

# **LESCO MONTESSORI SCHOOL**

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## **February 2019 Newsletter**

The month of January flew by before our very eyes. The classroom was bustling with children getting back the routine after the winter break. The first and second year children had a keen interest in practical life mastering the skills of pouring, polishing, washing and sweeping. They also are developing their vocabulary. Some are learning the sounds of the letters and are able to distinguish the last sound of words. All the third year children are doing fabulously in language and mathematics. Some have a keen interest in reading phonetic books and labels. Some are interested in practicing their letters on paper. Some are starting to learn phonograms. In mathematics the third year children are working on the decimal system learning the categories and associating the quantity with the symbol of the cards. As we enter into a new month, we hope the interests of the children will continue to guide their learning and development. Here is some information about the following month:

### **Please Note:**

- School will be closed February 18<sup>th</sup>, 2019 for Family Day

### **Field Trip:**

We will be going on another field trip! On February 15<sup>th</sup>, we will be visiting Science World at 1455 Quebec St in Vancouver. We will meet by the entrance by 9:45AM.

### **Monthly Themes:**

For the month of February your child will learn the following topics:

1. Feelings
2. Valentines

### **Valentine's Day:**

We would like to make goody bags for the children. Please feel free to bring cards and nut-free chocolates for the goody bags!

### **Birthday celebrations!**

Any cake or treats to share must be nut-free. It is still an option to provide a pizza lunch on your child's birthday for everyone.

William Yuan                      February 3                      5 yrs.

### **Sounds of the alphabet letters:**

We will be covering "t" to "w" this month.

*"In February there are days, blue and nearly warm, when horses switch their tails and ducks go quacking through the farm. When everything turns round to feel the sun upon its back-when winter lifts a little bit and spring peeks through the crack."*

*Dorothy Aldis*

Mrs. Chow, Mrs. Lin and Mrs. Wu