

# 2<sup>ND</sup> GRADE

## newsletter

Week of: Sept. 29th - Oct. 3rd

### Spelling Words Unit 4-B

soil      point      royal  
oyster    basket    cactus  
weak      king       baker  
wish

#### Bonus Words:

cowboy      silver

### What We Are Learning

**ELA:** Phonograms, plural words that *hiss* and article adjectives

**Math:** Subtracting numbers 0-14

**Religion:** God Made Us

**History:** Early Roman Life

**Literature:** *Little House in the Big Woods* - First, then last.

**Latin:** Beginning vocabulary words.

**Science:** Ms. Bishoff

### Friendly Reminders

- Make sure that student folders and any homework comes to school each day.
- Bring a small snack each day.
- Fill water bottles before coming to school.
- Wear tennis shoes to school.

### Important Dates

09/29 & 10/02 Simple Solutions HW  
10/03: Spelling Test Unit 4-B  
09/29: Mass (wear white uniform shirts) and Adoration  
09/29: Fun Run Kickoff at School  
10/03: Pet Blessing at 7:45 am  
10/08: Fun Run Day  
10/14: Field Trip to Avalon Farm



# Weekly Focus

## Spelling:

- **Study spelling words for Friday's test.**
- Unit 4 Rules:
  - Phonograms: *oi, oy* and *es*
  - Sounds: *Schwa* - The Lazy Vowel
  - Spelling Rules:
    - English words do not end in *I, U, V* or *J*
    - To make a noun plural, add the ending *-s* unless the word hisses or changes: then add *-es*. Some nouns have no change or an irregular spelling.

## Math:

- **Simple Solutions Homework:**
  - Lesson #10 pgs. 20-21 Monday, September 29th
  - Lesson #11 pgs. 22-23 Thursday, October 2nd

## Latin: This week's vocabulary:

- *amo*      I love, like
- *lavo*     I wash
- *do*        I give
- *nato*     I swim
- *oro*        I pray, speak

