



Lion class newsletter February and March 2019

Dear parents,

Lion class had a great first semester, and their last semester at Marshall is going to be just as great. These students have progressed well in their reading, writing and speaking skills, and they will continue to practice and polish those skills. They all enjoy spending their days together, as they have established bonding relationships. I'm very happy to lead these kids toward their graduation in July, with all the activities in the coming months.

Teacher Joseph

Reading

Last month's story readers were pretty cool, opening a wide range of topics, including gardens and salads, fighting a dragon, balloons and zoo animals and wrinkles. Please spend time with your child reviewing these books!

February 1st: All About Light

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March 25th-29th: Who Is Getting Married?

Phonics

Lion class likes spending time in their Phonics book. They enjoy the worksheets and the short stories and rhymes. Most of the students can distinguish long and short vowels, and recognize all consonant sounds. We usually spend time doing one page at a time, or even just half a page if our schedule is tight. This is one of Lion class' favorite workbook.

February 1st: P. 119: Final Digraphs

February 4th-8th: Winter Vacation

February 11th-15th: P. 120-121: Final Digraphs

February 18th-23rd: P. 123- 125: Consonant Digraphs and Silent Letters

February 25th-27th: P. 126-129: Writing ar words

March 4th-8th: P. 130-133: Writing er, ir, and ur words

March 11th-15th: P. 135-139: High Frequency Words

March 18th-22nd: P. 140-146: r- controlled words

March 25th-29th: P. 147-148: Vowel Digraph oo

Core Material

These classes are going well. The students really enjoy the interesting stories and comprehensive illustrations. They are pleased to start Unit 3, since it is a new book, with lots of new stories and illustrations. This class is an all encompassing lesson for the children's reading, grammar and phonics skills. In these classes children are asked to analyze stories, practice vowel sounds and use a selection of keywords for sentence making and grammar. We are using both Anthology and Workshop books which will exercise each child's comprehension and grammar skills.

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February 4th-8th: Winter Vacation

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February 18th-23rd: Unit 3 Week 2 Workshop: Time to Plant

February 25th-27th: Unit 3 Week 2 Anthology: The Big Yuca Plant

March 4th-8th: Unit 3 Week 2 Anthology: The Big Yuca Plant

March 11th-15th: Unit 3 Week 2 Anthology: How Plants Grow

March 18th-22nd: Unit 3 Week 3 Workshop: Tales over Time

March 25th-29th: Unit 3 Week 3 Workshop: Tales over Time

Writing

Lion class is enjoying working in this book. They are learning a lot of interesting stories and learning to write well. I needed to help write a lot of the sentences for most of the students in this class, but now, most of them are able to finish all the writing themselves.

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March 18th-22nd: P. 64-65: New Star Jimmy Brown
March 25th-29th: P. 66-67: New Star Jimmy Brown

Workbook

The Jump book is great for learning grammar and spelling. Lion class is learning to speak much better since they've been studying with this book. They even correct each other with the proper grammar usage.

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March 18th-22nd: P. 64-65 : Review
March 25th-29th: P. 66-67: Days of the week

Math

We are using MPM's books and boxes for math class. They have an interesting way of teaching common math concepts by using animals, colors, shapes, stickers and other objects that children find amusing. I'm also spending time introducing plus and minus equations. They are eager to do well in math.

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February 25th-27th: TG, P.05-06, TD, P.03-04, WB, F1 P. 11-14: Learning basic concept of money
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March 11th-15th: TG, P.09-10, TD, P.05-06, WB, F2 P.P.01-5: Spatial Correspondence
March 18th-22nd: TG, P.11-12, TD, P.05-06, WB, F2 P.06-10: Measurements
March 25th-29th: TG, P.13-14, TD, P.07-08, WB, F2 P. 11-14: Coordinates

Songs and Movement

This is a great opportunity for children to bond with each other and exercise their vocal range using clear enunciations. In addition to the scheduled songs, I plan to introduce many others that my past students enjoyed.

