



As we get closer to the winter months we will be discussing some of our favorite winter activities. In writing, we will practice writing 2 paragraphs with a topic sentence, three supporting details, and a closing sentence. Try using this format for nightly writing responses.

Upcoming Fun!

Our first family fun day will be on Thursday, November 21st (a flyer with more details be sent home this week).

Students will be creating Native American homes from a variety of materials. Please begin collecting small sticks, leaves, and other natural items that you think can help us create teepees, wigwams and longhouses!

Making Math Count in November!

This month in Math, second graders will be learning about Basic Facts and Relationships

- * Doubles Facts
- * Addition Facts
- * Subtraction Facts
- * Relating Addition and Subtraction

Have your child use different objects at home (such as candy, small toys, pennies, or marbles) to help them solve basic addition and subtraction problems.

Upcoming Events!

November 5- **No School**
Election Day

November 11- **No School**
Veteran's Day

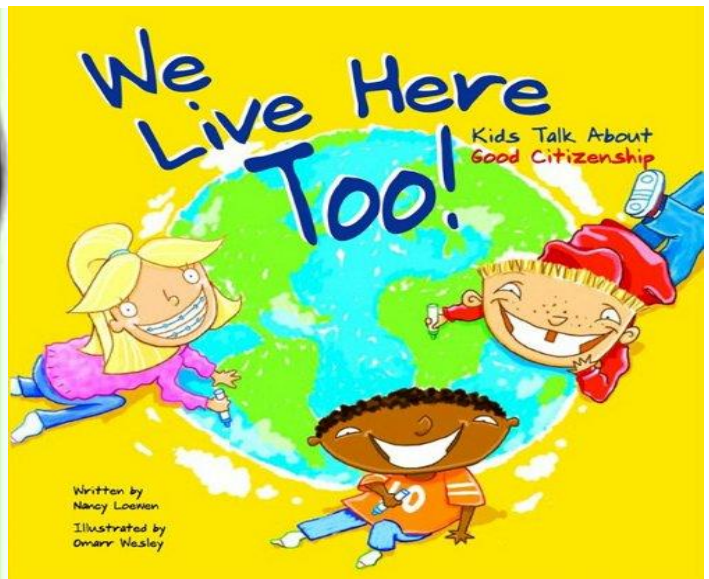
November 14- **½ Day** for students!
11:10 Dismissal for all students due to Parent Teacher Conferences

November 28th & 29th: **No School** for Thanksgiving

Good Citizenship

You can be a good citizen by:

- ❖ volunteering in your community
- ❖ being honest and trustworthy
- ❖ following the rules and laws
- ❖ respecting the rights of others
- ❖ being compassionate



Go to your local library and check out this great book that teaches kids all about showing good citizenship!

Social Studies at Work

In November, Grade 2 will be learning about Native Americans and how culture influences the way people live.

Scan here to watch a video about Native Americans.

Pay close attention to their clothing, homes and way of life. Ask your child, how is the the same as today? How is this different than the way we live?



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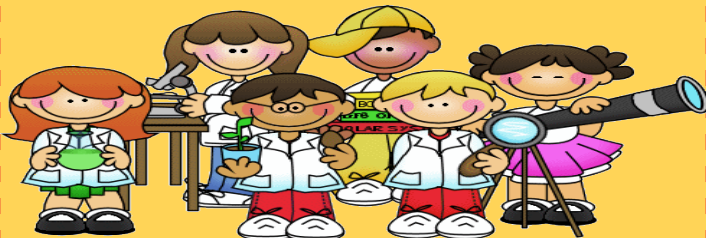
What questions should you ask your child as they are reading?

Each night your child reads to you or independently, it is important that you ask questions to ensure that your child comprehends the story.

Visit:

<https://www.scholastic.com/content/dam/teachers/blogs/meghan-everette/2017-2018/parent/ME-Parent-2ela.pdf>

for a list of questions you can ask!



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