



**FEBRUARY
2024**

YOUR CENTER NAME

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AM THEMES:

MONDAY:	Make it Monday! Children will choose a craft to make something beautiful for themselves or a loved one.
TUESDAY:	Tournament Tuesday! Card/board games, sports, whatever! Which group will come out on top?
WEDNESDAY:	Work it out Wednesday! The children can join us for cardio, yoga, or Zumba for a fun start to the day.
THURSDAY:	Think it out Thursday! We will use our brains to figure out challenging activities.
FRIDAY:	Freestyle Friday! Children will choose an activity on their own or join in on some Karaoke.

Community Resources:

Montgomery County Department of Health and Human Services

1301 Picard Dr, Rockville, MD 20850 | (240) 777-0311

The Family Services

620 E Diamond Ave, Gaithersburg, MD 20877 | (301) 840-3200

24-Hour Crisis Center

240-777-4000 | TTY: (301) 251-4850

Department of General Services

– Montgomery County

101 Monroe St, Rockville, MD 20850 (240) 777-6191



Dear KidsCo Families,

Winter has arrived, but the promise of spring is just on the horizon. As we anticipate the warmer days ahead, don't forget to bundle up with gloves, hats, and coats when sending your children to KidsCo each morning. Please note that on Feb. 19, both MCPS

and KidsCo will be closed in observance of President's Day. Now is the ideal time to start planning your summer activities! Registration for KidsCo Summer Camps is now open, offering weekly options to accommodate families with summer travel plans. For a detailed summer brochure, travel schedules, or additional information, visit www.KidsCoOnline.com/camp2024.

ANNOUCEMENTS:

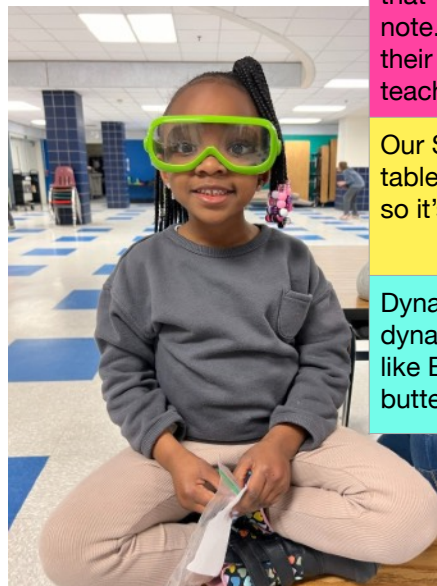
February Basketball Schedule

**2/28- Away VS Pine Crest
3/1- Away Vs Brooke Grove**

We will start candy graham orders on 2/5. They will cost \$1. All proceeds will go to our Dance Team uniforms. Students will be able to buy candy grahams that will consist of a flower, a piece of candy, and a note. KidsCo staff will deliver them to the person of their choice within SCES. Recipient can be a parent, teacher, sibling, etc. Delivery is on 2/14.

Our Snow Tubing trip is 2/9. Please see the parent table for a permission slip. This trip is limited space so it's first come first serve.

Dynamic Duo day is 2/16. Pick a person to create a dynamic duo with. It doesn't have to be characters like Batman and Robin, but get creative. Peanut butter and Jelly, bacon and eggs, etc.



KIDSCO SNACK & ACTIVITY CALENDAR

*All snacks are served with fruit/vegetables and water/milk.

		1 Snack Kit- Strawberry Bites 6 oz Juice		2 WG Grahams Yogurt Bottled Water							
		5 WG Scoops® Salsa Cup Capri Sun Juice (6 oz.)		6 Cheese Stick WG Grahams Bottled Water		7 Hummus Baby Carrots		8 Cinnamon Grahams 6 oz Juice		9 Yogurt WG Cheez It ® Crackers Bottled Water 	
										Kids Night Out: Snowtubing	
12 WG Grahams Bottled Water		13 WG Cheez It ® Crackers & Capri Sun Juice (6 oz.)		14 Snack Kit- Strawberry Bites 6 oz Juice		15 WG Grahams Yogurt Bottled Water		16 WG Scoops® Salsa Cup Capri Sun Juice (6 oz.)			
										Theme Day: Dynamic Duo Day!	
		19 20 Cheese Stick WG Grahams Bottled Water		21 WG Goldfish Bottled Water		22 Yogurt WG Cheez It ® Crackers Bottled Water		23 SunChips Fruit			
President's Day - No School - KidsCo Closed										Kids Night In: DJ Dance Party!	
26 Pudding Fruit		27 Goldfish Fruit		28 Cheese Stick WG Grahams Bottled Water		29 Cinnamon Grahams 6 oz Juice					

**Snack subject to change

CLUBS:

MONDAYS, WEDNESDAYS, & FRIDAYS

Dance- We are so close to the end of our routine. Tina is up next to teach her choreography. The team is looking great! We will have music ready to send out to parents by the end of the month.

Basketball- The team has been doing so well. With our 2-1 record, Quentin is excited about the upcoming games.

Hearts in Harmony- This club will showcase all of our similarities to show common interests. This club helps facilitate new friendships just in time for Valentine's Day. Jennz will lead the club.

February Craft Club- Our craft club this month will focus on kindness. Meli is finding some crafts from the heart to teach the students.

Lego Club- Lego club is here to stay, as Marcelle has made it so interactive and fun.

TUESDAYS & THURSDAYS

Melanin Magic- This throwback club celebrates Black History Month. Bianca will be teaching about some of the African American figures we don't always hear about in school and helping the children recreate some important inventions.

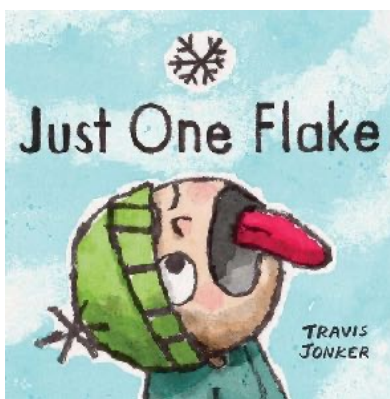
Karate- This club will be taught by our students with the help of Michael and Khalifae. The children suggested this club and we listened!

Dodgeball- The return of dodgeball club came after many requests from the children. Quentin has found a way to do it again while still making it fun and fresh.

Comic Book Club- Marcelle is helping our children create their own comics but also dig into how comics are created.

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Audience: K-2

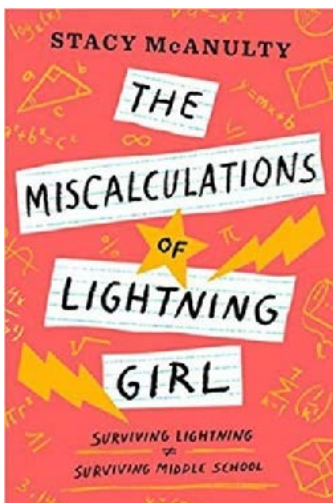
Author: Travis Jonker

Description: It's snowing outside! Liam rushes out into the squall, determined to catch one perfect snowflake. He tries any number of tricks to complete his mission, but each time he is thwarted. Until, in a final leap of faith, he catches that one flake . . . in a way he never expected. And the snowflake itself is pretty unexpected too. This book is a hilarious and satisfying story all about outdoor play and the natural world's stunning surprises.

Audience: 3-5

Author: Stacy McAnulty

Description: Lucy Callahan was struck by lightning. She doesn't remember it, but it changed her life forever. The zap gave her genius-level math skills, and ever since, Lucy has been homeschooled. Now, at 12 years old, she's technically ready for college. Except, she must pass one more test, middle school!



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