General Center News

- **The next Policy Council Meeting is February 18, 2020 at the Bigler office.**
- **Reminder:** Please dress your children appropriately for the weather. We go outside if weather permits. We are able to go out if the temperature is above 25 degrees. To be able to utilize the gym in bad weather, your child **must** have sneakers.
- **Reminder:** Volunteer forms are due back to your visitor/teacher by February 24.
- **Attention Parents:** Help us recruit for our program. Talk to your family service worker/teacher/home visitor for enrollment applications. We want to ensure we are reaching out to all families with in our community and let them know about the great preschool programs we have to offer at no cost to families. Parents are our best resources!
- On 2-hour delays, please feed your child breakfast at home. We do not have breakfast on these days.
- If you are not receiving a call from the automated system on cancelations and delays, please let Melinda know so she can check as to why.

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**Head Start News**

Melinda Houser

- **NO CLASS:** February 14th & 17th  
  **EARLY DISMISSAL:** None
- We are beginning a new unit: Simple Machines. We will be learning what machines we use daily and how they make our lives easier.
- February letters will be Hh, Vv, Dd, and Ww
- **PCC: Bingo for Books- February 3 from 4-5 pm.**
- **School Store: February 7 & 24**
- February 3 is our 100th day of class. If you could please, help your child count out 100 of something that he/she can bring to school to use that day for counting, sorting, classifying and/or patterning.
Family Center News
(Star Hogue)

- January left us with little snow to explore but we gave it our best shot with some snow. Our penguin kids enjoyed playing in the snow, even if only in the sensory table and making Miss Rachel's 'snow globe' snowmen.
- We will continue the snow theme through February while talking all things hearts and 'love'ly about our friends and families.
- EHS and FC will be hosting socialization on Feb 3 and 24 at 10:30 am.
- On February 3, Miss Rachel will be present for Young Parent Group.
- February 3 will also be our next parent meeting.
- Please remember that even though we are having milder weather than usual, we are also in the midst of FLU season.

Protect your children in the following ways:
- Get the flu vaccine.
- Wash hands often, before and after eating, when coming in from outdoors and after sneezing, coughing and handling tissues. Moms remember to wash also.
- Eat a well-balanced diet - the more sugar in the system the lower your immunity to colds and flu.
- Get plenty of rest.
- Should your child be exhibiting signs of illness other than the simple snuffles: anything associated with fever, diarrhea, or vomiting, please keep them home.

Precautions will keep us all healthier.

No Service Days
February 14th & 17th

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