

Cultural Awareness & Friendship					
	Theme	Geography	Circle & Share Day	Montessori	<u>Enrichment Overview</u>
Week 1 2/5-2/9	Cultural Awareness & Friendship *Black History Month *Valentine's Day	Asia *Countries *Languages	Calendar Routine Discussion: Valentine's Day Share Day (Friday): Bring something you love	Zoology: Fish Botany: Leaf Science: Parts of a leaf Art: Heart Mirror Painting Grace/Courtesy: Dental Health	<p>Music: Children will be introduced to Korean composer Isang Yun (1917 – 1995). His music inspires many today and created a bridge between Asian and European music. Children will also work on rhythm, keeping a beat and movement activities. Learning songs about friendship and winter.</p> <p>Art: Katsushika Hokusai (1760-1849) was a Japanese artist, ukiyo-e painter and printmaker of the Edo period. In his time, he was Japan's leading expert on Chinese painting. He is known for The Great Wave Print & Thirty-Six Views of Mt. Fuji. Children will also explore art related to the Olympics, Lunar New Year and Dental Month.</p> <p>Cooking: This month we will explore different dishes from the continent of Asia, especially for Lunar New Year. A Valentine's Day treat to celebrate friendship and other exciting recipes. Cooking safety, measuring and mixing will be practiced.</p> <p>Computer: ABC Mouse will continue to guide children with a self-paced curriculum and track their progress through language, math and reading. Parents can check progress at home.</p> <p>Spanish: Children will learn the vocabulary for friendship and San Valentin. Books, songs, games and movement will be used to facilitate learning.</p>
Week 2 2/12-2/16	Cultural Awareness & Friendship *Valentine's Day * Chinese New Year	Asia *Japan: Culture, language, and traditions	Calendar Routine Discussion: Lunar New Year Share Day (Friday): Bring something Red	Zoology: Fish Botany: Leaf Science: Parts of a leaf Art: Paper Lanterns Grace/Courtesy: Dental Health	
Week 3 2/19-2/23 *2/19 - School Closed- President's Day	Cultural Awareness & Friendship *Asia - South Korea * Winter Olympics	Asia *China: Culture, language, and traditions	Calendar Routine Discussion: President's Day Share Day (Friday): Bring something colorful	Zoology: Fish Botany: Leaf Science: Parts of a Leaf Art: Presidents Day Craft Grace/Courtesy: Dental Health	
Week 4 2/26-3/2	Cultural Awareness & Friendship *Review	Asia *India: Culture, language, and traditions	Calendar Routine Discussion: Money Share Day (Friday): Bring something Yellow	Zoology: Fish Botany: Leaf Science: Parts of a Leaf Art: Chinese Drums Grace/Courtesy: Dental Health	

*Each child has an individualized lesson plan in alignment with the Montessori Curriculum. This calendar represents an overview of concepts that will be introduced over the month and may not reflect exact lessons for your child.