



Our 2nd Grade Classroom News

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Our Week in a Glance



Writing Workshop: The children spent most of the week publishing their realistic fiction stories. Many of them chose to type their story using Google Docs. Once they finished drafting, revising, and editing, they started typing away. We hope to finish them next week. Then the children will write one final story before we move on to a little poetry writing.

Reading: This week in reading, we turned our attention to theme. Theme is the message or lesson that the author wants one to take away from the story. Some common themes include friendship, honesty, love, never give up, acceptance, kindness, respect, family or bravery.

Math: In math, the children worked on different activities that involved counting combinations of coins to \$1.00 or more. They also solved problems in which they had to figure out how much more they needed to make a \$1.00. We should be wrapping up this unit next week.

Unit Activity: This week, the children had fun exploring oobleck to help make a claim about solids and liquids. They were encouraged to describe its properties: shape, size, color, texture, and state. Ask your child what they observed and noticed about oobleck.

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- **Special Schedule for next week:**
Monday - No School
Tuesday - Library
Wednesday - STEM
Thursday - P.E.
Friday - Art
- There is **no school on Monday, Feb. 27th**. It is an inservice day.
- Next week is **Read Across America Week 2023 - Growth Mindset!** In honor of this special week, Ferguson has planned some fun theme days:
Tuesday - PJ Day
Wednesday - Crazy Hair Day
Thursday - Dress Like Your Favorite Book Character Day
Friday - Ferguson or SCASD Gear Day



• **Birthday wishes go out to Delaney, Kane and Adalee.** They will be celebrating their birthdays in March.

- We are still taking donations for the SCAHS Mini-Thon. Thank you!