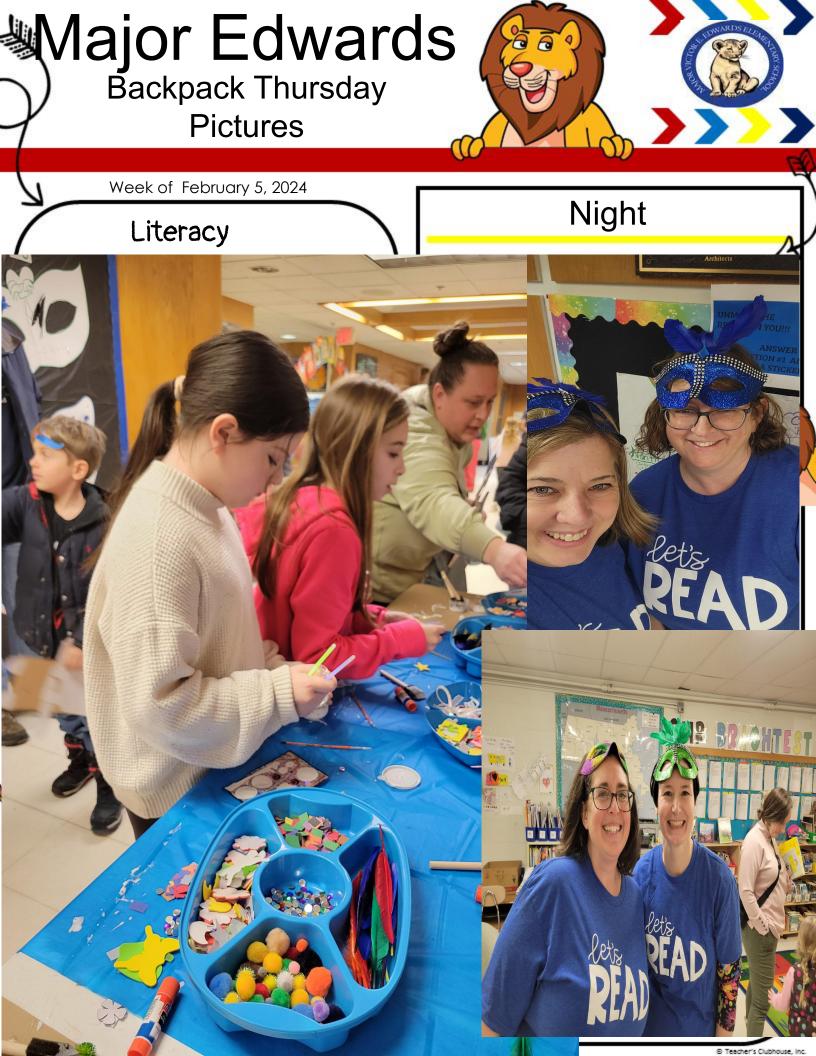
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Kindergarten Registration

2024-2025 KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION PACKET IS ONLINE.

West Boylston, Massachusetts 01583-1098

Kindergarten registration for Major Edwards Elementary School will be held. February 1-29, 2024 by contacting Anita Pratt at anitapratt@wbschools.com or calling (508) 835-2917 Monday-Friday 8:30 am to 3:30 pm. Please refer to the registration packet for the complete list of documents that you must send to Anita Pratt to complete the registration process. Registration packet can be found on the school website address as follows:

https://www.wbschools.com/MEES

West Boylston Child Find

WEST BOYLSTON - The schools wish to identify all West Boylston children with disabilities, ages 3 to 21 years, who may be in need of special education services, and who have not graduated from high school.

Additionally, the school district wishes to identify any children who may be currently homeless and therefore have certain educational rights under the McKinney-Vento Homeless Education Assistance Act.

The McKinney-Vento Act was reauthorized by Congress in 2001 under the No Child Left Behind Act. It defines homeless children as those "who lack a fixed, regular and adequate nighttime residence."

Anyone who can identify a child with a disability or a child without a permanent home who is not receiving educational services, should have the parents or any interested person contact Kristen Nasuti at 508-834-4461.

