

PS 147 KINDERGARTEN NEWS

FEBRUARY 2019

Reading

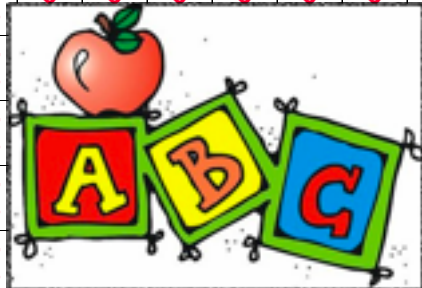
Our fourth reading unit is **Becoming a Class of Reading Teachers.** Kindergartners will continue to read “just-right” books. They will need to draw on all of the strategies they’ve learned up to this point to help them with accuracy.

We will be spending a lot of time reading as a class and independently.



Writing

Kindergartners will be working on narratives. They will focus on the beginning, middle, and end of their true stories. They will work on making their writing easier to read by leaving spaces between words, stretching out words utilizing end punctuation, and using the word wall.



Ms. Ham

Ms. Villalona

Ms. Serrano & Ms. Ito

Math

Our fifth Math unit is **Addition**. Kindergartners are beginning to understand addition as putting together and adding to. Kindergartners should be able to write the numbers 0-10.

Kindergartners should be able to draw pictures showing 0 to 10. Students will play different math games to practice these skills.

Word Study

Students are learning rhyming words. They are working on different word families. They are also learning to stretch out words in a snap. Students will continue to learn through play-based centers.

Social Studies

Kindergartners will be exploring how the ideals of the United States are represented by various national symbols. They will work in groups to create a replica of a national symbol.

JDLP: Social Studies

Students are learning what is the same and different about people. They are examining similarities and differences amongst each other. They will create and share what makes them unique.

Science

Kindergartners will continue their investigation on the needs of living things. They will be planting radish and sunflower seeds under different conditions. They will observe and record their findings.

JDLP: Science

The students will learn about weather related vocabulary in Japanese. They will observe and describe weather conditions that occur during each season. The children will continue to build their Japanese vocabulary.

CookShop

The students will learn about healthy food options and the importance of physical activities. The students will also learn about the concept of healthy eating and the five food groups.



REMINDERS:

February 5, 2019: Lunar New Year – School Closed

February 8, 2019: PS 147 Day – Wear School Gear

Week of February 11, 2019: Respect for All Week

Monday, February 18, 2019 – Friday, February 22, 2019: Mid-Winter Recess – School Closed

Monday, February 25, 2019: School resumes

Wednesday, February 27, 2019: Parents in the Classroom @ 8:15am followed by PTA Meeting @ 9am

Thursday, February 28, 2019: Character Education Assembly