



## EVENTS THIS MONTH

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**HAPPY NEW YEAR!!!**

1/9

**Welcome Back to School!**

1/16

**NO SCHOOL MLK JR. DAY**

1/22

**Lunar/Chinese New Year  
Spring Festival**

1/27

**Spirit Day!**

1/30

**Winter Art Show @5:15pm**

## WHAT'S HAPPENING

### Helloooooo 2023!!

We are so excited to start a new year that is filled with opportunity, positive perspectives, and growth. This month we are honoring Dr. Martin Luther King Jr., celebrating Lunar/Chinese New Year, having fun with Spirit Day and a fantastic Winter Art Show to praise the children's artistic talents.



### LATE STARTS

Don't forget your child's late start day for this month, they may arrive **no earlier than 9am** on that day. This is when your child's teachers have their monthly meeting.

2's: Tuesday, 1/17

3's: Tuesday, 1/24

4's: Tuesday, 1/31

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY

### LOOK WHO'S TURNING

3! – Ava S., Vaughn W., Kian M.M.,

4! – Emma S., Astoria W.

5! – Alexis A., Rene L..

### STAFF BIRTHDAYS

1/11: Ms. Lilia

1/15: Mr. Andrew

1/23: Ms. Amalia

1/25: Ms. Maria

### OVERHEARD IN THE CLASSROOM:

#### Teacher approaches child who is feeling sad:

"How about a hug? Would that make you feel better?"

**Child:** "No! I'm a boy!"



### STAFF ANNIVERSARY

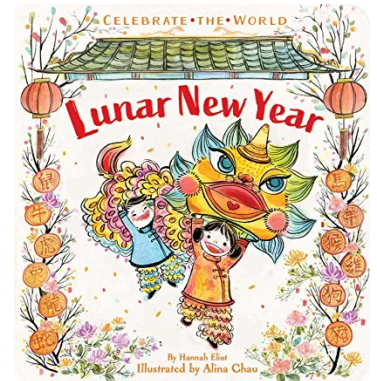
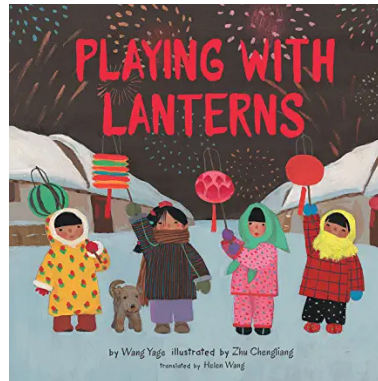
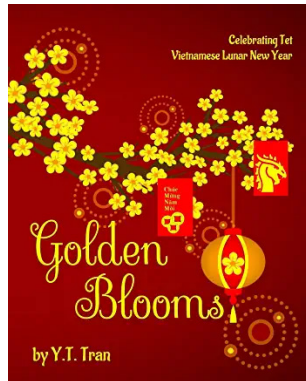
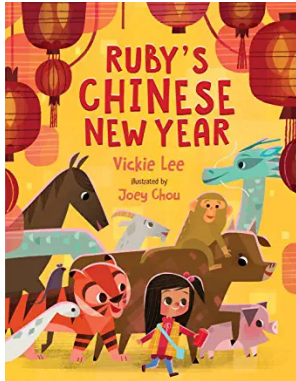
Mr. Terrance celebrates his 6 year anniversary!



# Lunar New Year | Chinese New Year Spring Festival 2023 | Year of the Rabbit

Years of the Rabbit: 1915, 1927, 1939, 1951, 1963, 1975, 1987, 1999, 2011, 2023

## Book Recommendations:



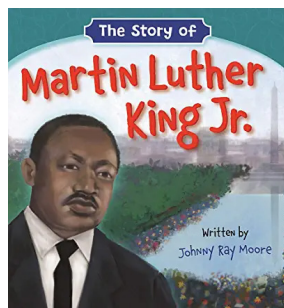
Resource: [education.nationalgeographic.org/resource/lunar-new-year](https://education.nationalgeographic.org/resource/lunar-new-year)

## Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day

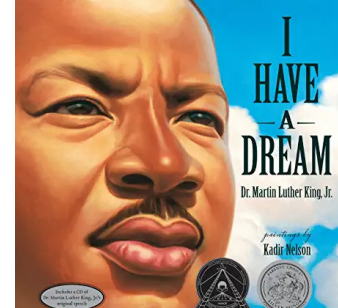
2023 Theme: "It Starts With Me: Cultivating A Beloved Community Mindset To Transform Unjust Systems"

## Book Recommendations:

2-5 year old:



4-9 year old:



Check out the below links for more resources and ways to volunteer:

[thekingcenter.org/king-holiday-2023](https://thekingcenter.org/king-holiday-2023) • [americorps.gov/newsroom/events/mlk-day](https://americorps.gov/newsroom/events/mlk-day) • [Theconsciouskid.org](https://Theconsciouskid.org)



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