



Welcome to Second Grade

2023-2024

Introduction:

Welcome to the wonderful world of second grade! Second graders will grow in independence, develop responsibility and organizational skills, learn more about their place in the world and practice working with others. Second grade is a time of moving from learning to read to reading to learn. This opens up a world of engaging stories and fascinating informational topics. Second grader's writing and vocabulary will grow and they will learn practical math skills. Second grade is an amazing year full of development while still containing the magic of childhood. The second grade teachers are excited to guide your child and grow with them.

Supply List

- Personal pencil box or bag
- 1 pair student scissors
- 1 box washable markers
- backpack

Donations

- Permanent markers
- Zip lock bags of any size
- Pencil top erasers
- Pencils for community use

*please label your child's personal items to the best of your ability

Field Trips

(subject to change):

Roger Williams Zoo

Connecticut Science Center

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CURRICULUM

SCIENCE:

- Structure and Properties of Matter
- Relationships and Ecosystems
- Processes that Shape the Earth
- Engineering Design

SOCIAL STUDIES:

- Community
- Local products and economy
- Holidays

CURRICULUM

English Language Arts

- Building a Community of Readers
- Elements of Fiction
- Understanding Stories
- Elements of Nonfiction
- Reading for Information
- Understanding Characters In and Across Text
- Meaningful Messages
- Understanding Text Through Connections

CURRICULUM

Math

- Represent and solve problems involving addition and subtraction
- Add and subtract within 20
- Understand place value
- Measure and estimate lengths in standard units
- Work with time and money
- Represent and interpret data
- Reason with shapes and their attributes
- Fact fluency