

# Second Grade Newsletter

## April 15<sup>th</sup> - April 19<sup>th</sup>

### Reading

No story this week due to MAP testing. We will review previously taught skills.



### English

We will continue Unit 6 *Grammar Wrap Up*. We will cover different types of pronouns, run on sentences, contractions, troublesome homophones, combining sentences, and using commas in a series.



### Spelling/Phonics

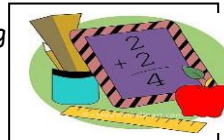
Phonics First Lesson 4.7

1-1-1 Doubling Rule

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|-------------|------------------------|
| 1. biggest  | 10. bitten             |
| 2. quitting | 11. napping            |
| 3. stepping | 12. jogger             |
| 4. dropping | 13.-15. (review words) |
| 5. swimming |                        |
| 6. shipping |                        |
| 7. hottest  |                        |
| 8. drummer  |                        |
| 9. thinnest |                        |



Math We will continue Unit 8: *Equal Groups*. It will cover odd and even numbers, decomposing and patterns with even and odd numbers, rectangular arrays, sums of equal addends, writing expressions and equations to represent arrays, and partitioning rectangles into squares. Please study addition facts with **sums of 10 or more**. Friday's quiz will be given on those sums only.



### Handwriting

We will continue to practice capital cursive letters. We will be covering formation, size, slant and spacing.



### Science

We will continue unit E *Matter and Energy* chapters 10 and 11. It will cover comparing states of matter, mixtures, changes in matter, how sounds travel through matter, and how sound changes.



### Things to Remember

- Please send signed permission slips and ticket money for Museum of Discovery.
- Early dismissal on April 24th.
- Map testing begins next week. Please make sure your child gets plenty of rest and a good breakfast.