



February 2018

Caminitos Spanish

Playschool News

The first month of the year has passed in a flash and already we are planning for February!

This is our plan for this month:

Language Arts

- Continue with graphemes
- Recognize graphemes in texts
- Read names
- Reading Spanish books

Math

- Continue counting
- Continue sequencing (1st, 2nd, etc.)
- Recognizing at a glance 1 - 10 objects.
- Shapes: circle, triangle, square.

Science

- Complete winter unit
- Check temperature of the day
- Save our data from temperature for comparison with temperatures next days/ weeks/ months.
- Discuss weather

Social Studies

- Begin a unit on Families, learning about similarities and differences in families (size, jobs, pets & interests)
- Current Events: Your child is encouraged to bring in newspaper clippings of accounts of events that are important in his/her life - for

example, new developments in ones neighbourhood, piano recitals at which he/she is performing, tournaments etc. Please do not send any special/memorable/valuable items.

The idea with this, is for example if the child say's "I go to swimming classes", I can say: El/ ella va a clases de natacion, etc.

In this way, they are going to associate swimming = natación

Art

- Projects related to the Family and friends.
- Focus on the development of hand-eye coordination and fine motor skills

Phys. Ed.

- Running and tag games
- Games using balls and bean bags
- Yoga classes
- Dancing classes

Vocabulary Development

This month, we will be using, among others, the following terms in class:

secuencia =sequence

familia =family

hijo = son

hija = daughter

trabajo = job

hogar = home

padres =parents

abuelo = grandfather

abuela = grandmother

amigo= friend

amistad= friendship

cantar= sing

cancion= song

General Notes and Reminders

There will be no school on Monday February 19th as it is Family Day.

- **Friendship's Day -**

Friendship's Day celebration is Wednesday February 14th. If your child wishes to bring Valentine cards, please make sure he/she includes all of his/her classmates of the morning or the afternoon) (16 children in the morning) or (16 children in the afternoon). The children will have an opportunity to distribute the cards at the end of the day.

There are some parents that use to put the mittens, scarf, etc in the backpack, others parents put them in the little box for extra clothes. Sometimes it has been difficult for us to find them. Please everybody hang them with the coat or put them in the sleeves; in this way it is easier for the child to find them. If there is a new item, make sure the child can recognize it. Most of the children do not know how to dress by themselves. Please let the child put his snow pants on first and then his jacket and finally their boots, hat, scarf and mittens. If you do it, the child does not learn how to do it.



Happy Birthday!

February 4rd = Maddex(a.m.)

February 8th = Emilly (a.m.)

February 13th = Kyler (p.m)

February 18th = Sebastian (p.m.)

February 26th = Harlow (a.m.)

Homemade cards are welcome!

Have a great month!

Señora Isabel



Un amigo me enseñó
Translation= (A friend taught
me this song)
de Babyradio.com

[http://volviendo-a-la-
infancia.blogspot.ca/2013/10/un-amigo-
me-enseno.html](http://volviendo-a-la-infancia.blogspot.ca/2013/10/un-amigo-me-enseno.html)

*Un amigo me enseñó
a cantar esta canción
un amigo me enseñó
a cantar así
un perrito me enseñó a cantar
esta canción
un perrito me enseñó
a cantar así
guau guau guau
guau guau guau guau
guau guau guau
guau guau guau guau
guau guau guau
bieeeennn!*

*un gatito me enseñó a cantar esta
canción
un gatito me enseñó a cantar así
miau miau miau
miau miau miau miau
miau miau miau
miau miau miau miau
miau miau miau*

bieeeenn!!

*un patito me enseñó a cantar esta
canción
un patito me enseñó a cantar así
cua cua cua
cua cua cua cua
cua cua cua
cua cua cua cua
cua cua cua
bieeeenn!!*

*un pecesito me enseñó a cantar
esta canción
un pecesito me enseñó a cantar
así
glu glu glu
glu glu glu glu
glu glu glu
glu glu glu glu
glu glu glu
bieeeennnn!!*

*un amigo me enseñó a cantar así
bieeeenn!!*