



# SECOND GRADE

~~MIDDLETOWN PRIMARY~~

SCHOOL

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Here is what we are doing in second grade..☺

## Language Arts:

We are working on test taking strategies. We are working on reading and comprehending narrative and expository texts.

## Word Study:

We will be using next week's word study time to do test practice. We will not be learning a new word study skill. Instead, we will review previous taught skills in a test taking situation.

## Math:

Classes will be reviewing measurement, graphing, place value, addition, subtraction, multiplication, and probability.

## Cursive:

We will learn the upper case cursive letters after spring break.

## Social Studies:

Classes are working on communities and economics. Students should be prepared to share their tradition/culture on Tuesday, March 30<sup>th</sup>. Information came home last week.

Classes will also be having a Unit Three assessment on Wednesday, March 31<sup>st</sup>. Study guides are coming home today. We will also be reviewing in class.

## Grammar:

We will be doing test practice activities during our grammar time block for the next week. We will continue to work on reading all the choices to a multiple-choice test. We are working on ruling out the answer that does not make sense. We are also working on completely filling in the circle of the correct answer and looking back to make sure we answered every question.

## Important dates:

Wednesday, March 31<sup>st</sup>-Second Grade Spring Concert at 7:00pm. Students should arrive at 6:45pm dressed in orange and black. Please wear black and orange to school for the dress rehearsal.

Friday, April 2<sup>nd</sup> and Monday, April 5<sup>th</sup>-Schools are closed for Spring Break

Wednesday, March 7<sup>th</sup> and Thursday, March 8<sup>th</sup>- Second Graders take SAT-10

Friday, April 9<sup>th</sup> - Class Pictures are taken- Information is in the Thursday envelope

## Field Trip Thank You:

Thank you to all of the family members who accompanied us on the field trip to the Earth Space Science Lab. We had a great time and learned a lot. If you were not able to go with us, it would be well worth your time to go in the evening☺!

There is a scheduled open house on Wednesday, April 7, 2010 from 4 to 8 p.m. There are also other evening shows. You can find more details or purchase tickets on the website <http://essl.sites.fcps.org> or call 240-236-2694.



## Thank you:

- Thank you to the children for working so hard everyday.
- Thank you for sharing your children with us.

Middletown is a great place to come and learn!

(And a great place to work☺)

## Next Week's Highlights

**Monday-Thursday,  
March 29-April 1**

Students will work on:

**Reading-** Reading and comprehending narrative and expository texts

**Math-** Review

**Social Studies-** Finishing Unit 3

**Word study-** Review skills with test taking

**Grammar-** Review with test taking

## Second Grade Program:

The second grade spring concert is rescheduled for Wednesday, March 31<sup>st</sup> at 7:00 pm at the MPS cafeteria. Students should be here around 6:45 pm. They are to wear orange and black to school and to the evening show.



Thank you for your flexibility in rescheduling the program and for your extra support this week.