



News from Ms. Tessa's Classroom

January 21, 2021

VALENTINE'S PARTY

Valentine's Party will be on Thursday, February 11. We still need several parents to plan, buy, and send in snacks, an activity and/or a game, and any supplies the kids need for the party. The activity/game can be **VERY SIMPLE** since the kids will spend most of our time passing out their Valentines.

Your child will need to make/decorate a Valentine box/bag at home. Just have your child write their name in the "From" section on their Valentine, leave to "To" section blank.

CLASSROOM NEWS



Our theme this week is Winter/Arctic Animals. The kids learned that it is really, really cold in the Arctic and it is all ice and snow. We also identified animals that live there.

Tuesday we "melted ice blocks" (dissolved sugar cubes), Wednesday we did color by number penguins, today we did a polar bear coloring picture and painted over it with a water and Epsom salt mixture to make it look icy and tomorrow we will make Arctic scenes by painting on foil. I think it is safe to say the highlight of the week was when we waddled like penguins using balloons!

This week our books are Life In The Polar Regions, Follow The Polar Bears, The Little Penguin, Polar Bear And The Rainbow, & Bear Gets Stuck.

COMING SOON

- *100th Day Of School (Feb. 3)
- *Summer Session Survey
- *Conference Sign Ups



REMINDER: Please make sure you send in a package of clear page protectors and a package of white 8.5 X 11 in. cardstock paper. The page protectors are for your child's portfolios to keep their pages safe and the cardstock is good sturdy paper to do projects on.

"Instruction does much, but encouragement does everything."
-Johann Wolfgang von Goethe

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