



# MARCH NEWSLETTER

## Kindergarten Spotlight

Kindergarten is learning about how animals and humans depend on trees. The Blank Park Zoo brought animals that live in trees to share with our students.

In skills block, students are learning how to record and decode the beginning, middle and ending sounds in CVC (consonant, vowel, consonant) words. Students have started working independently at literacy centers focusing on reading and writing skills.

In math, students are continuing to learn how to count to 100, identify what comes before and after a number, add up to ten, and write numbers 1-30.

## March Dates



March 11-15 - No School (Spring Break)

March 18-19 - No School (Professional Development)

March 29 - Spring Pictures

March 29 - 5th Grade Wax Museum (Look for information from 5th grade teachers)



# Visitors and Volunteers

We believe that students perform their best at school when school staff and families collaborate. We have clarified some details around visitors and volunteers. If you wish to visit your child's classroom for 5 minutes or less, you can check in at the office and get a badge. If you would like to stay longer than 5 minutes to help out in the class, please complete the volunteer application that can be found on the district website. These volunteer opportunities will also need to be scheduled with teacher ahead of time.

## Attendance Matters

Students who attend school are more likely to:

1. Read on grade level by the third grade
2. Graduate high school on time
3. Lead healthy adult lives
4. Stay out of the criminal justice system

