

February  
2023



# Lighthouse Beacon

Childrens Lighthouse of Woodforest

## Upcoming Events

- 02/01 – National Texas Day
- 02/02 – Groundhog Day
- 02/10 – Represent your Favorite Football Team for Super Bowl Sunday
- 02/12 – Super Bowl Sunday
- 02/14 – Happy Valentine's Day
- 02/14 – Classroom Valentine's Day Parties at 3:00pm
- 02/17 – Random Acts of Kindness Day
- 02 /20 – Presidents Day
- 02/21 – Mardi Gras
- 02/23 – Visit from KidSmile of Lake Conroe for Dental Health Month
- 02/24 – Go Texan Day! Round-up your boots and cowboy hat and wear them to school.

## Curriculum Monthly Themes



Theme: Wheels on the Move  
Shapes: Heart / *corazón*  
Color: Purple / *violeta*



Theme: Transportation  
Letters: Uu, Nn, Ww  
Spanish and Sign: Star / *La Estrella*  
Book: Mo Willems Books

## February Birthdays

- 02/05 – Colton L.
- 02/12 – Rosemary D.
- 02/15 – Harper M.
- 02/17 – Violet A.
- 02/19 – Tanner A.
- 02/26 – Tennyson W.



## Craft Corner

It's the month of love, hearts, and lots of chocolate!

***Did you know!:***

*XOXO means hugs and kisses.*

*The first valentine was sent back in 1415.*

*First heart-shaped box of chocolates was made in 1861.*

*Lovebirds are actual birds! They're parrots native to Africa.*

*Americans send 142 million Valentine's Day cards each year!*

The sun is shining and your windows could use some color after all of the Christmas decorations have been taken down! These sweet heart-suncatchers are an easy craft the kids can enjoy making and hanging up on the window. The sun shines through the heart and makes these beautiful crafts come to life!



**Supplies Needed:**

Glitter  
Festive confetti  
Clear contact paper  
Tissue paper in assorted colors  
Cardstock or construction paper

Start by cutting a heart frame out of your paper – just fold the sheet of paper in half, cut out a large heart and then cut a smaller heart out of the large one to create a window. Cut a piece of contact paper that is larger than the heart, lay the heart on top of the contact paper and trim off the excess. Stick the pieces of tissue paper on the contact paper – fill the heart up as much or as little as you'd like. You can even add glitter and festive confetti! Tape to the window or hang it with string.

## Let's Learn Together National Texas Day



If you love Texas, then you must know that National Texas Day is on February 1. Texas is the 28th state to join the United States. Also called the Lone Star State, Texas is the home of agricultural activities. It is the state with the most counties and the second-largest state by area in the United States. Also, it is home to the two most populous U.S. cities. On National Texas Day, we celebrate the state of origin of our favorite items: Dr. Pepper, hamburgers, beef, Rodeo, and live music.

## Shout-Out to January's Teacher of the Month



**Thank you,  
Ms. Angelina,  
for all of your  
hard work!  
We are so  
lucky to have  
you with us.**

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