



# HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY!

## 4<sup>th</sup> Grade Newsletter

February 12 - 16, 2018

New Life Academy of  
Excellence  
Where Educating is Our  
Number One Goal



### Reminders:

- Morning work counts as 2% of a student's grade. Please make sure your child comes to school on time.
- Keep those **box tops** and/or **soup labels** coming!
- Please make sure that your child is **picked up by 3:40** everyday.
- **Please check your child's agenda daily**
- Please **read for at least 30 minutes** every day!
- Please have your child go on ConnectEd at least once a week to complete online assignments



### Key Vocabulary Words

**Math** – centimeter, kilometer, meter, metric system, millimeter, liter, milliliter, gram, kilogram, mass

#### Reading –

**Science** – light, transparent, translucent, opaque, direct light, indirect light, reflected light, classify

**Social Studies** – inauguration, trespass, Manifest Destiny, dictator, cession, Gold Rush, forty-niner, Industrial Revolution, investor

## WHAT'S GOING ON?

Ms. Nguyen and Ms. Youngblood's students should be practicing their part of the presentation for the Chinese New Year Program that is scheduled for February 16<sup>th</sup>.

Mrs. Baker and Mrs. Hyon's students who are part of the presentation should be practicing their part of the presentation for the Black History Program that is scheduled for February 22<sup>nd</sup>.

### We'll Be So Busy!

**Math** - Students will practice how to estimate and measure metric capacities and lengths. Also, students will convert customary measurements, interpret line plots, and solve problems with measurements.

**Social Studies** - Students will learn of the negative impact of the westward expansion on the Native Americans, purpose of the Indian Removal Act of 1830, and explain the Trail of Tears. They will also learn about the Alamo and the hardships of the Oregon Trail.

**Reading/Writing** - Students will continue to write persuasive writings. Students also read various passages to find the theme and practice summarizing.

**Science** - Students will describe how light transmits through different materials. They will classify objects into three different materials: transparent, translucent, and opaque.

## Important Dates:

\* Test dates are tentative and may change \*

**Feb 5-** Measurement Quiz

**Feb 14-** Chapter 11 Customary Measurement Cumulative Test

**Feb 15** – 2<sup>nd</sup> Semester Interim Progress Report sent home

**Feb 16** – Chinese New Year Program

**Feb 19** – Student Holiday – NO SCHOOL

**Feb 21 & 22** – Early Release Days

**Feb 22** – Black History Program

**Feb 23** – Atlanta Zoo Field Trip Slip & Money Due

**Mar 1** – February Pizza Hut Book It Log Due

**Mar 1** – Six Flags Read to Succeed Reading Log Due

**Mar 1~7** – Book Fair

### Wish list

**Hyon/Nguyen/Youngblood** – pencils & tissue boxes

**Baker** – Lysol wipes

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