last week! Our classmates shared that Tylor helps others when they are hurt! Our classmates shared that Kelly is a good friend! | All March birthdays will be celebrated on Friday, March 23. A letter will go home to all students with March birthdays. <br> Please see more things to note on the back. |

"You can find magic wherever you look. Sit back and relax, all you need is a book." - Dr. Seuss

More things to note...

Women's History Month
Each week, we will learn about notable women in history. This week, we will read a book that mentions several important women to set the tone.

## Class Dojo Points

Please see the handout about Class Dojo Points and let me know if you have questions. Week one= this group has had good, immediate responses to the points, but stickers seem more concrete. I do not like to use my phone beyond photos while I am in front of the children. I am also having difficulties consistently recording behavior, as can be a typical challenge with this system. Please celebrate the moments I do enter, which are usually whole-group, "everyone is showing me their best carpet behavior!" These are important moments to reinforce!

Mrs. Papczun out this week for 2 days
I will be out of town on Monday, March 5th and Tuesday, March 6th, for a trip I scheduled before I accepted this position. I have left everything the students need to maintain their normal routines and they will do great. Mrs. Burks is teaching for me and I am grateful.

## Room 104 needs the following supplies. Please donate as you can. Thank you! Mrs. Papczun

## - Glue sticks (big boxes are cheap on Amazon, we use these so much and have used everything sent at the beginning of the year!) <br> - hand/baby wipes <br> - Bandaids

