



Second Grade June

Welcome to our Second grade class webpage. During the school year, this webpage is updated each week to keep you informed of what is happening in our classroom.



- Blue Knights Bash-Friday, June 2nd
- Portfolio Celebration/Poetry Café- Monday, June 5th
- Field Day-Friday, June 9th K-4th Bring Lunch from Home
- Move Up Day June 14th Kona Ice Treat
- June 14th 12:15
- June 15th Last Day of 2nd Grade!
- June 15th 9:00 Mass and 12:15 Day

Writer's Workshop

In June we will be...

- Celebrate Writing: Poetry Cafe
- Seasonal Writing
- Journal Prompts
- Write about Fireflies

Grammar: Vowel and Consonant Suffixes – Homophones- Verbs- Review

Our workshop begins with a short mini-lesson focusing on a specific skill. We will be busy writing each day to practice our writing skills.



In Reader's Workshop

In June we will be...

- Author's Purpose
- Cause/Effect
- Comparing Folktales
- Character Analysis
- Problem Solution
- Character Motivation
- Read Nonfiction Passages_ Fireflies-Ladybugs

As we progress through the year, your child will be taught a number of different reading strategies as they grow into fluent readers and comprehend text.

The most important thing that you can do to help your children grow as readers is to READ, READ, and READ! When your child hears you read it helps build fluency, increase vocabulary, and helps with comprehension.

Spelling

Second graders will be introduced to spelling rule. Students will practice spelling rules in a variety of ways. They will be tested for mastery. Some spelling words are differentiated to meet the various needs and skills of the students in our class.

We will begin Unit 15: The /u/sound of oo, ou, ue, ew

Sample words: spoon soup overdue blew argue shook

Trick words: January February July enough special December

Math

In June we will...

Unit 7: Arrays, Equal Shares, and Adding or Subtracting Lengths

- Arrays, Partitioned Rectangles, and Equal Shares
- Find Equal Shares
- Length Word Problems and Number Line Diagrams
- Add Three and Four Lengths
- More Length Word Problems
- Review
- End of Year Assessments

Social Studies

In June we will...

Our Social Studies program incorporates language arts and encourages active student participation as they learn about the world around them. It connects what they have learned to their own personal experiences. We will learn about cultures, geography, history, citizenship, and government. We will read maps, learn about landforms, great Americans, traditions, economics, and life long ago.

Economic Market Day: Economics and Finance

Students will develop business strategies of starting a business. They will choose a product to make and sell. Students will create a business name/logo. They will learn important concepts of producers/consumers and needs vs. wants. They will learn about goods vs. services. Students will learn about marketing their product. Students will learn to budget, count change, write receipts, and keep track of sales. They will sell their products to each other during a classroom Market Day.

Science

In second grade we will learn all about: Engineering, the Earth's Surface, Solids and Liquids, and Environments for Living Things **Eco Project: Seed Dispersal and Outdoor Classrooms**

Animal Biodiversity: Explore animal classification and traits that define each group. Study of habitats and how the surrounding environments affect what organisms live in a particular environment

Animal Adventures: Animal Classification and Habitat Diversity-

Religion

We will be learning our prayers, sharing personal experiences, and discussing Scripture. We will be preparing for the Sacraments of Reconciliation and Holy Communion. Please help your child practice their prayers. Second graders go to church as a class on the third Thursday of each month. Please join us!

Sacrament of the Eucharist: In the Sacrament of the Eucharist we receive the Body and Blood of Christ. The Eucharist is a sacrifice and a sacred meal of Christ's Body and Blood.

Prayer: "Lord God, we praise you and thank you for the gift of the Eucharist. This gift helps us every day to be better followers of your Son, Jesus. Amen."

Homework Schedule

Monday

- Math
- Read for 15-20 minutes and record in log
- Spelling Rule sent home for daily practice

Tuesday-

- Journal Writing

Wednesday-

- Math
- Read for 15-20 minutes/ record in log

Thursday-

- Math
- Read for 15-20 minutes/record in log

Friday-

- Spelling test /reading log due
- Have a great weekend!

This is the general structure for each week. Be sure to check your child's folder each day. Your child's weekly reading log sheet will be sent home every Monday and needs to be returned to school each Friday.

Specials Schedule

Monday: Gym

Tuesday: Spanish

Wednesday: SEL/Media

Thursday: Art

Friday: Music



If you have any questions or concerns, please e-mail or call! Communication is important!