

Second Grade Newsletter

February 27th - March 3rd

Reading

Unit 8 Week 1 *Wind and Water Shape the Land*
Mentor Text: "Water Shapes Earth" and "Wind Erosion"

Skills: paraphrase and summarize, use context clues, determine text importance, adjectives, use text and graphic features, connect ideas in a Science text, and understand shades of meaning



English

We will continue Unit 5 "More About Verbs". It will cover irregular verbs, come, run, give, go, do and see, helping verbs, have, had, and has, and adverbs.



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Spelling/Phonics

Phonics First Lesson 4.8-4.9

Words with ou/ow/, ow/ow/

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| 1. outline | 11. counter |
| 2. round | 12. flower |
| 3. tower | 13.-15. (words with a similar pattern) |
| 4. mouth | |
| 5. powder | |
| 6. shower | |
| 7. thousand | |
| 8. towel | |
| 9. loud | |
| 10. however | |

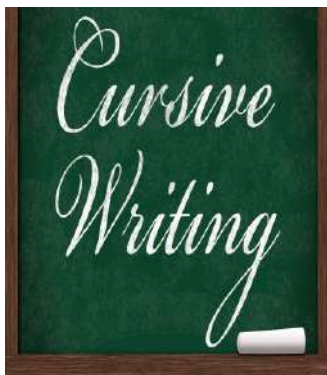


Math We will continue Unit 7 *Money and Time*. We will cover dimes, nickels, pennies and quarters, counting collections, showing amounts in two different ways, dollars, amounts greater than one dollar, problem solving, time to the hour and half hour, telling time to five minutes, and a.m. and p.m. Please continue to study the addition flash cards!



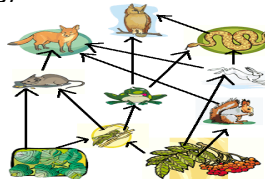
Handwriting

We will continue to practice lower case cursive letters. We will be covering formation, size, slant and spacing.



Science

We will continue Unit B Ch. 4 and 5 *Environments and Energy*. It will cover what makes up a habitat, different kinds of environments like stream and woodland habitats, how environments change, and how plants, animals, and people get energy.



Homework: Komodo Dragon



MARCH

Things to Remember

- Dr. Seuss Dress-Up Day is March 2nd.
- Spring pictures are March 7th.
- Spring Break is March 20th - March 24th.
- March 29th is an early release day.