

WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 9

Mrs. Burke and Mrs. Morgan

Second Grade Rocks!



WHAT HAVE WE BEEN LEARNING

- **Reading/Writing**

We have been studying story elements (character, setting), plural nouns, short a, e, o, u, and I words, as well as finding key details in stories. We will be reading a variety of books and working in our reading centers too.

- **Math:**

We have been working on addition and subtraction within 20 by using a number line, manipulatives, pictures, and other methods. Along with basic addition and subtraction we are develop word problem solving skills too.

- **Science:**

We have been learning about why plants need water to survive, the parts of a plant, and conducting a series of investigations to test our theories.

- **Social Studies:**

We have started our cultural study unit. We are studying Mexico first as it is Hispanic Heritage Month. Please send anything from that culture that you would like to share.

We are almost through the first month of school and the students are settling into their daily routine very nicely. We love seeing how well they are working together with their peers and independently on tasks. Thank you for helping with their homework bingo sheets and consistently checking their planners and homework folders. We can't wait to see the progress that will be made in the weeks and months to come.

Save the Date

Sept. 17 –
Mid Term
Reports

October 17 --
Half day of
School

Oct. 18 –
No School

TLC 1pm-
7pm

TLC 8am –
12pm

EL ALL ACCESS

It is time to start the EL services for students. There has already been some small group work done with students.. There will also be tutoring beginning in the coming weeks so be on the lookout for more information in the coming weeks.

Sincerely,
The EL Team

**** Your EL Team Instructor:
Ms. Henderson**



Counseling Corner

Core Value of Responsibility

We have been focusing on the core value of responsibility this month. Student have been both discussing and sharing in ways that they can be responsible both at home and at school. We are really wanting to see the students start being responsible for their choices, homework, planners, uniforms, and other personal/school belongings. We really love watching the students grow in wonderful second grade learners.

**REMEMBER TO CHECK YOUR STUDENT'S
PLANNER NIGHTLY!**

Websites/Newsletters at Home

**** What ways can access the newsletter at home...**

- **Go to allenvillageschool.com**
- **Click the tab that says newsletters**
- **Find your grade level and enjoy!**

**** Visit some of the website below and see what they have to offer your student.**

- ixl.com xtramath.com
- mobymax.com
- abcya.com
- getepic.com

Please make sure to begin reading for 20 minutes every night with your student in order for them to become a more fluent reader. Ask them various questions in order to build their comprehension skills.