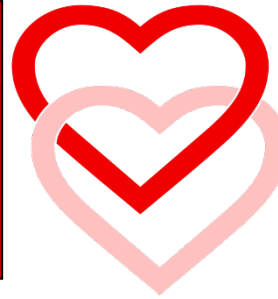




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2nd GRADE NEWSLETTER



Dear Parents/Guardians,

We have made it to February! With only 4 months left, we have to make sure we're on our A-game. The students have just been re-tested to determine their reading levels. Please continue to practice reading on a daily basis along with the comprehension questions that are sent home in the homework folders. Going over these questions will greatly benefit your child.

Please remember to visit PupilPath to keep track of your child's grades. If you do not have the login information, please request that information from your child's teacher.

Thank you for your cooperation and contribution to a wonderful school year!

-From the 2nd Grade Teacher Team
Mrs. Elserafy (201)
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Ms. Miller (203)

What are we learning?

Math- *Focus: Adding and Subtracting 2-digit & 3-digit numbers* - Our mathematicians will be focusing on understanding how to use place value to add and subtract up to 3-digit numbers.

Science- *Focus: Force and Motion* - The 2nd grade scientists will be focusing on exerting force and how an object will move in a specific direction

Social Studies- *Focus: Rural, Urban, and Suburban Communities* - Our researchers will continue to examine the similarities and differences of different communities. They will be focusing on making connections.

ELA- Our readers are going to be summing up the "Making Decision" Unit and starting the "Big Idea: Development" Unit. We will be focusing on identifying the main idea, text features, and identifying the structure of a story. We will also focus on how to write explanatory/informative pieces.



Important Dates:

2/7/17: Coffee with the Principal @ 9am

2/9/17: MALE Mentor Alliance @ 9am

2/10/17: PTA Family Game Night

2/14/17: Parent Learning Walk @ 9am

2/20-2/24: Mid-Winter Recess

2/28/17: SLT (4:30pm), PTA Meeting (6pm)