

2nd Grade-1st Quarter Goals

During the first six weeks the 2nd grade will focus on creating classrooms that are safe and caring so that every student has the opportunity to learn and grow.



Science: Matter and Magnets

- The student will investigate and understand basic properties of solids, liquids, and gases. Key concepts include
 - a) mass and volume; and
 - b) processes involved with changes in matter from one state to another (condensation, evaporation, melting, and freezing).

Social Studies:

- Understand what it means to be a good citizen.
- Describe the different regions and cultures of the world.
- Compare and contrast modern cultures to ancient cultures.
- Understand the use of timelines.
- Learn how to conduct research.

Math:

- Identify the part of a set and/or region that represents a fraction
- Identify the ordinal positions first through twentieth
- Compare whole numbers between 0 and 999 using symbols and words
- Read, write, and identify place value of each digit in a three-digit numeral
- Count forward and backward in groups of twos, fives, and tens to 100.
- Recognize even and odd numbers
- Identify, create, and extend a wide variety of patterns

Language Arts:

- Short vowel sounds
- Retell parts of a story
- Sentence structure
- Organize writing to describe an event
- Parts of non-fiction text (table of contents, maps, index, headings, picture, bold face, captions, graphs)
- Make connections while reading (text-to-self)

Technology:

- Students will learn how to utilize the Smart Board and utilize the computer as a learning tool.

