Second Grade Newsletter

Week of March 13

The purpose of this newsletter is to provide you with some insight as to what is happening in our busy second grade classroom. If you have any questions or concerns please feel free contact me by phone, email, or note.

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Upcoming Week Reminders:		
Monday	March 20	
Tuesday	March 21 Memory	
Wednesday	March 22 Library, Chapel	
Thursday	March 23 No School	
Friday	March 24 No School	

**I wanted to let you know that there will be a sub next week. Your second grader will be in good hands with Mrs.Albright and Mrs.Brady. Report cards will be sent home electronically. If you would like a paper copy please let me know and I will gladly get you one when I return. For this reason, there will not be a newsletter for next week.

**In your take home folder you will find a form to fill out if your child is interested in a speaking part for the spring musical. If you have any questions please contact Ms. Hoffmann.

Literacy: This week we read the story *Luke goes to Bat.* We also learned about Jackie Robinson and the impact he had on Major League Baseball. We completed a short timeline of Jackie's life. Subject-verb agreement was practiced. We continue to practice strong answers as well as using context clues to determine the meaning of a word.

Math: This week we practiced counting dollar bills and learned how to write money using dollars and cents. We also began our time unit. The focus was on learning the hands of a clock, as well as telling time to the hour and half hour. Next week telling time to the nearest minute as well as quarter past and quarter to will be practiced. Just like money, this is a life skill and extra practice is beneficial. **Science:** We completed oceans and the desert. Then reviewed for our test! The test will be coming home; however, it does not say "test." After this week we will be switching to Social Studies.

Religion: In the story about the Good Samaritan we are reminded that we are selfish and don't always love others as ourselves. This week we also read about Jesus at the home of Mary and Martha and how we are often like Martha. Unfortunately, we also get distracted and forget to put Jesus first.

Art: Due to the snow day on Friday, we didn't have a chance to draw our leprechauns, so we completed them this week.

"Making Disciples for Life"

SJL Mission Statement: Preparing and educating God's children for life-long learning to Christ. (Matt. 28:19-20)