Pre-School Screening

WEST BOYLSTON - The West Boylston Public Schools will conduct a pre-school screening for all children ages 2½ to 4 years old on May 29, 2024, by appointment only.

It is the policy of the West Boylston Public Schools to screen all students 2 ½ to 4 years old who may be in need of special education services, when requested by the parents.

This screening is done on an ongoing scheduled basis. Parents who are interested in having their child screened may contact Kristen Nasuti at 508-835-4461.



WEST BOYLSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS INTEGRATED PRESCHOOL PROGRAM

The West Boylston Public Schools is taking applications for the preschool program for the 2024 – 2025 school year.

The four-day preschool program for 3 and 4-year-olds runs 4 days a week.

The morning session runs from 8:30 – 11:00 AM, and the afternoon session runs from 12:00 PM to 2:30 PM. There is no session on Wednesdays.

Children must be 3 years old by August 31, 2024. Tuition is \$2,000 for the school year

The five-day preschool program for 4 and 5-year-olds runs 5 days a week.

The morning session runs from 8:30 – 11:00 AM, and the afternoon session runs from 12:00 PM to 2:30 PM.

Children must be 4 years old by August 31, 2024. Tuition is \$2,500 for the school year

The five-day full-day preschool program for 4 and 5-year-olds runs 5 days a week.

The program runs from 8:30 AM to 2:30 PM.

Children must be 4 years old by August 31, 2024. Tuition is \$5000 for the school year

The preschool program begins the Thursday after Labor Day (9/5/24) and goes until the last day of school on the West Boylston school calendar.

Placement is through a lottery held on April 1, 2024.

This lottery is for in-town residents only.

Available openings will be offered to non-residents through a second lottery held on May 15, 2024.

Preschool is not part of the school choice program.

Please refer to the preschool handbook for more details

Applications are available online at www.wbschools.com/MEES/Portal/Pre-School and will be accepted until 5:00 pm on March 31, 2024. The lottery will be held on April 1, 2024, for in-town residents only. For additional information, please contact Haley Gaughan at 508-835-4461 (extension 2110), or at haleygaughan@wbschools.com.

The West Boylston Public Schools does not discriminate based on age, sex, gender, gender identity or expression, color, homelessness, disability, national origin, religion, race, or sexual orientation.

Beaman Memorial Library activities for Feb. 2024

Feb. 2nd @ 4:00- Hedgehog Day story and craft

Feb. 3rd @ 11:00- Music and Movement with Ms. Meredith

Feb. 10th @ 11:00- Lunar New Year Celebration

February Vacation week of events:

Tues. Feb.20th- All Day Mini Golf- sign up at the library for a tee time

Wed. Feb. 21st @ 2:00- Fairy Tale Engineering Challenge

Thurs. Feb. 22nd- Candy Bar Bingo- 10:30 for ages 2-6, 3:00 for ages 7 and older

Fri. Feb 23rd- All Day- Candyland themed Escape Room- sign up at the library for a time slot.

Thurs. Feb. 29th- Leap Year Celebration- 10:30 for ages 2-5, 4:30 for ages 6 and up

You can sign up for these programs on our webpage beamanlibrary.org





West Boylston CFCE Learn and Play



Pajama Learn and Play 2023-2024

The West Boylston CFCE invites families with young children (ages toddler-age 7) to join us for an evening parent/child playgroup! Join The West Boylston Coordinated Family and Community Engagement Grant for a monthly Caregiver and Child Playgroup. We will have engaging, play-based, early learning opportunities for children ages one through age six. We will begin with a fun, interactive playgroup, including crafts and sensory play, and end with stories and songs to calm your child near bedtime. Children and caregivers are welcome to come in their pajamas.

WHEN: Thursday, January 18th 6:00-7:00 PM

Thursday, February 15th 6:00-7:00 PM Thursday, March 14th 6:00-7:00 PM

SPECIAL PROGRAM ON APRIL 11th instead of April PJ L&P

Thursday, May 16th 6:00-7:00 PM Thursday, June 6th 6:00-7:00 PM

WHERE: First Congregational Church/Community Nursery School 26 Central Street, 2nd Floor, West Boylston

WHO: Children ages 1-7 and their caregiver(s).

