



Reading

Students have been listening to the story, Night Tree this week. Within that story, they have looked at finding the main idea, defining critical vocabulary words, reading nonfiction passages that accompany the story, inferring, and writing about family traditions.



Math

Students had a math test on addition with two digit numbers, word problems, and estimation of sums. They are also practicing to tell time to the nearest ½ hour. Please practice this with your children at home.



I(ntervention)-E(nrichment) Time

Twice a week, the second grade will have IE time. During this time, children will either work on skills that they have not yet mastered or will have an enrichment activity based on the skills they have mastered. Each week the groups will be fluid based on mastery of skills.



Shoe Tying

We would ask that you help your child learn to tie his/her shoes. There are still many second graders who have not attained this skill.

Winter Program

This year, the second grade students will be in the Winter Program. Please make sure they are practicing their parts if they have a solo part. The program will be Wednesday, December 11 at 2:30 and again at 6:30 We hope to see you all there.

Science (Mrs. Meadows)

We are learning about magnets. Key vocabulary includes attract, repel, north and south poles, magnetic and non/magnetic.

Writing (Mrs. York)

Students are continuing to work on descriptive writing. Their writings will include adjectives from the 5 senses to show not tell about their topic.



Social Studies (Mrs. Dunnigan)

We just finished our unit on Native Americans. Your student should be able to tell you lots of information about the three tribes. Fun stuff is happening next week!



Please remember that we will have outdoor recess every day, weather permitting. Please make sure your child has appropriate clothing for play. If you need help with these items, please tell your

child's teacher.



Wednesday, December 11--Winter Program 6:30

Thursday, December 19--E 2 Play 2:15 and 3Rs celebration

Friday, December 20--Early Release, Last Day Before Winter Break and Class winter celebration