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Upcoming Events

February 16 to 24:
No school
Mid winter Break

March 7:
Art Fair

March 8 & 15:
No School
Teacher Meetings

Marcus and Kayla
Room 24, Grade 5

My (Marcus's) plans for mid-winter break are just to hang out at my mom's and with my friends. In class we're doing graphs for math. Now in math we are doing fractions.

What does a cannibal call a phone book?

A menu!

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Forrest and Kaela
Room 17, Grade 2

In class we have class jobs. They are weather, helper, cleaner, messenger, line leader. We do math, and we do very good. First thing in the morning we do our morning work. We haven't had any field trips yet, but we still like school.



Ann and Josh
Room 9, Grade 3

We're going on a field trip to the ballet on March 5th. Some people haven't turned in their permission slips to go yet.

We're making a quilt for the Art Fair. It has all of our faces on it, and it's really colorful. We're having a quilting bee on the stage, too.

Knock, knock
Who's there?
Jamaica
Jamaica who?
Jamaica Valentine for me?

Stories, poems, articles, and *great* jokes from student news reporters at Arbor Heights Elementary School in Seattle, WA
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News from the classroom.....

**Kirby and Evan
Room 12, Grade 3**

We are going to the ballet on March 5th, 2002, and it's going to be fun because it's different. We are learning about computers, multiplication facts, and cursive.

It's red, and you can break it.

What is it? A heart.

**Max and Jacob
Room 16, Grades 1&2**

We are taking our "Three Little Pigs" musical on the road—to Lafayette and Roxhill Schools. We are going to go to "Charlotte's Web" on March 22nd. We are also going to be doing commercials on bologna songs.

Why are valentines red?

Because they're hot!

**Brienna and Jesse
Room 19, Grade 1**

Brienna: We are going to the Puppet Theater. We are going to see "The Three Little Pigs" and "The True Story of the Three Little Pigs".

Jesse: I am going skiing on mid-winter break. I will be taking ski lessons.



Winter Word Search

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v o p o l a r b e a r p t s f
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arctic
blizzard
boots
coat
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freezing
frost
glacier
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iceberg
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igloo
jacket
mittens
penguin
plow
polar bear
scarf
shovel
skates

skidoo
skis
sled
sleet
slippery
slush
snowball
snowflake
snowman
snowy
toboggan
winter



More classroom news.....

**Michael and Karla
Room 22, Grade 4**

In class we are learning the standard and metric units of measurement of liquid. Mr. Swan is reading A Girl from Yamhill by Beverly Cleary to us. We are going on a field trip in April. We do not know what day. We're learning really, really, really, really long division.



Karla: I am going to my grandmother's house all mid winter break. On Sundays we will be going to eat at my house.

Michael: I am going skiing at Whistler all break. Whistler is really fun. I hope the fire bell doesn't go off



this time—it goes off every time we go. I wrote a story and sent it to DK Publishing Company to see if they would publish it. I hope they will.

**Skyler and Sarah
Room 13, Grade 3**

Our class is going on a field trip on March 1st. We're going to the Children's Theater. For the auction Room 13 is making a table. For mid winter break Skyler is going to Arizona, and Sarah is staying home. Our class had a Valentine's party.

Why did the snowman cross the road?

Because winter was just around the corner!

**Alex and Nicole
Room 15, Grades 1&2**

We are going on a field trip. It is called "Charlotte's Web". We have birds living in a hole in the roof. We have a garden by our room, and we are studying them.



Roses are red,
Violets are blue.
Sugar is sweet,
And it's not good for you!

**Teryn and Jenna
Room 25, Grades 4&5**

We have started two new books in Room 25. The 5th graders and a few 4th graders are reading Holes, and the rest of the 4th graders are reading There's a Boy in the Girl's Bathroom. All of the 5th graders got their own book to keep.

In our class the people who went to the hoop shoot were Nate, Alex, Georgia, and Wenna.

In class everyone has been doing tons of brain-teasers. Brainteasers are different kinds of math problems that you can do to get extra credit. We are learning all 50 states and capitals of the USA. We have been doing quizzes. Can you answer this?

What is the capital of Delaware?



Even more classrooms news...

**Ashley and Grace
Room 23, Grades 3, 4, & 5**

We are making wishing wells with flowers in them to be auctioned off at the Art Festival. Ashley's grandfather made one out of wood for each of us to work on. We sanded them, stained them, and now we are sanding them again. We will plant flowers in the pots to go inside when we get back from mid winter break. We are also making masks to be on display at the Art Festival. Our class is very busy right now. In March we will go the African exhibit at the Seattle Art Museum.

**Jim and Surafail
Room 21, Grade 5**

I (Jim) am going to go to Mission Ridge to go skiing, and I'm going to stay there a couple days for mid winter break.

I (Surafail) don't have any plans for mid winter break. Our class was in the pen-friend tea, and I didn't get to see my pen-friend.

What kind of insect has four wheels and a trunk?

A Volkswagen beetle!

Which spider wrote a dictionary?

Webster!

Color the dragon for Chinese New Year!

