

## **Giraffe Class Newsletter February & March 2022**

Dear parents and welcome to our February News Letter.  
Here is what we will be studying in the coming month.

### **Reading**

This semester we will have a new set of books to read. These new books have longer sentences and longer words for the kids to read.

February

Week 1- Winter Vacation

Week 2- Little Sister, Big Mess

Week 3- Busy Day, Busy Night

Week 4 -What's the Weather?

March

Week 1- Eat your peas, Louise!

Week 2- Being Me

Week 3- Sometimes Things Change

Week 4- One Smart Fish

Week 5- Stinky Clothes

### **Core material**

The core Material books are very colorful and have a lot of pictures to keep the kids interested. The core material books have many fun stories that use a lot of sentences and some basic grammar points to help the students develop their spoken English abilities.

February

Week 1- Winter Vacation

Week 2- Unit 1 Week 4 Workshop

Week 3- Unit 1 Week 4 Workshop

Week 4- Unit 1 Week 4 Workshop

March

Week 1- Unit 1 Week 4 Workshop.

Read Friends story and answer the question What do friends do together?

Week 2- Unit 1 Week 4 Anthology.

Respond to reading. Use your own words to retell three important details in Friends.

Week 3- Unit 1 Week 4 Anthology.

Answer the question how does your body move? Read the story Move It!

Week 4- Unit 1 Week 4 Anthology.

Respond to Reading. Answer the questions.

Week 5- Unit 1 Week 4 Anthology.

Using Diagrams. What body parts help kids move? What tricks do you think a fish could do with its body parts?

### **Phonics**

The Phonics book is a very good introduction for our class to get to know and recognize the Phonics letters and sounds. There is also a lot of drawing and coloring to make it a lot more fun and assessable for the kids.

February

Week 1 Winter Vacation

Week 2 P130, 131, 133, 134 Blending onsets with short Vowels e Rimes.

Week 3 P146 High Frequency Words.

Week 4 P149, 150, 156, 157 Short Vowels a,e,i,o,u/ a-e

March

Week 1 P158,159,160 ai,ay/ Onsets with long Vowel a rimes.

Week 2 P161,162,163,164 Onsets with Long Vowel a rimes

Week 3 P167,168,171,172 Long Vowel a

Week 4 P174,175,176,177 i\_e, i\_e, ugh, ie

Week 5 P178,179,181,182 Onsets with Long Vowel i Rimes

### **MPM Math**

This semester we will be moving up to book C in the MPM math series.

February

Week 1 Winter Vacation

Week 2 D1:P01-5

Week 3 D1:P6-10

Week 4 D1:P11-14

March

Week 1 D1:P15-18 Spatial Correspondence

Week 2 D2:P01-6 Binary System and Repetitive Patterns

Week 3 D2:P07-12 Drawing/Writing Numbers

Week 4 D2:P13-18 Combination and Separation of Properties

Week 5 D3:P0-6 More than or less than

### **Grammar**

This is a new class for us this Semester. We will be learning about Capital and small letters, full stops and question marks.

Book 1

February

Student Book

Week 1 Winter vacation

Week 2 P54-55

Week 3 P56-57

Week 4 P58-59

March

Week 1 P60-61 don't or doesn't

Week 2 P62-63 Do you like grapes? I/You/We/They. He/She/It

Week 3 P64-65 Write do/does or like/likes

Week 4 P66-67 test your Grammar

Week 5 P68-69 Grammar in writing

## **Song and Dance**

We have Song/dance class every morning from 9.00-9.30. This is a great opportunity for the kids to get them self-energized in the morning and ready for the rest of the day. I like to use a number of different songs using a lot of exercise movements and dance movements to help with their motor skills.

February

Week 1 Winter Vacation

Week 2 We will rock you

Week 3 We will rock you

Week 4 We will rock you

March

Week 1 I will follow him

Week 2 I will follow him

Week 3 I will follow him

Week 4 The shapes threw a party

Week 5 The shapes threw a party

## **Hand writing**

Week 1 Winter Vacation

Week 2 P1,3,4

Week 3 P5,10,12

Week 4 P13,16,19

## **Thematic Activities**

The thematic activities are a chance for our students to focus on learning about a country or a specific festival. The thematic activity will be once a week for one hour and the chosen subject will last for the duration of one month.

