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Greenwich School News

Parent Teachers Conferences will be held on **Friday, February 1st- there will be No School on this day**. Will the Groundhog see his shadow? Will Spring arrive early? This month, we will focus on the themes of Community Helpers, Valentine's Day, Being Healthy and Dr. Seuss Week. The letters Bb, Rr, Kk, and Aa will be introduced as well as numbers 3 and 4.

On **Wednesday, February 13th** we will celebrate Valentine's Day with **Bring Someone You Love to School Day/Valentine's Party**. Children can bring a much loved family member (18 years or older) to school with them that day. We will fill the day with fun activities, songs, crafts and snacks. Further details to follow. Children will also exchange Valentines on this day. **Please do not attach anything edible** to Valentines - **Thank You!** We invite **Guest Readers** to join us in our classrooms to participate in Read Across America/Dr. Seuss Week. **February 25th , 27th and 29th** parents, older sibling and other relatives are invited to read a story of their choice. We will have a sign up posted for those who wish to volunteer. On **February 27th**, a guest from My Children's Dentist will visit and talk about dental hygiene. As a reminder there will be **No School on Friday, February 15th and Monday, February 18th** in observance of President's Day.

Daily Reminders

- Please have your child use the bathroom and wash hands each day before school.
- Bring a backpack and a change of clothes (including underwear, socks and shoes) in case of accidents or spills. This should remain in their backpack and be changed according to season.
- Attendance sheets are in each classroom. Please be sure to sign your child in and out each day.
- Birthdays are celebrated monthly. Cake, water and raisins will be provided for snack. Birthday children may bring in a non-edible treat or goodie bag to hand out to their classmates (optional).

Snack

- Please remember to pack a small, healthy snack and drink for your child each day. Snack bags should be labeled and placed above your child's hook when you come into school.
- Snack will be provided on Birthday Day each month.
- **Please be advised that we are a nut-free school, so we kindly ask that you do not pack any peanut or tree nut products. Thank you!**

Outdoor Fun!

As the weather gets colder, the majority of our recess time will be upstairs in Memorial Hall. Please dress your child appropriately for physical activity. Sneakers and closed-toe shoes are a must for safety. We also recommend sending your child with a coat and mittens in case the weather is mild enough for a playground day.



4 Year Olds – School Buses
Mrs. Rieger – Mrs. Visconti



4+ Year Olds – Frogs
Mrs. Macor

Mrs. Grenyo (Float)