REGISTER: Please register as space is limited. You may register for one or more

dates. Register Here or email us at Westboylstoncfce@gmail.com





WEST BOYLSTON LITTLE LEAGUE



SPRING 2024 REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN!

West Boylston Little League offers and teaches great co-ed town baseball to kids aged 4 to 12 at four different divisions.

Season starts in April and ends in June.

DIVISIONS / AGES / FEES

•	Majors Division	10-12 yr olds	\$115
•	AAA Division	8-10 yr olds	\$115
•	AA Division (Coach Pitch)	6-8 yr olds	\$95
•	A Division (Tee ball)	4-6 yr olds	\$75

OPEN REGISTRATION DATES

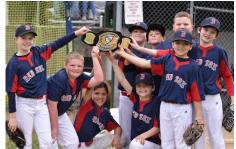
Majors and AAA Jan 1st to March 10th
 AA and A Jan 1st to March 17th

Register Online at:

www.westboylstonlittleleague.org

FOR MORE INFORMATION PEASE CONTACT:

westboylstonlittleleague@gmail.com







Great Friends! Great Teams! Great Fun!

Major Edwards' Cubs

Love to READ!!!!

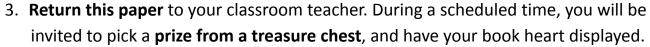
Throughout February we will celebrate

"I Love to Read" month and "Read Across America"!!!

Celebrate by participating in the Reading Challenge and
Spirit Week. We hope all families will join us, as we have
fun with reading, and sharing diverse books as a way
to connect to the world around us.

Reading Challenge- 2/2 to 2/29

- 1. On your own, or with a friend or family member, **complete** at least five of the activities below with a picture book, nonfiction book OR 20 minutes of a chapter book.
- 2. **Decorate** the heart on the back of this paper in a way that connects to **one** of the books you read.





Monday, February 12th- "Go Major Edwards' Cubs Day!": Wear Major Edwards spirit wear, or our school colors of blue and white.

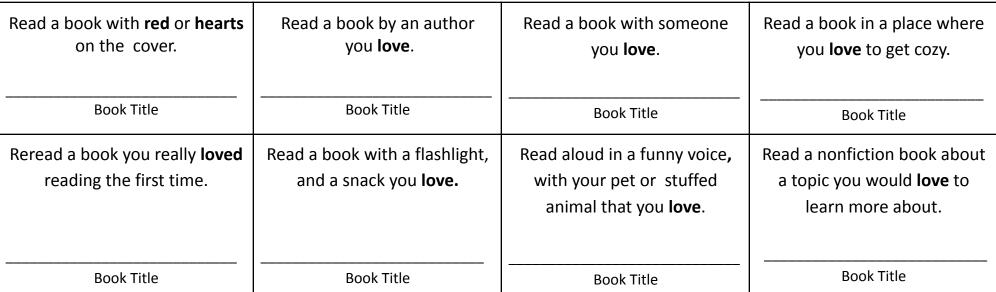
<u>Tuesday, February 13th</u>- "Read a Shirt Day!": Wear a school appropriate shirt with words that can be read by others.

