



2nd Grade News

October 27th-31st • • • • •

From your Teachers

Second Grade will be having their first Reader's Theater on Thursday, October 30. For Book Club this week, students will bring home a copy of the book The Old Lady that Swallowed a Bat. Students will read the entire book and fill out the worksheet (Batty About Books). Then they will need to practice their highlighted part. Return the bag with the copy of story and worksheet on THURSDAY (10/30 NOT FRIDAY), so students can participate in book club (discuss the book with their group) and Reader's Theater (present the story to class). Please let us know if you have questions...Mrs. Donnenhoffer & Mrs. Bennett

Our Learning This Week

Reading- The book this week is Bat Loves the Night by Nicola Davies. Listen to the story and practice vocabulary words...unfurl, echolocation, plunges, roost, rafter, nocturnal. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=AMmWxH0MK9Q&t=1s>
Math- We are continuing our unit on 2-digit Subtraction. Students will learn strategies for solving...Picture form, hundreds chart, number line, decomposing, and break apart. Please continue to practice Math Facts to 20.
Writing- Students will be writing about Halloween. Then editing for punctuation, capital letters, and misspelled words.
Fundations- Spelling List went home last week. We are continuing to work on suffixes and vowel teams ai/ay oi/oy ea, ee, ey. Test Thursday, October 30. Words of the week: **swelled checked**. Trick Words: **sure use used**
Religion- Chapter 12 -We Meet Jesus in the Sacrament of Reconciliation. Words to know: **confession/penance**. Please keep practicing the Act of Contrition at home.
Handwriting- Letters X, Y, & Z and writing spelling words on the lines.
STEM Stations- *Science:* Pumpkin Glyph-Answer questions to design a pumpkin. *Technology:* www.abcya.com Halloween games *Engineering:* Roll a dice to create a pumpkin with pattern blocks *Math:* Sweet Math Candy Corn- reviewing place value/even&odd/expanded form.
Science- Continuing unit on Habitats. Habitats of the week are...2D-Anarctica and Arctic/2B-Desert and Arctic. Students will design a polar bear and build the Arctic habitat. Students will continue doing research on group habitat.

Upcoming Events

10/29-Home Learning Day/Conferences
 10/30-Book Club bags/Home Learning due
 10/31-Reading Logs due/Halloween
 (Party:1:30-2:30/Students may dress up)
 11/3-Habitat Project Building Materials due
 11/5-All Saints Mass
 11/6-Charlotte's Web Chatard Play(Bring home lunch)
 Reconciliation 6:30 pm

Important Reminders

-Field Trip Permission slips went home today. Please sign and return by Friday 10/31. No chaperones needed.©
 -Habitat Projects will be done in class next week, NOT at home. Discuss with your child which habitat they have...Desert, Antarctica, Wetlands, Savanna, Grasslands, or Rainforest. Please send in materials for building by Monday 11/3.
 -Make sure your child brings a coat for recess.

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Homework

Monday

- ☐ Reading Log
- ☐ Math 3.5

Tuesday

- ☐ Reading Log
- ☐ Math 3.6

Wednesday

- ☐ Home Learning due Thursday
- ☐ Book Club Bags due Thursday

Thursday

- ☐ Reading Log due Friday
- ☐ Math- Candy Corn worksheet
- ☐ Permission slips due Friday

Friday

- ☐ Clean out Folder