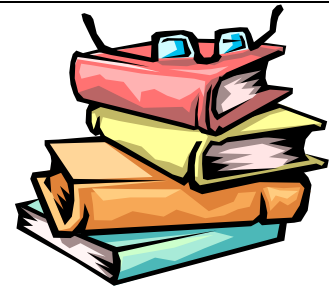


# Second Grade NEWS

## For the Week of

### Jan. 12 - 16



### What's Happening!

January Boxtop/Campbell's labels Promotion is for every 40 boxtops/labels we earn a snowflake. The class with the most snowflakes wins a prize!

Welcome back! We hope everyone had an enjoyable holiday with the extra days built in! During the upcoming weeks we will be studying a variety of topics including time, money, math facts, Martin Luther King, multi-cultural history, non-fiction and fiction literature and writing about US presidents! We look forward to all of the learning which will be taking place!

### A Note From the Second Grade Teachers

PLEASE complete and return the snowman family project as soon as possible. They will help to brighten up our hallways during the winter season!

REMEMBER to do the BookEd for January, get it signed, and return by Friday, January 30.

LET'S welcome Mrs. Kathy Anderson to our second grade team. She is completing her student teaching in Mrs. Talbert's room until the middle of April.

Mrs. Denton, Mrs. Eggemeyer, Mrs. Talbert, and  
Mrs. Anderson

### Spelling Words for the Week of

Jan. 12th:

#### Words with the /ow/ sound

1. town
2. flower
3. found
4. shout
5. house
6. ask
7. went
8. men
9. read
10. need

Remember:  
add 5  
mystery  
words which  
fit the skill  
and 5  
mystery high  
frequency

PLEASE have your child  
dress for the weather!  
Students will be going  
outside when able so  
they will need winter  
coats, scarves, mittens,  
and hats!

### Math Fact Work!

By the end of second grade students must have addition and subtraction facts to 20 memorized for ease of answering! PLEASE work on these at home as we work on them at school! Check out these websites for practice!

<http://www.ezschool.com/Games/FactFamily1.html>

<http://www.oswego.org/ocsd-web/games/mathmagician/cathymath.html>

<http://www.mathfactcafe.com/home/>

<http://www.free-training-tutorial.com/money-games.html>

PRACTICE counting money and telling time to the 5 minute. Please remember all students need to know all addition and subtraction facts to 20 before the end of the year from memory.

### Website to Check Out

<http://wp.iwest.k12.il.us/ges/>

Check out our second grade website!

#### Vocabulary Words to Practice for:

#### Martin Luther King, Jr.

civil war - a war between the Northern and Southern States of the United States

march - an organized walk through the streets by people who are supporting or protesting something

refused - turned down or did not go along with something

rights - freedoms or powers that people can justly claim

slavery - the property of another person

#### Upcoming Events

- ½ day with no lunch on Fri., Jan 16
- End of the 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter - Fri., Jan. 16
- No school on Mon., Jan 19 for Martin Luther King Day
- Reports to go home on Wed., Jan. 21
- 2 hour early out on Wed., January 21<sup>st</sup>. 1:00 dismissal.

#### Can You Help Us?

-Did you put money in your child's lunch and breakfast account?

-Have you paid all of your child's fees for the school year?

-Can you look over your child's homework every night?

