## Team Brackett News

March 16, 2012

Library Trip Next Thursday, March 22 we will be taking our first walking trip to the Sherwood Forest branch of the Detroit Public Library, located on 7 mile rd. If you have not turned in the permission slip or library card application, it is important that I have it by Monday, March 19. I cannot take any student without a permission slip.

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I am also looking for a few parents to walk with us and help keep the kids all together.

## Supplies Needed

It is cold and allergy season and we have run out of tissue for our drippy noses. In the interest of keeping healthy, please send with your child:

- Box of tissue
- Clorox wipes

- Bottle of softsoap We DO NOT need hand sanitizer. I prefer that children wash their hands with soap and water to get rid of dirt as well as germs. Thank you.

**Important Dates March 20, 21** - No School - Professional Development for Teachers **March 19 - 23 -**Scholastic Book Fair **March 22** – Walking trip to Public library **March 22** – Parent Teacher Conferences **March 23** - Book Mobile visits P3A for 1st and 2nd grade.

## **Spelling Words**

We will not have a new list of spelling words next week due to our short schedule. Instead, I will send home a review sheet of all previous spelling words from this year. On Friday, I will randomly select 25 words from the list for a review test. This should keep your child busy studying over their days off.

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## Vocabulary Words

We are learning a lot of new words in our subject areas. Here are just a few. Math:

Odd Number - a number that cannot be split into two groups of the same amount. (1,3,5,7,9,...)

<u>Even Number</u>- a number that can be split into two groups of the same amount. (2,4,6,8,10....) **Reading**:

<u>Noun</u> - a word that names a person, place or thing.

<u>Verb</u> – a word that describes action. Science:

<u>Precipitation</u> – moisture that comes from the sky. <u>Meteorologist</u> – a scientist that studies weather.





Easter projects planned that require supplies from home. *Each child needs a large bag of white cotton balls*. We can also use old newspapers for a paper mache project.

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