

September 22, 2017

Mrs. Werner's Classroom News

NOTES

Can you believe that we are coming up on the last week of September already?! It is amazing how fast time flies when you are having fun! We are having a blast in 2nd grade! Happy Fall!

WHAT WE ARE LEARNING

ELA: This week we took our first spelling and Journeys tests! We also began our 2nd story, which is an informational text called My Family. In addition, we discussed the compare/contrast strategy and used Venn Diagrams to share and organize our information. Using editing marks in our writing was also a focus this week. Next week, we will continue our study of the above skills, learn more about Johnny Appleseed and start a new writing!

Science: We finished our "solid" investigation this week with an exploration of natural solids outside! We then moved on to liquids at the end of the week. We will focus on answering how liquids can be described and how they compare/contrast each other next week.

Math: We continued to work with ten frames to create and illustrate the difference between an even and odd number. We also reviewed "tens" and "ones" in place value. We will continue to work with tens and ones next week.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Reminders:

- Keep sending in those book box books!
- If you'd like to make a \$3 donation to our class basket for the Tricky Tray, please send it in as soon as possible. ☺
- Please remember to read 20 minutes every weeknight and sign the Sept. calendar.

Important Dates:

- 9/28: Spelling test (short e and short o words)**
- 9/29: My Family reading test**
- 10/4: School picture day**
- 10/13: Tricky Tray**
- 10/10: Spelling test (long a and i words)**
- 10/11: Dogs reading test**