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Thematic Activity

Each month a different foreign teacher is assigned to plan and arrange activities of a given theme. This can be anything from small art projects, short field trips near the school or even a party in the classroom! The themes are often related to different festivals around the world so it really helps them to understand different cultures while having fun at the same time.

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Physical Education

P.E. class is a great chance for the children to run, jump, stretch and play. It's important for everyone to get enough physical activity in a fun and interesting way. Activities range from throwing and catching balls and Frisbees, to running, crawling, skipping and rolling races. Starting out with a good warm up, each child will reap the benefits of learning good balance and good sportsmanship.

February 1st: I can Kick/ both legs
February 4th-8th: Winter Vacation
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February 18th-23rd: I can somersault
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March 18th-22nd: I can stand on my hands
March 25th-29th: I can swing



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親愛的家長，您好

獅子班有一個偉大的第一學期，他們在馬歇爾的最後一個學期將是同樣偉大的。這些學生在閱讀，寫作和口語方面取得了很好的進步，他們將繼續練習和提高這些技能。他們都喜歡在一起度過他們的日子，因為他們建立了聯繫關係。我很高興帶領這些孩子在7月份畢業，並在接下來的幾個月裡完成所有活動。

Teacher Joseph

Reading

上個月的故事讀者非常酷，開啟了廣泛的主題，包括花園和沙拉，對抗龍，氣球和動物園動物和皺紋。請花時間與孩子一起閱讀這些書！

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Phonics

獅子班喜歡在他們的 Phonics 書中花時間。他們喜歡工作表和短篇小說和押韻。大多數學生可以區分長元音和短元音，並識別所有輔音。我們通常花時間一次做一頁，如果時間緊，我們甚至只花半頁。這是 Lion 班級最喜歡的練習冊之一。

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Core Material

這個課程是提供孩子們閱讀、了解文法和 Phonics 練習的全方位課程。在課程中，會請孩子們了解故事內容，練習母音，並使用一系列關鍵詞進行造句和文法練習。我們使用 Anthology 和 Workshop 這兩本書，這些內容將增進每個孩子對文章的理解能力和文法技巧。

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Writing

獅子班正在享受這本書的工作。他們正在學習很多有趣的故事並學習寫得好。我需要幫助為本課程中的大多數學生寫很多句子，但是現在，他們中的大多數都能夠完成所有的寫作。

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Workbook

Jump 書非常適合學習語法和拼寫。自從他們一直在學習這本書以來，獅子班正在學習說得更好。他們甚至用正確的語法用法相互糾正。

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Math

我們正在使用 MPM 的書籍和盒子進行數學課程。他們通過使用動物，顏色，形狀，貼紙和孩子們覺得有趣的其他物品來教授常見的數學概念。我也花時間介紹正負方程。他們渴望在數學方面做得好。

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這是一個很好的機會讓孩子們相互聯繫，並使用明確的發音來鍛煉他們的聲音範圍。除了預定的歌曲，我還計劃介紹我過去的學生喜歡的許多其他歌曲。

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Thematic Activity

每個月都會指派一名不同的外籍教師來規劃和安排特定主題的活動。這可以是小型藝術項目，學校附近的短途旅行，甚至是教室裡的派對！這些主題通常與世界各地的不同節日有關，所以它真正有助於他們在享受同時享受樂趣的同時理解不同的文化。

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Physical Education

體育上課是孩子們跑步，跳躍，伸展和玩耍的好機會。對每個人來說，以有趣和有趣的方式獲得足夠的身體活動是很重要的。活動範圍包括投擲和接球以及飛盤，跑步，爬行，跳繩和滾動比賽。從熱身開始，每個孩子都將獲得學習良好平衡和良好體育精神的好處。2月1日- 5日：

2月4日- 8日：I can Kick/ both legs
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