Second Grade Newsletter

Week of May 23

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	May 23
Tuesday	May 24 Go to DeRango Chocolate Shop
Wednesday	May 25 chapel
Thursday	May 26
Friday	May 27 Last day of school Get out at 11:45

**Yesterday we brainstormed what items were needed to make a "room" for an ant. These ideas were written on a piece of paper and sent home yesterday. We have some supplies at school, but please bring any other items on Monday. Some of these items may be glued down, so remind your second grader that the item may not be returned in the same condition it started in. I don't want any special items ruined!

**We will be going to Derango's Chocolate Shop on Tuesday. Please bring in \$3.

<u>Literacy</u>

It was a week devoted to completing our pizza biographies! It was a lot of work, so our pizza party was a great reward! We also practiced categorizing and classifying. This skill really made us think about how words are related.

<u>Math</u>

This week we had fun creating bar graphs and picture graphs. Next week we will be using starbursts to create our own graph.

Social Studies

Mount Rushmore was the patriotic symbol of the week.

<u>Religion</u>

We read about Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego and their experience in the fiery furnace. These men put their faith in God and He protected them. We also learned about God's servant Nehemiah and how God used him in his role of a cupbearer to a king to help the Jewish people return to Jerusalem. We can trust that God has put us in a place to be a blessing to others!

Secure in Your Arms

The Lord is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear? The Lord is the stronghold of my life; of whom shall I be afraid?" Psalm 27:1

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