# Second Grade Newsletter

# Week of April 29

The purpose of this newsletter is to provide you with some insight as to what is happening in our busy second grade classroom. If you have any questions or concerns please feel free contact me by phone, email, or note.

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#### Upcoming Week Reminders:

Monday May 6 FIELD TRIP FORMS MUST BE IN

Tuesday May 7 Memory Wednesday May 8 Chapel

Thursday May 9 Library/Memory

Friday May 10 Spelling test: LAST one for second grade

\*\*LAST CALL FOR GREEN MEADOWS FORMS IS MONDAY! Green Meadows field trip will be on Tuesday, May 21. Please remember to hand in your permission slip. There are two forms: 1-must fill out if you want your second grader to go to the farm 2-only if you are willing to drive

\*\*Please bring in a shoebox Monday, May 13

FYI: This will be our last spelling test for the year! Thank you for helping your second grader learn their words. We have completed our fast facts for second grade! Please continue to review over the summer.

\*\*SUMMER BIRTHDAYS: We don't want to forget all those with summer birthdays! If your second grader would like to celebrate it at school please let me know what day works for you! We love treats!

## **Literacy**

We learned about Helen Keller and how Annie Sullivan taught her to communicate even though she was blind and deaf. Our pizza biographies are off to a great start! The tricky part is putting the information into our own words. We will continue them next week. Possessive pronouns were reviewed. In writing we are finally writing about why we are cranky; however, we are stretching our brains to think of synonyms for grumpy!

## <u>Math</u>

In math we are learning about 3-dimensional shapes and their attributes. We also practiced partitioning shapes equally. Time continues to be reviewed, but I encourage you to have your second grader tell time during the summer. This is a life skill that some still found challenging.

#### Science

We learned about the 3 states of matter.

# Religion

As we read about Pentecost, God shows His love for us when He gave us the Holy Spirit that plants and grows faith in the hearts of His people. We can rejoice that God has chosen us to be His forgiven children and messengers of His love.

### <u>Art</u>

Shh!! We started a special gift for Mother's Day!