

### Reminders

**Valentine's Day:** Classroom Valentine's Day parties will be on **Thursday, February 12** at the end of the day since there is no school on Friday, February 13<sup>th</sup>. If you plan on bringing cards or treats, please be sure to bring enough for the whole class. Thank you!

**TCA Parent Survey:** Please take the parent survey sent out in the North Elementary newsletter from Mrs. Peterson.

**Winter Weather:** Please send your child to school with a jacket and warm weather gear. Temperatures are closely monitored by the office and students will go outside on days when it is above 18 degrees.

### Parent Teacher Conferences

Conferences will be held on **Friday, March 6**. Please note that **most** conferences are optional on this day. Teachers may request a conference with you to discuss student academics or behavior. Parents who have concerns are welcome to request a conference with the teacher. Look to your child's teacher for communication on how to sign up. We appreciate you and your partnership in your child's education. *If you would like to meet with any of the specials teachers, you will need to contact them directly to set up a meeting.*

### Curriculum

**Spelling** – List 39-40, **Test Thursday**

**Grammar** – Conjunctions; Subject/verb agreement; Helping verbs; Pronoun/antecedent

**Writing** – Writing from a picture

**Literature** – *The Lion, the Witch, and The Wardrobe*

**History** – Explorers

**Science** – Weather

**Recitations** – *x7 Facts due 2/9 Hiawatha due 02/23*

**Math** – Unit 9: Lessons 4-5, **Test on Wednesday**, Unit 10 Lesson 1

**Math Facts** – Multiplication and Division by 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 & 10  
**Fact Test on Wednesday**

### Important Dates

#### February 9

Recite x7 facts

#### February 12

Valentine's Day party  
Performance for the  
Arts from 5:00-6:30 pm

#### February 13

Teacher In-Service (No  
School)

#### February 16

No School – Presidents'  
Day

#### March 6

Parent Teacher  
Conferences

#### March 23-27

Spring Break

### Character Trait

Our character focus is perseverance. To persevere means you work hard to finish what you start, no matter how difficult the project. You do not get distracted when you work and you get your work done on time.