



Mrs. Baldwin's Newsletter February 13, 2017

Important Dates

2/15 – Math and
Reading GPS

2/16 – Spelling Test

A Note from the Teacher



Dear Parents and Students,

Happy day before Valentine's Day! I apologize for the late notice about Valentines on Friday. It is completely fine if your child does not participate in our Valentine exchange. This is going to be a very small event at the end of the day. If your child would like to make a small carrier for their Valentines, that is fine. I will have a small treat for each child so everyone will leave with something. Also, please do not feel like you need to spend money on each student in the class. I have been working with the students on being kind to others so I would love to see students write a kind valentine note to each student as a way to express their care towards one another! Kind words are always free!

I want to remind everyone that this is a short week for us with an early dismissal on Thursday for parent-teacher conferences and a teacher workday on Friday. We also do not have school next Monday in honor of President's Day.

I sent home conference confirmations in your child's agenda last week if you requested one. If that time does not work for you, please let me know **today**. Otherwise, I will see you at your scheduled time. Please keep in mind that conferences are only 15 minutes long so we can only discuss but so much. If you feel that you will need more time after our conference is over, please contact me so we can schedule a time to talk. I also encourage you to bring your child to our conference so he/she can hear my glows and grows for him/her and your concerns that you have about his/her education. Thank you for all you do to support your child's future.

I hope that you have a great week and remember to conquer your mountain!

Blessings!
Mrs. Baldwin

#MakItHappen

Students are at 268 points toward their respect goal of 400 points. Students will receive a week without homework as their next prize!



Reading Tip: Don't forget about using RAZ Kids to help your reading! kidsa-z.com username: hbaldwin2 and password: read

Math Tip: Don't forget that you can use reflexmath and xtramath.org at home!

Hillary Baldwin
2nd Grade Teacher
Bowling Green Elementary
hbaldwin@ccps.us

hbaldwin.blogs.ccps.us



Things to Remember:

****Please wear tennis shoes on Thursday for P.E. ****

****Bring your library books on Wednesday****



Special Events

2/16 – 1:15 Dismissal

2/16 – Parent/Teacher Conferences

2/17 & 20 – No School

2/24 – 3/3 – Book Fair

2/27 - 3/3 – Dr. Seuss Spirit Week



What Are We Learning?

Reading: In celebration of Black History Month, this week we are finishing character traits using the story *Henry "Box" Brown*. We are going to be moving on to non-fiction passages and working on defending our answers. We will focus this week on weather.

Math: We are working on 2-digit addition and subtraction using regrouping and using open number lines.

Spelling: Students will be working on their leveled spelling lists during station time and practice sorting their words as a class.

Language: We will be working on common abbreviations and if time, we will work on editing our writing.

History/Science: We are beginning our unit on weather. Start talking now with your child about weather and why it is important to our daily lives.



Questions? Lost Papers?

If you have any questions, please feel free to email me. If you can't find an assignment, check the class blog first, and then email me and I will do my best to help you as quickly as I can. Thank you! 😊

Newsletter Template

Customize the newsletter template to meet your classroom needs. Click inside a box to type your information. Change the boxes to whatever you'd like to include!

Visit my blog for more freebies and lesson ideas:

<http://firstgradebrain.blogspot.com>

Visit my TeachersPayTeachers store for more products:

<http://www.teacherspayteachers.com/Store/Mrs-Magee/Products>