## Room 213 NEWSLETTER

February 2024

Hello Room 213 Families,

Happy March! This month, our unit theme from Unique is called "Tell Me About the Weather."

In ELA, we will introduce and practice the following high frequency words: get, a, very, where, out, see, cold, going, air, warm, change, hot. We will continue to work on rhyming words and recognizing spelling patterns, especially in CVC and CCVC words. Students will work on reading comprehension skills in daily small groups. Students will also practice tracing or writing their names daily (first name for some students, last name for students who have mastered first name), as well as working on their specific IEP reading and writing goals.

In math, students will continue to participate in calendar math time each morning. During group math time, we will continue practicing counting to 100 by 1's, as well as skip counting by 5's, 10's, and 100's. We are also learning about place value each day. During work time, students will work on their IEP specific goals related to number recognition, counting, math functions, 1:1 correspondence, representing double digit numbers with 10's and 1's, and sorting shapes.

During our Science and Social Studies block, we will continue to complete the interactive "Class News" function of our curriculum. We will also focus on learning about the weather, seasons, and appropriate activities and clothing to wear in various weather scenarios.

Please feel free to reach out to me if you have any questions.

Best,

Ms. Annika White akwhite9@cps.edu

## Things to Note:

- Please make sure that you label all outerwear (sweaters, sweatshirts, mittens, hats, etc.) that your child brings to school. This is the best way to ensure that the coats, jackets, hats, gloves, etc. that come to school make it home each day.
- Please check your child's backpack daily for their folder. If there are dirty clothes from an accident in your child's bag, please send replacement clothes the next day.
- It is cold and flu season. Please keep your child home if they are sick, and practice good hand washing with your child!
- Please continue to read with your child each night! If you are interested in learning about specific math skills to work on with your child, please reach out!

## Looking Ahead

End of Quarter 3 - Friday, March 22

Spring Break - March 25—March 29

School Improvement Day (No School for Students) - Monday, April 1

Report Card Conferences - Wednesday, April 10