



Our 2nd Grade Classroom News

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Our Week At A Glance

Oh, my! The children are super close to unveiling their first Mystery Class Reward. It looks like we will be having a Pajama Day in the very near future, just 2 sticky notes left on the chart.



Highlights from the Week:

- **Math:** The children created beetle glyphs to represent personal information. Afterwards, they sorted the beetle glyphs in a variety of ways. Later in the week, the children worked on making a bar graph to represent data collected.
- **Reading:** The children continued to work on building their independent reading stamina. They also learned three different ways to read a book. Ask your child to share the three ways (read the pictures, read the words, and retell the story).
- **Class Read Aloud:** We are reading the chapter book The Chocolate Touch by Patrick Skene Catling. Ask your child about the main character? What has happened so far in the story? What does your child think will happen next?
- **Writing:** This week, the children finished writing their first piece about something they did this summer. Then we turned our focus onto our sentences. The children learned how they could take a 1st base sentence (simple sentence) and make it better until it was a home run sentence. Make sure your child shares their awesome sentences with you.
- **Social Studies:** The children are in the process of developing our classroom pledge/promise and norms. Our driving question continues to be: How do we hope to shape our classroom community?

More News

- **No School on Monday!** Enjoy the long weekend!
- **Specials for next week:**
 - Tuesday - Art
 - Wednesday - Music
 - Thursday - Library (**Return Books**)
 - Friday - STEM
- **First PTO Meeting** of the school year, Sept. 7th at 7 pm
- **Back to School Night**, Sept. 20th, 6-7 pm - More information to follow
- **Ferguson Fun Run**, Sept. 30, during school hours

