



# Classroom News!



Mrs. Murphy 2nd Grade Class

week of: 3-5-18

## Teacher's Note:

Thank you to those who have donated items to our PTO raffle basket so far. 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.

## This week...

Reader's workshop: This week in Reader's workshop we worked with partners to help us keep track of our longer books. Students worked in partnerships to ask each other questions and find the main ideas from each chapter. We realized working in partnerships and reading the same book can be a lot of fun.

Writer's workshop: This week in writer's workshop we wrapped up our pieces in realistic fiction. Students are ready to show you their stories at Open House next week Thursday!

Math: This week in math we learned about ordering numbers on a number line up to 1,000. Students also practiced finding change and the difference between dollar amounts. Students finished the week by taking a post test to demonstrate their knowledge on unit 5. I sent home their tests on Friday.

Science: we read Bartholomew and the oobleck this week. Students learned how you can mix a solid (cornstarch) with a liquid (water) and they create a unique mixture. When you feel the top, it's all solid but when you dip your finger in, it's a liquid! Students loved observing the oobleck.

## Upcoming Dates:

- March 15: Open House, 6:00-7:30 p.m
- March 16: Popcorn Day .50 Per Bag
- March 28 - Vision Screening
- March 29 - PBIS Assembly in the Gym, 2:45 pm
- March 30-April 9th NO SCHOOL - SPRING BREAK

## Student Spotlight!

This week we learned about Aaron. He loves to play video games. He also loves tigers and the color blue!

Next week we will be celebrating Jordan!

## Note:

If you would like to purchase Spirit wear, please see the attachment in the email. Spirit wear is currently for sale through Tuesday, March 13th.

