



Our 2nd Grade Classroom News

The Week of February 26th - March 2nd

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Reminders

School will be in session on Monday, March 5th to make up the snow day!!

- Mar. 9th Book Order Due
- Mar. 10th PFA Auction
- Mar. 16th Spelling Test Unit 4 Week 2
- Mar. 16th End of 3rd Quarter
- Mar. 23rd 2nd Grade Continent
- Mar. 23rd Report Card Distribution
- Mar. 26- Apr. 1st Spring Break

-If you have not already returned your child's typed Young Author Story, please do so by Monday, March 5th. If you do not have the ability to print, please email me a copy of the typed story and I can print it at school. Thank you for assisting your child with this project. ©

Our Learning

Math:

This week students estimated measures and used a ruler to measure length and height to the nearest centimeter. We reviewed the importance of lining up one end of the object with the 0 mark on the ruler. Throughout the week, students measured the same object in centimeters and meters and determine which measurement will need fewer units. They learned that the shorter the unit, the more units needed. At the end of the week, we learned how to find the length of a path that has two parts. They practiced adding the length of each part of the path to find the total length of the path. Then students subtracted to find how much longer one path was than another.

Our Learning

Reading:

This week students continued to practiced comparing and contrasting information from texts. Next week, we will continue to read about different regions of the world. Students will use Venn Diagrams to help organize information about each place while making comparisons. Then we will practice using the ideas from the Venn Diagram to write a paragraph about how the two places were alike and different.

Spelling and phonics lessons focused on words with silent letters such as /wr/, /kn/, /gn/, /mb/, and /sc/ letter combinations.

Our vocabulary strategy focused on determining the meaning of a compound word. Students practiced breaking apart the compound word into the two smaller words, to determine the meaning of the word.

Social Studies:

This week students worked in groups to research a continent. Each group found information about the climate, landforms, plants, animals, people, languages and other interesting facts that make each continent unique. Next week groups will work together to present the information they found, to the class.

Classroom Celebrations

Good Citizen Chase



Principal's Honor Board
Brendan

- Ask your child about...
- -Morning Meeting
- -Alaska
- -Snowy Zoey & Mobile
- Mike

