



February Newsletter

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What are we learning this month?

Jan Brett, fairytales and folktales.

For the month of February we will be looking at the wonderful world of books. We are going to explore some favorite fairy tales such as Beauty and the Beast and folktales like Town Mouse and Country Mouse. We are going to get the chance to read two or three different versions of some of these stories and have the opportunity to discover each one and see what versions the class likes best.

We are going to have tons of fun jumping into the colorful and magical world of Jan Brett. She has so many wonderful Stories that really one month is just not enough to cover all that we really could. We will focus on fairytales and folktales that she retold. In doing so we will be looking at how she changed each story a little to make it more of her own. With this in mind we will be making our own class book about one of their favorite folktales adding a little twist from each child.

Week 1: Letter R, Number 3

Week 2: Letter S, Number 4

Week 3: Vacation

Week 4: Letter T, Number 5

Theophany School

Wish list

Soap

Paper towel

Plain sponges (for painting with)

Clorox disinfecting spray/wipes

Thanking You

For a wonderful year.

I would like to take a moment and thank all of you for such a wonderful year. Your children have brought such joy to me every day I have been with them. I have learned so much from each of them. It's a funny realization when you look at the fact that you are the teacher and you realize just how much your students have taught you. Since February 8th Ms. Liz has been joining our classroom for bits and pieces of the day. She will be coming to our classroom more and more throughout this week. Starting on the week of the 22nd she will be there every day and shadow me around the room. This will give both her and the students a chance to get to know one another more. Before that week is up Ms. Liz will have the chance to run the classroom on her own. February 26th will be my last day teaching this year at Theophany School. I wish you all the best of luck and a wonderful rest of the school year. May God bless each of you.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1	2	3	4	5
8	9 9:15am Annual Benefit Evening Meeting	10	11 9:15am Annual Benefit Evening Meeting	12
15 vacation week	16 vacation week	17 vacation week	18 vacation week	19 vacation week
22 Ms. Liz here all week	23	24 Half day Staff meeting	25	26 Ms. Elizabeth's last day