Welcome to Parent Orientation 2nd Grade



Meet the 2nd grade team



2nd grade Schedule

7:45-8:00 Morning Routines

8:00-9:30 LA/SS

9:30-9:40 RR Break

9:40-10:00 LA/SS

10:00-10:30 Math

10:30-10:45 Brain Break

10:45-11:30 Math cont.

11:30-12:00 Lunch

12:00-12:30 Recess

12:30-12:40 RR Break

12:40-1:10 Science

1:10-1:55 Guided Reading

1:55 Clean-up/Pack-up

2:00-2:50 Specials

2:55 Dismissal

Supplies

Wrap packs are \$85 and can be purchased through PTA.

SECOND GRADE

- 1 BOX OF RECLOSABLE GALLON ZIP BAGS 20CT
- 1 BOX RECLOSABLE SANDWICH ZIP BAGS 50CT
- 24 NO2 DIXON TICONDEROGA PRESHARPENED PENCIL
- 1 12X18 ASST CONST PAPER 50CT
- 2 PAPER TOWELS 85CT
- 2 DISINFECTING WIPES 35CT NOT FOR SKIN
- 4 ELMER'S WASHABLE 22 GRAM GLUE STICK .770Z
- 2 CRAYOLA CRAYONS 24CT
- 1 CRAYOLA 7" COLORED PRESHARPENED PENCILS 12CT
- 1 CRAYOLA CLASSIC THICK MARKERS 10CT
- 1 CRAYOLA ULTRA CLEAN WASH THIN MARKERS 12CT
- 1 BLUNT 5" SCISSORS
- 3 PRIMARY RULED MARBLE COMP BOOK 100CT
- 1 PINK BEVEL ERASER (LATEX FREE)
- 1 BLUE PLASTIC POCKET FOLDER W/ 3 HOLES
- 1 PURPLE PLASTIC POCKET FOLDER
- 1 RED PLASTIC POCKET FOLDER
- 1 12X18 BRIGHT WHITE SULPHITE CONST PAPER 50CT
- 2 SCOTTIES TISSUE 110CT
- 2 EXPO BLACK DRY ERASE CHISEL TIP MARKER 1EA
- 1 1SUB WIDE RULED SPIRAL ASST NOTEBOOK 70CT (STEM)
- 1 PAPER TOWELS 85CT (STEM)
- 1 ART1ST 9X12 TOP SPIRAL SKETCH BOOK 30CT (ART)
- 1 SCOTTIES TISSUE 110CT (PE)
- 1 WIDE RULE BLUE MARBLE COMPOSITION BOOK 100CT (MUSIC)

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- 1 BOX RECLOSABLE SANDWICH ZIP BAGS 50CT
- 1 12X18 BRIGHT WHITE CONSTRUCTION PAPER 50CT
- 24 NO2 DIXON TICONDEROGA PRESHARPENED PENCIL
- 1 PAPER TOWELS 85CT
- 2 DISINFECTING WIPES 35CT NOT FOR SKIN
- 4 ELMER'S WASHABLE 22 GRAM GLUE STICK .770Z
- 1 CRAYOLA CRAYONS 24CT
- 1 CRAYOLA 7" COLORED PRESHARPENED PENCILS 12CT
- 1 CRAYOLA CLASSIC THICK MARKERS 10CT
- 1 CRAYOLA ULTRA CLEAN WASH THIN MARKERS 12CT
- BLUNT 5" SCISSORS
- 5 PRIMARY RULED MARBLE COMP BOOK 100CT
- 1 PINK BEVEL ERASER (LATEX FREE)
- 1 BLUE PLASTIC POCKET FOLDER W/ 3 HOLES
- 1 RED PLASTIC POCKET FOLDER
- 1 SCOTTIES TISSUE 110CT
- 4 EXPO BLACK DRY ERASE CHISEL TIP MARKER 1EA
- 1 1SUB WIDE RULED SPIRAL ASST NOTEBOOK 70CT (STEM)
- 3 PAPER TOWELS 85CT (2 PE, 1 STEM)
- 1 DISINFECTING WIPES 35CT NOT FOR SKIN (STEM)
- 1 ELMER'S SCHOOL GLUE 40Z (ART)
- 1 ART1ST 9X12 TOP SPIRAL SKETCH BOOK 30CT (ART)
- 1 SHARPIE BLACK FINE TIP MARKER 1EA (ART)
- 1 WIDE RULE BLUE MARBLE COMPOSITION BOOK 100CT (MUSIC)

Communication

I use a variety of ways to communicate with my parents. You can always hear the latest and greatest by...

- •E-mail
- Skylert communication
- Newsletters (Will be emailed out on Fridays)
- •Facebook Group:
- •Website:
- Phone calls when necessary
- Amazon Wish list

Important Things to Know

- <u>Background Checks</u> **EVERYONE** must complete a background check this year if you plan on assisting as a lunch helper etc. This can be done by going to <u>www.lisd.net</u> > Resources > Parents > Volunteer Background Check. It takes a few weeks!!
- Your background check is valid for 3 years if you have already completed one.
- Birthday treats ARE allowed this school year. They should be store bought and individually wrapped. Please no cookie cakes.
- LISD will be giving free breakfast and lunches to ALL students this school year.
- Students may bring a water bottle and a healthy snack daily.

Behavior Plan/ Planner

- We will be using Class Dojo. Students can work towards class incentives.
- Each student will have a student planner. At the front of the planner the following behavior codes will be listed. Please check your student planner daily as we will also write homework and/or other important messages.
 - 1= Respect self and others
 - 2= Listen and follow directions
 - 3= Show appropriate behavior
 - 4= Control talking

Grades

- This is your child's first year to receive percentage grades.
- •A= 90%-100% B=80%-89%
- C=70%-79%
- •The first several weeks of 2nd grade is mainly a review of material learned.
- Due to this, grades may be higher during this time than they are throughout the remainder of the year.
- L.I.S.D. is using Skyward as our online grading tool. You have access to your child's information and grades.

Reading/Spelling

Reading – We will be using DRA and iStation this year to track your child's reading progress.

Your child will have access to leveled books. More information will be shared when we know more details of how this will look.

Sight Words – Each week, the 2nd Grade will introduce 6-8 sight words. These words need to be read within 3 seconds. If your child can read the set of words for that week, their focus will then be on spelling them to better their writing skills.

Spelling— We will administer a Spelling Inventory to place your child in his/her appropriate spelling group. In addition, during their spelling test we will administer a dictation test of 3 sentences that include capitalization, punctuation, proper nouns and spelling of sight words and spelling words.

Parent Homework

Dear Parents and Guardians:

No one knows your child better than you do. As a parent, your perception of my student is a valuable resource. The more I know and understand about your child, the more effective I can be as a teacher.

I would appreciate your participation in a "parent homework assignment" that will be of great value to me. Sometime in the next two weeks, please write me a letter introducing your child.

You might want to include a brief biography, problems, special abilities, fears, strengths, weaknesses, and past school experiences. You might also want to tell me about your expectations for this school year: from me, your child, and the school. Include any information that you want me to keep in mind while I work with your child.

I am looking forward to reading your letters and learning more about your child. Thank you for taking part in this important assignment. All letters will be kept confidential.

Respectfully, 2nd Grade Teachers

P.S. This "assignment" may also be emailed to me!

Due Date: Thursday, August 25th

Information from LISD

Please read the Health and Safety Back to school info from LISD <u>HERE</u>.

https://lisd.yuja.com/V/Video?v=3460461&a=974257540

Enrichment

Please watch this video from our Enrichment team.

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