

Second Grade

News

November 11-15, 2013

Weekly Newsletter

Spelling Words

Spelling Words- Words with ar:
far, are, card, start, jar, art, hard,
dark, apart, warm, party

Challenge words: garden,
garbage, apartment, market

Bonus: calendar

Homework

Spelling- Choose 2 activities from the list below to practice your spelling words.

- Write a sentence for each spelling word, but leave out the spelling words. List all the words on the page. Ask a family member to add the correct spelling word to each sentence.
- ABC order- write your spelling words in alphabetical order.
- Write a story with as many spelling words as possible. Illustrate your story.
- Type your spelling words 5 times, using a different font each time.
- Write a sentence for each of your spelling words.
- Students may also choose to work on SpellingCity.com.

Math

Home Connection 9
Make The Sum Game
Chart the Combinations

Science

Weekly Workout Week 11 handout

Reading

2nd graders are required to read 20 minutes/5 days a week. Students should fill in book and minutes read in their reading log. Parents please sign reading log to be turned in on Fridays with homework.

All homework will be turned in on Friday.

Bullying Prevention Week

November 18-22, 2013

Be the Change You Want to See! The End of Bullying Begins With Me!

Monday: "Team Up Against Bullying" favorite team attire

Tuesday: "I'm Too Smart to Bully!" wear your smartest outfit

Wednesday: "I Choose Peace Not Bullying" tie-dye and peace signs

Thursday: "Partner Up Against Bullying" cowboy/girl gear

Friday: "I'm Thankful for a Bully Free School!" wear green to school!

**EARLY
RELEASE
Friday,
Nov. 15th
at 12:00**

Reading/ELA

Students will identify all nouns, verbs and adjectives in sentences. We will also look at the sounds of the hard and soft c and g.

Students will read and pronounce the different sounds that these letters can make. Our shared reading big book this week is *Beavers*. Students will review the characteristics of fiction and non-fiction text.

Math

This week we continue our unit over addition, subtraction, and probability. Students will see patterns and relationships between the numbers. Students will begin a new set of work places.

Students will play various probability games and practice addition and subtraction.

History & Geography

This week we will conclude our discussion over the War of 1812.

Students will understand the causes of war and the effects it can have on society. We will discuss the Treaty of Ghent, The Battle of New Orleans, and Andrew Jackson. Students will take a test on Friday over the War of 1812. Students will take home their study guides to help study for their test on Friday.

Science

We will continue our unit over heat. Students will identify, predict, and test uses of heat to cause change such as melting and evaporation. Students will use heat sequence cards and discuss how heat changed or affected their object.

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