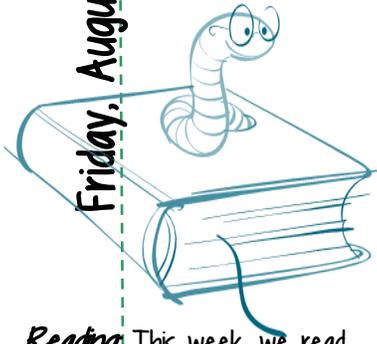


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Inside the Classroom

Reading This week, we read LOTS of different stories and did some literature responses to help us understand and apply some of the principles from the story. Such as we read a story called LISTEN Buddy! In the story, a little rabbit learns a lesson about listening when he doesn't have very good listening skills and it lands him in trouble. We then brainstormed ideas on how to be an active listener and wrote about how we are going to be active listeners in our class this year and in life! Activities like this have really helped to build our sense of community, which will last a very long time and help us later in the year!

Math This week, we continued to build on the skills that they learned in first grade by reviewing the number 10! A lot of your child's ability to break up numbers depends on the number 10 :) We have also been playing some old games that we learned last year and learning some new games too! Ask your child to teach you some of the games we learned and reviewed this week (10's go-fish, target addition etc.)

Important Dates:

> Curriculum Night: Aug. 10th at 6:30pm

WELCOME TO 2ND GRADE!

Next Week's Focus:

- Reading - Fairy Tales and Folk Tales
- Following our 3 B's
- Being Kind to others

Important Information

- **Curriculum Night** Please send in only paper requesting \$5 for Our Curriculum Night is this healthy snacks. Suggested coming Wednesday (the snacks - goldfish, pretzels, 10th) from 6:30 to fruit snacks, crackers etc.. 7:00pm. Please try to I will have more infor- come as we will be dis- mation about acceptable cussing what your child will snacks at Curriculum Night next Wednesday evening. There will also be a • Homework Homework will be starting chance to sign up to vol- soon! More information unteer. Mrs. Brunner and about homework will be Mrs. Pieper will be doing a explained at Curriculum presentation on safety at Night on Wednesday, the Colina as well. This is a 10th. parent's only event - see • National Geographic I sent home Wednesday a you Wednesday!
- Healthy Snacks I sent home Wednesday a paper requesting \$5 for National Geographic. National Geographic is a really fabulous way for the kids to read interesting non-fiction text that is written at their reading level. Plus, the kids will get to take their own issue home with them to share with you at home! I would like to have all payments by next Monday (the 15th) so that I can order the magazines soon! Thanks so much for helping us! :)

2nd Grade Reminders

- Specials Schedule
Monday: Library
Tuesday: Thinking Lab
Wednesday: Art
Thursday: P.E.
WEAR TENNIS SHOES!
Friday: Music

- Dismissal Times
- We dismiss students at 2:35pm on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday.
Wednesdays dismissal is at 12:35pm
- Students are not allowed on campus before 7:15 am

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