

# Second Grade

## News

May 19-23, 2014

Weekly Newsletter

### Spelling Words

Words with long i spelled with-  
igh & -y: high, right, tight,  
might, light, fight, flight, sight,  
cry, eye, dry

Challenge words: height, bright,  
knight, sigh

Bonus: segregation

### mark your calendars!

**Early Release- 12:00 Friday, May 23rd**  
**No School- Monday, May 26<sup>th</sup> Memorial Day**  
**Vista Carnival- Saturday, May 31<sup>st</sup> 10am-1pm**  
**Field Day- Tuesday, June 3rd**  
**End of Year Party- Wednesday, June 4th**  
**Last Day of School/Early Release- Thursday, June 5th**

### Homework

Spelling- Choose 3 activities from the list below to practice your spelling words.

- Write your spelling words. Circle all the vowels. Underline each consonant.
- Cursive Practice- write your spelling words in cursive 2 times each. (handout)
- ABC order- write your spelling words in alphabetical order.
- Rainbow Words - Write your spelling words with a crayon. Trace over each word with another color.
- Write a sentence for each of your spelling words. Magazine Words-cut out letters from magazines or newspapers to spell out your spelling words.
- Or you may choose to work on Spelling City.com & turn in two spelling activities

#### Math-

Home Connections 28 Activity & Worksheet

#### Science

Weekly Science Workout Week 33

#### Reading

2<sup>nd</sup> 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.**

### Reading/ELA

We are completing end of year reading testing on all students.

Students will read, discuss, and create different forms of poetry.

## 13 days left of school!!

### Math

During our last weeks of school, we will be reviewing all math concepts that we have learned this year. We will review patterns, story problems, counting money, fractions, probability, shapes, and measurement.

### History & Geography

This week we continue our Civil Rights Spotlight.

Students will understand that the ideas people profess affect their behavior. They will understand the connection between ideas and actions, between ideology and policy, and policy and practice. We will look at the lives of Eleanor Roosevelt, Jackie Robinson, Rosa Parks, and Martin Luther King Jr.

### Science

This week we will continue our Healthy Diet unit. Students will recognize that eating a healthy diet is an important component to maintaining health.

Students will describe the basic food requirements for humans as summarized in the food pyramid.

Students will label and identify the food pyramid.

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