



WAPAKONETA ELEMENTARY SECOND GRADE



REMINDERS AND EVENTS

Reminders:

1. Please remember all lunch money (\$2.55 for student meal) for the week. You may choose to pay weekly or monthly to make things easier. Place money in a white envelope with teacher's name, student's name, room number, and amount. Please do this every time you send money in; it makes it quicker for me in the mornings.
2. Student day starts at 8:00 a.m. and ends at 2:45 p.m. Please send in a note on the days your child will be going home a different way than normal. If I receive no note, they will go home their normal way.
3. Remember, if you are bringing your child in late or taking them out of school earlier, please sign them in or out at the office. The office will then call me, and I will send your child to you.



Upcoming Events

1. We will have our field trip to Carillon Historical Park on Tuesday, May 12th.
*Please have your child wear his or her class shirt, wear appropriate clothing and shoes for walking outside, and bring a disposable lunch if he or she did not order one from the cafeteria.
2. We will have a district-wide Teacher In-service Day on Friday, May 15th. There will be NO SCHOOL for students on that day.
3. There will be a Board of Education Meeting on Tuesday, May 19th.
4. There will be NO SCHOOL on Monday, May 25th, in honor of Memorial Day.
5. There WILL be school on Tuesday, May 26th and Wednesday, May 27th.

WEEK OF MAY 11TH-14TH

Math

We will be describing equal parts, problem solving with equal shares, and reviewing for the chapter 11 test.

Science/Social Studies/Health

We will be learning about the heating and cooling of air.

Language Arts

We will be reading the story Cowboys this week. The students will be learning new vocabulary and spelling words that follow the phonics patterns for the week. The phonics patterns for the week are suffixes –ness and -less. We will also be addressing cause and effect and using commas in compound sentences.

*Please see the study guide in your child's folder for testing days.

Weekly Study Guide
Unit 6 Week 4
Please study daily!
Do not remove this sheet from your folder.

Amazing Words-*Read daily, not tested.*

climate	livestock	occupation	buckaroo
lariat	legend	rawhide	drover

Reading Vocabulary Words- *Study definitions daily.*

campfire - fire in camp used for cooking and warmth

cattle - cows and bulls

cowboy - person working on a cattle ranch or rodeo

galloped - to run on very fast

herd - group of animals kept or fed together

railroad - two rails for trains to run on

trails - path across a field or through the woods

roundup - driving or bringing cattle together

chuckwagon - wagon that carries food for cowboys

bellowed - loud deep noise like a roar

Reading Story - Cowboys pages 380-401

Reading Skills

1. Suffixes –ness, -less
2. Cause and Effect
3. Graphic Organizers

Spelling -

useless	careless	goodness	kindness
fearless	thankless	sadness	sickness
helpless	darkness	fitness	weakness

Challenge Words: 1. awareness 2. eagerness 3. wireless 4. hopeless

☺ Please study math facts and spelling words every night! ☺