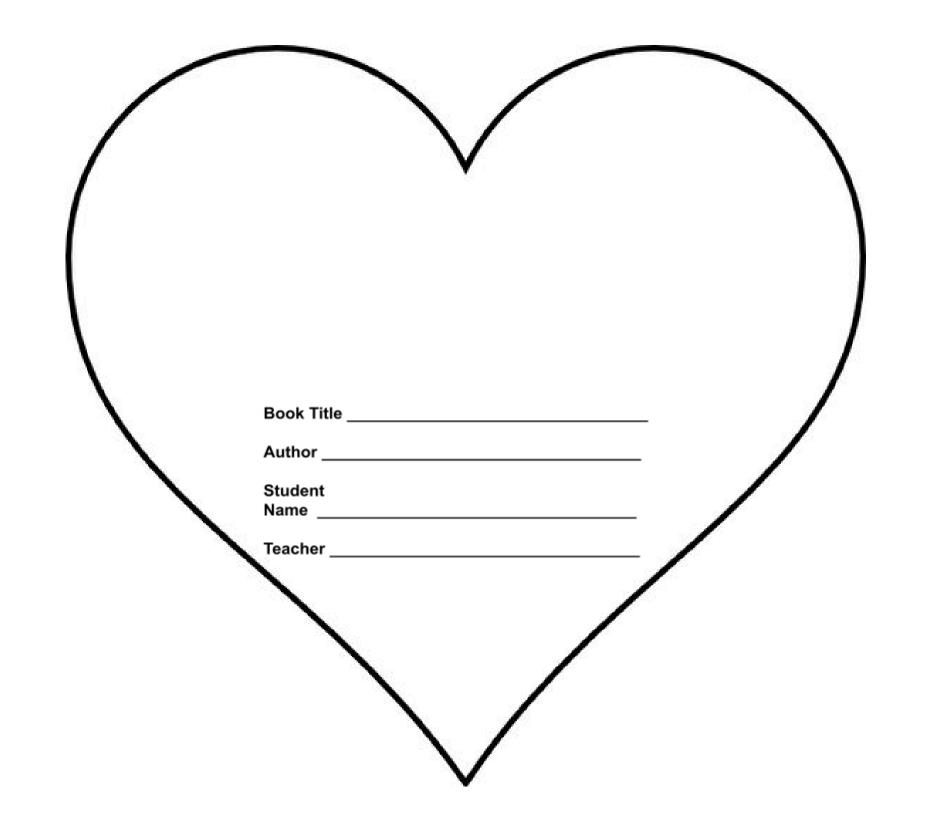
<u>Wednesday, February 14th-</u> "I Love to Read Day!": Wear some red or hearts to promote the love of <u>reading</u>.

<u>Thursday, February 15th</u>. "Share a Favorite Day!": Wear something to represent a favorite fiction or nonfiction book. You can dress like a character, animal or any other creative idea!

<u>Friday, February 16th-</u> "Buddies, Books and Pajama Day!": Wear school appropriate pajamas to school, and bring a favorite book you would **love** to share with others, as we cozy up for some buddy reading.

<u>Community Readers</u>- Members of the community will visit to read to each class on Monday, February 12th (Delay/snow day on Wed. Feb.







SPRING 2024 SOFTBALL REGISTRATION



JANUARY 8TH TO FEBRUARY 17TH

Age as of September 1, 2024 determines registrant's division

Instructional Division (8U) - Ages 5-7 (Recommended K - 2nd Grade)

Intermediate Division (10U) - Ages 8-10 (Recommended 3rd - 5th Grade)

Minor Divisions (12U) - Ages 11-12 (Recommended 6th & 7th Grade)

Minor Divisions (14U) - Ages 13-14 (Recommended 8th & 9th Grade)

https://www.facebook.com/westboylstonsoftball/

https://sports.bluesombrero.com/Default.aspx?tabid=734482

QUESTIONS: Just shoot us an email WestBoylstonSoftball@gmail.com

Coordinated Family & Community Engagement Grant presents:



Terrific Tuesdays!



Open active play in the CECRC Play School children's gym for families with children 0-6 years.*

(* Families with children ages 0-6 are welcome.)

DATES: January 23 – March 26 (9:30am -11:30am)

(Program will run for ten weeks on the school schedule including weather related closures.)

LOCATION: Clinton CFCE Children's Gym (150 School St., Clinton)

Facilitator: Regina Rondina, CFCE Coordinator

Please Note: No shoes are allowed in the gym.
Please bring socks for everyone!

WB CFCE Contact: Lisa Thompson (westboylstoncfce@gmail.com)

Clinton CFCE Contact: Regina Rondina (978-365-4218 or rondinar@clinton.k12.ma.us)



The Coordinated Family & Community Engagement Grant Program offers this program through a grant from the Massachusetts Department of Early Education & Care.



