



Penguin Planner

First Grade

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Week of: February 20th-March 3rd, 2023

Current Unit of Inquiry

Who We Are

Central Idea: Characteristics are distinguished by member's roles and responsibilities

Lines of Inquiry:

Characteristics and their features (Form)

Member's role and responsibilities (Responsibility)

The connection between parts and the whole (Connection)

Mrs. Cadogan's Class:

Inquiry into Literacy: Students will work on opinion writing. They will give reasons about why they have a favorite color/food. Students will work on the plot of stories as well. They will also take a closer look at Jackie Robinson's accomplishments and talk about the similarities between Claudette Colvin and Rosa Parks.

Inquiry into Foundational Skills: Students will continue to build up their fluency with vowel pairs such as ee, ea, ai, and ay.

Inquiry into Sight Words: Students will play and practice with their sight words: because, people, four, forty, fourth, pretty, nothing, other, and another. We focus on one new sight word a day.

Inquiry into Science: Students will continue their study of plant and animal offspring. We will learn that offspring employ the same body structures as their parents to defend themselves against predators.

Cen Laoshi's Class:

Inquiry into Chinese Language Arts: Students continue to use the character (爱-love) they learn to make sentence both in speaking and writing. Students will practice reading fluency on the article Good Student, learning about what characteristics a good student would have.

Inquiry in to Math: Place Value learning and Comparing numbers: identify the number that is greater than or less than using the tens and ones

Inquiry into Social Studies: Read and retell a story about a family.

Subject Integration

Updates

Friday, Feb. 24: Popcorn Day \$1 a bag

Friday, Feb. 24th: Family Poster Due!

Thursday, March 9th: Title 1 Family Night

Friday, March 17th: No School

March 20th, March 22 and April 5th: Parent-Teacher Conference

March 24th-April 2nd: Spring Break