The thematic activity for February will be about winter and March will be about International Culture.

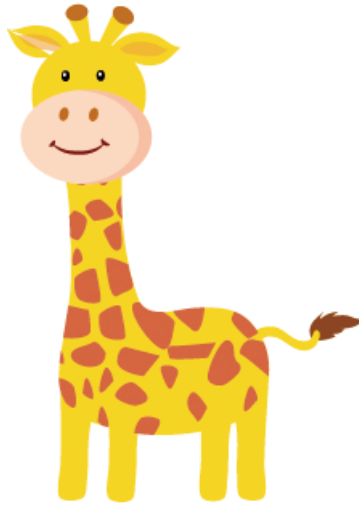
## **Library**

Once a week we will all go to the Library where I will read to the students and let them choose a book each which we can take to the classroom for the week. If we have any spare time I will read a selection of the books to the students and ask them some questions about the book.

Well, that's about all for this month's newsletter. If you have any comments or concerns about your kids' welfare or learning please don't hesitate to get in contact with me using our English weekly communication book.

Thank you very much and take care.

Simon



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家長您好，歡迎來閱讀二月的一封信  
接下來是我們二月會學習的內容

### **閱讀**

這學期我們讀的是一套的新書，這套書及提供更難的文法、句子和單字

Week 1- Winter Vacation

Week 2- Little Sister, Big Mess

Week 3- Busy Day, Busy Night

Week 4 -What's the Weather?

### **主教材**

主教材的書非常豐富多元，並有很多圖片來保持孩子們的興趣，主教材有很多有趣的故事，使用大量的句子和一些基本的語法，來幫助孩子培養英語口語能力。

Week 1- Winter Vacation

Week 2- Unit 1 Week 4 Workshop

Week 3- Unit 1 Week 4 Workshop

Week 4- Unit 1 Week 4 Workshop

### **發音**

發音課本是我們認識發音字母和發音很好的介紹，還有很多畫畫和上色，使孩子們感到更有趣，和更容易了解孩子程度。

Week 1 Winter Vacation

Week 2 P130, 131, 133, 134 短母音在第一個字母，混合發音

Week 3 P146 常出現的詞

Week 4 P149, 150, 156, 157 S 短母音 a,e,i,o,u/ a-e

### **MPM Math**

這學期我們將學習 D 冊

Week 1 Winter Vacation

Week 2 D1:P01-5

Week 3 D1:P6-10

Week 4 D1:P11-14

## 文法

這是我們本學期的新課程。我們將學習大寫和小寫字母、句號和問號。

### Book 1

#### Workbook

Week 1 Winter vacation

Week 2 P54-55

Week 3 P56-57

Week 4 P58-59

## 歌曲和跳舞

我們每天早上 9.00-9.30 都有唱歌跳舞，這對孩子們來說是一個很好的機會，可以讓他們在早上充滿精神，為一天做好準備，我喜歡使用許多不同的歌曲，使用大量的運動動作和舞蹈動作來幫助他們提高動作技能。

Week 1 Winter Vacation

Week 2 We will rock you

Week 3 We will rock you

Week 4 We will rock you

## 書寫課

Week 1 Winter Vacation

Week 2 P1,3,4

Week 3 P5,10,12

Week 4 P13,16,19

## 主題課

主題活動讓我們的學生有機會專注於了解一個國家或一個特定的節日，主題活動將每週一次，每次一小時，所選主題將持續一個月。

本月的主題活動將是冬天

## 圖書館時間

每週一次，我們都會去圖書館，在那裡我會為學生朗讀，讓他們每人選擇一本書，我們可以帶到課堂上一周，如果有時間，我會選一些書給學生讀，問他們一些關於這本書的問題。

以上是我們本月一封信的全部內容，如果您對孩子的學習有任何意見或疑慮，請隨時使用我們的英語聯絡簿與我聯繫。

非常感謝並保重。

Simon