

2nd Grade News

Week of May 30-
June 3

Reading/Language Arts

This week in reading we will review all of the skills from the past few weeks and take our final Benchmark Test of the year! We will break the test up into smaller chunks and work on one section each day. The first two days will involve reading and analyzing texts. The third day will focus on all of the phonics patterns and rules we have been working on (vowel diphthongs oo, ou, ue, ew; vowel diphthongs oi/oy; vowel diphthongs ow/ou; long vowel patterns; and the final stable syllable -le. The last day will involve reading a complex text and responding in writing.

This week we will also take the Unit 6 Benchmark Test on all of the language arts skills we have been working on: contractions; possessive nouns; possessive pronouns; adjectives versus adverbs; and editing sentences.

Important Dates

Monday, May 30th-
Memorial Day/ No School

Tuesday, June 7th-
End-of-Year Party
9:30-11:30

Wednesday, June 8th-
Last Day of School

Math

This week we will continue working on multiplication and division. We will be busy doing lots of modeling and hands-on activities to make the concepts come alive. The students are loving this topic and catching on so quickly! We have glued some resources in their math notebooks to help them practice all summer long and get a jumpstart on 3rd grade!

Social Studies/Science

We are wrapping our science unit on animal classifications, plant/animal needs, habitats, adaptations, and life cycles.

All 2nd grade end-of-year parties will be held on Tuesday, June 7th. Please contact your child's teacher and/or room parent for specific details. We are excited to celebrate the end of a wonderful year!