



## 3's Class December Newsletter *Mrs. Hewlett & Mrs. Havighur*

We have a busy month learning about China, our five senses, and community helpers. We will start the first week learning a new culture and celebrating the Chinese New Year! We will make Dragons out of egg cartons, make paper lanterns, learn about animals of Asia, use chopsticks in the sensory table, and try fortune cookies at snack time. We will use a globe to locate China and even learn a word or two in Mandarin.

On the second week, we will learn about our five senses. We will graph what we smell using scratch n sniff stickers, determine what we are feeling in a mystery box, and discover different mystery sounds we hear. We will use Mr. and Mrs. Potato Head at center time to discuss our five senses and how we use them.

We will end the month of February learning about community helpers. We will pretend to be Doctors, work at a Post Office, pretend to be Construction Workers, and do crafts related to Firefighters and Police Officers.

Our fruit of the spirit this month is kindness. We will talk about being kind to one another and hear stories from the bible in class and at chapel. Our bible verse is "Be kind to one another." Ephesians 4:32.

On the 12<sup>th</sup> & 13<sup>th</sup>, we will let each class pass Valentine cards to their classmates. When preparing these, have your child write their name on the FROM: section but DO NOT have them write a name in the TO: section. This makes it easier for them to hand out on their own. Thanks! We will also be decorating a bag to collect our Valentine cards. No need to send anything in to collect the Valentine cards.

Just like our holiday party, we will have a Valentine's Party the last 45 minutes of class on the 12<sup>th</sup> & 13<sup>th</sup>. A sign-up sheet will be located outside the class for those who want to come in and help out with game, craft, or supply items for the party. Any help is greatly appreciated!

Our 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Sweet Night Out with Dad will be held on February 13<sup>th</sup>, from 6pm till 8pm. We will have a craft in the classroom for dad's to do with their child, games, and snacks in the fellowship hall too. If Dad can't make this event with your child, grandparents, uncles, cousins, or even mom can join in his place.

**Show N Tell**

Letter P 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup>  
Letter Q 12<sup>th</sup> & 13<sup>th</sup>  
Letter R 19<sup>th</sup> & 20<sup>th</sup>  
Letter S 26<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup>

