

Stuart Star

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Week of October 1-5

A Peek at Our Week

Reading: We will continue to work on our first reading unit. We will focus on how to be prepared to read with partners, and continue to learn about strategies to figure out tricky words.

Math: We will be continue to work on addition strategies using doubles and doubles +1, -1 and +2, -2. as well as how to determine if a number is even or odd. Please continue to Second graders are expected to know the facts through 20 "by heart" by the end of the year.

Writing: We will continue to work on personal narratives. We'll focus on narrowing down our topics, stretching out our small moments and writing great grabbers (beginnings).

Social Studies: We will continue learning about Urban, Suburban and Rural communities.

7- Habits- This week students will be given an overview of what the 7 Habits of Happy Kids are.

Reminders

Specials this Week- Monday-Art Tuesday-Media Wednesday-P.E. Thursday- Music Friday- Art

Star of the Week- This week will be Jayden

i-Pads-Our class will use iPads weekly. It would be helpful if your child had a set of headphones or earbuds to keep here at school to use with the iPads.

Upcoming Events

October 2- PTO meeting 4:15 PM

October 5- Fun Run- We run from 2-2:30

October 19- $2^{\rm nd}$ grade walking fieldtrip to Police Station and

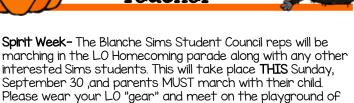
Fire Station (More details coming soon)

October 26 Trunk or Treat 6:30 p.m.

October 31 Costume Parade & Halloween Celebration, Half-Day for Student



Notes from the Teacher



as follows: Monday 10/1: PJ & Stuffed Animal Day Tuesday 10/2: College Day/ Star Wars Shirts Wednesday 10/3: Color War/Class Color (2ndgrade is white) Thursday 10/4 Crazy hair day

Sims at 2:30. Feel free to bring candy to toss. Spirit days are

Friday 10/5: Dragon's Unite-wear green & white

Homework: Our first homework folder will go home on Monday. Homework folders will go home at the beginning of the month and are expected back on the last day of the month. A explanation page is on the homework packet. When a child completes their homework, attached to the completed homework will be a FREE personal pizza coupon to Hungry Howies. In addition to the homework folder, each week your child will bring home a fluency passage on Monday and it is due back by Friday that same week. You are asked to time your child for one minute an evening and keep track of their correct words per minute. At this point in second grade we are expecting students to be able to read 55 WPM on a second grade reading passage. Fluency passages will be at your child's independent TC level.. Any questions feel free to contact me.

Raz-Kids- Login information went home last week. If you download the Raz-Kids app, my class username is jstuartl7. ENJOY and please let me know if you have any questions.

Conferences- Please see body of e-mail for conference information.