



Classroom News!



Mrs. Murphy 2nd Grade Class

Week of: 3-19-18

Teacher's Note:

Second grade is in charge of our assembly next week celebrating kindness. We are looking forward to sharing our new kindness idea to the entire school!

This week...

Reader's workshop: This week in Reader's workshop we reviewed important lessons from the unit including reading fluently, noticing dialogue tags, and paying close attention to playful language. We are deep in an A to Z Mysteries book where we are trying to solve the spooky mystery!

Writer's workshop: This week in writer's workshop we focused on poetry. Students learned about different types of poems including acrostic poems and comparison poems. We started our poetry books and are excited to see what the final product looks like next week!

Math: This week in math we learned more about shapes. We learned about triangles and quadrilaterals. Students are beginning to understand that shapes have different attributes that define them. We also learned the difference between isosceles and scalene triangles!

Science: We began our new unit on earth systems. The first lesson focused on the layers of the atmosphere. We learned more about the troposphere, stratosphere, mesosphere, thermosphere and exosphere. Students created a project to help see where the different layers are in relation to the earth.

Upcoming Dates:

March 28 - Vision Screening

March 29 - PBIS Assembly in the Gym, 2:45 pm

March 30-April 9th NO SCHOOL -
SPRING BREAK

April 17: PTO meeting at 3:45pm

April 20: Popcorn Day

Student Spotlight!

This week we learned about Lauren. Lauren surprised us when she told us she dislikes whipped cream and is the oldest grandchild in her family. For show and tell, Lauren brought in walkie talkies which the kids enjoyed playing with!

Note:

If you have any "Summer Fun" activities or money that you would like to contribute, please send it to school with your child and I will make sure Mrs. Goens gets it.

I will hand out new spelling words when the kids get back from spring break!

