



Dear Students and Families,

Welcome to 2nd grade! We are excited for the opportunity to get to know you and are looking forward to a productive school year next year. **Here are some skills your child can practice over the summer to retain their 1st grade skills, avoid the "summer slide" and be ready in August to ensure success in 2nd grade:**

Reading- 1. Read, Read, Read this summer! Read a 2nd grade text with purpose and understanding **(94+ words per minute)** ☺ *If you have access to internet use I-Ready & IXL, check out the library*
 2. Distinguish long and short vowels when reading regularly spelled one-syllable words
 (cat, pin & silent-e words: kite, mane)
 3. Decode regularly spelled two-syllable words with long vowels (ex: decide, homework)
 4. Ask & answer questions using who, what, where, when, why & how to demonstrate understanding of key ideas in a text.

Writing- Write a complete sentence using **beginning capitals, spaces, basic correct spelling, periods or question marks**. In 2nd grade, students should be able to write **12- 15 complete sentences** focusing on one main idea. ☺ Keep a journal, write about the stories you've read, write about daily activities, write letters to family

Math- 1. Read & write numbers to 1,000.
 2. Fluently add and subtract up to 100 with and without regrouping (carrying & borrowing)
 3. Tell and write time from analog and digital clocks to the nearest five minutes using a.m/ p.m
 4. Identify & count money with dollar bills, quarters, dimes, nickels, & pennies up to \$20.
 5. Count within 1,000 & skip count by 2's, 5's, 10's & 100's.

☺ Make flash cards for math facts fluency, find pintables, games, puzzles, internet access:

www.ixl.com

www.boddle.com

www.coolmathgames.com

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- * 1 3-Subject Wide Rule Notebook
- * Headphones or earbuds (please put your child's name on it)
- * Pencil boxes
- * 2 boxes of crayons (1 per semester)
- * 2 small manual/ capped pencil sharpener
- * Scissors
- * a pack of 24 pencils
- * Erasers
- * water bottle (w/child's name)
- * 6 dry erase markers (Expo)
- * 6 glue sticks

Needed Class Donations:

- * Kleenex Tissue Boxes
- * Hand Sanitizer
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- * snacks

Once again, welcome to 2nd grade. Thank you in advance for your support. Enjoy your summer vacation and we are looking forward to meeting you. Let's work together to make this the best year ever!



From the 2nd Grade Team

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