

Here's the Buzz...

From the 2nd Grade Teachers

Week of: November 4, 2019



This week, we are reading...

- You've Got Guts
- Exercise
- Other Nonfiction texts
- The S.O.S. Files

Practicing reading Nonfiction:

I can...

- Tell how text features are used to help the reader understand the text better
- Explain how special type (bold words, etc.), headings/subheadings, table of contents and a glossary help me understand the text better

In math we are...

- Describing a rectangular array using square tiles with rows, number of tiles in each row and total tiles
- Making rectangles on a geoboard
- Identifying attributes of a rectangle
- Partitioning and identifying one half a rectangle, a triangle, a hexagon and a circle
- Understanding equal parts of a whole
- Recognizing that halves of the same shape can look different

This week we are writing Nonfiction:

I can...

- Brainstorm a list of topics
- Plan my writing to write all I know with a table of contents
- Include:
 - heading (title)
 - chapters/sections
 - page numbers
 - introduction

In social studies we are... Exploring a map of our local community with a title, map key, important natural and human characteristics and transportation.

School-Wide Monthly Theme: November - Acceptance/Understanding

Encourage your child to talk about their observations, questions and concerns. Help your child to consider the feelings and opinions of others - walk in someone else's shoes. Help your child to see that differences are to be appreciated and celebrated.

Dear Parents,

It's hard to believe, but winter weather will be approaching soon. Please help your child to be responsible with his or her winter gear. Label all items with your child's name. The color black is a popular color for snow pants!

Coat

Hat

Mittens - an extra pair in the backpack is a great idea

Snow pants - Students must have snow pants and boots to go on the playground if there is snow

Boots

Shoes in backpack - Your child may leave an extra pair of shoes here at school in his or her locker

Roll-up sled - to leave at school for the winter season

Thank You,

Your 2nd Grade Teachers

Things to Remember...

November

5th East Oakview Restaurant Night at Herb & Fire

6th Enjoy the City Coupon books or money due

13th Picture retakes

15th Half day - dismissal at 11:30 a.m.

20th East Oakview PTC Meeting - 6:30 - 7:30 p.m.

22nd Popcorn Day - 1 bag for 50 cents, 3 bags for \$1.00

27th - 29th Thanksgiving Break - No School

December

2nd Back to school ☺

5th Grade 3/4 Concert at PAC

9th - 13th Santa Shop

13th Popcorn Day - 1 bag for 50 cents, 3 bags for \$1.00

Gingerbread Houses TBD

23rd - Jan. 3rd Winter break - no school

January

6th Back to school