

Second Grade

News

January 20-24, 2014

Weekly Newsletter

Spelling Words

Words with long e spelled y:

baby, lady, very, only, many, penny, carry, sunny, bunny, puppy, dizzy

Challenge words: worry, probably, battery, pretty

Bonus: cloudy

Homework

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

- Write your spelling words. Use a blue crayon for the consonants, and a red crayon for the vowels.
- Scramble each spelling word. Have a family member unscramble the words and sign your paper.
- Write a sentence for each of your spelling words.
- Pyramid Writing-Write your words in pyramid form. Example- bug:

b
bu
bug

- Or you may choose to work on Spelling City.com & one spelling activity

Math-

Home Connection 13

Last Shape Wins game and What can you do with a square and 2 triangles activity

Science

Weekly Science Workout Week 17

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.

Upcoming Events

3rd six weeks report cards- Friday, January 24th

100th day of school- Friday, February 7th

Valentine's Day- Friday, February 14th

President's Day No School- Monday, February 17th

Family Day- Saturday, February 22nd

Reading/ELA

This week we will identify articles in a sentence and review suffixes and prefixes.

We will be reading a lot of stories during our history time, and also implementing reading passages during Science also.

History & Geography

Students will understand the impact of scientific technological developments on individuals and societies. Students will become familiar with Chinese inventions and the major landmarks in China as well as the general geography of the region. We will hopefully attempt to make our own paper.

REPORT CARDS GO HOME THIS FRIDAY.



100th day of School, Friday, February 7th.

100th day project letters will go home this week.

Science

Students will identify states of matter, physical properties, changes in matter, uses for matter, and how matter works together in a system.

Our vocabulary for this unit will include: solid, gas, liquid, matter, mass, change, observe, size, melt, length, physical property, combine, part, shape, flexibility, temperature, texture, heat, and energy.

Math

Students will complete games and activities that reinforce exploring shapes symmetry, area, and number.

Students will sort triangles in as many ways as they can. They will explore the ideas of symmetry, similarity, and congruence. New vocabulary words are equilateral triangle, isosceles triangle, right triangle, and scalene triangle.

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