

SECOND GRADE NEWSLETTER



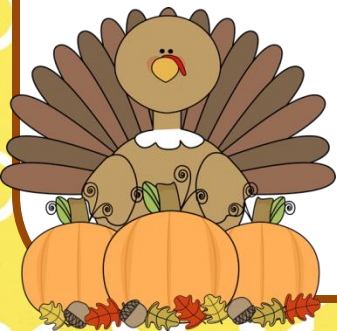
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A Look at the Learning

Math- This month we are learning to solve problems using algorithms. Students are able to use their knowledge of place value to line up the digits in the algorithm and also to bundle or regroup ones into tens and/or tens into hundreds. We continue to work on addition, subtraction, and mixed (add/sub) fact fluency (within 20) weekly and strongly encourage you to practice this at home as well.

ELA- The first weeks of November will be used primarily for assessments. Students will be tested on reading and listening comprehension as well as and skill knowledge (setting, characters, theme, sequencing, problem/solution, etc.). After assessing is finished, students will continue to have weekly stories. Our writing test will focus on stating and supporting an opinion using sources. This test will act as a transition into our next phase of writing: informational/expository. Editing will also become more of a focus this month.



Important Dates

- 11-4: Popcorn Friday, Veteran's Assembly
- 11-6: Daylight Savings (change your clocks!)
- 11-7: PLC Late Start (doors open at 10am)
- 11-8: Election Day- Don't forget to VOTE
- 11-9: Picture Retake Day
- 11-10: PTA Family Skate Night (7:30-9pm)
- 11-11: NO SCHOOL- Veteran's Day
- 11-14: Giving Tree Starts
- 11-16: Conferences- Early Release (12:40)
- 11-17: Conferences- Early Release (12:40)
- 11-18: Conferences- Early Release (12:40)
- 11-21: Going Green Assembly
- 11-23: Early Dismissal (1:40pm)
- 11-24: NO SCHOOL- Thanksgiving
- 11-25: NO SCHOOL- Black Friday

Reminders

Homework is DUE every Friday-Students need to read at least 60 minutes and do 40 minutes of math practice. They should also study their spelling words and practice editing the given sentence.

Clubs- Lego Club will meet on November 1st and 8th. **Science Club** will meet on November 3rd and November 10th.

Graphs- Please look for your child's progress graph for math and reading fluency at the end of each month. In November, these will be given at conferences.

