



2nd Grade News

Friday, September 9, 2011

Reading:

Over the past few weeks we have been working hard on getting our Daily 5 routine in place. Things are going well. We are having fun choosing what books we like to read and reviewing how to take AR tests. We will continue to work on this next week adding in all of the components.

Math:

We are almost finished with the Everyday Math first unit. We have been reviewing skills from last year. The second unit we will learn about +1, and +0 addition facts, fact families. Also we will start to learn about ounces and pounds. We are continuing to work on all of our facts through 20.

Writing:

This week we have been working on brainstorming and webbing things we know about a specific classmate. We then have turned that into a paragraph, talking about capitals, periods, indenting, and paragraph form. We will make a book for everyone in our class.

Dates to Remember:

September 12th
PTO Meeting 8:35 & 6:30

September 12th
Baseball at the Edge
3:30 - 4:15

September 19th
No School -
Collaboration day

September 22nd
School Pictures

September 22nd
Dance at school
3:15 - 3:45

Core

This week we will conclude our unit on maps and the fifty states. We are going to work on our state reports to learn more about our state and then we are going to share with our 5th grade buddies who are studying states as well. Our next unit will be the constitution. We will learn who wrote it, where and when it was written and how all of those big words relate to all of us. This will last a week and then we will start the War of 1812. Check that one out it is one that we don't remember learning about but we know a lot about now!

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