



2nd Grade: Mrs. Watkins and Mrs. Thomas

April 1, 2021

*Today begins our **Easter Break**. We will return together on Monday, April 12th. Have a blessed Easter celebrating our risen Lord and spending time with family.

***This week we were preparing our hearts and minds for the events of Holy Week. Our prayer is that you and your family will draw closer to our Lord and Savior during this special season of the church year, and know the tremendous love our Heavenly Father has for each of you!**

*Over break, we encourage you to really rest and renew! But, if you need a little something for your munchkin to work on, attached is a **Springtime/Easter packet** they can have fun with. :)

*We continue to be amazed and so proud of all of you!

*As always...**Fire Up Lions...God's Got This!**

Religion

We will finish up our religion book by celebrating the resurrection of Jesus once again. We will also read about the Easter catch of fish and Jesus appearing to the disciples after Easter. We are going to be working on a few more compassion projects throughout the next two months. Does anyone know of nursing homes or organizations that could use some 2nd grade cards to cheer everyone up?

Reading/Language

Let's 'hop' right back in when we return! We will read about the life cycle of frogs in our reading books next week. It will be fun to dig a little deeper through our stories and some extension activities! We will discuss story structure and the author's purpose as we read. In Language we will focus on contractions and multi-meaning words.

Science

We will do some combination science work this week! A little bit of rock study, and a little bit of frog life cycle study! Stay tuned for the daily assignments and activities. :)

Spelling

root, crew, spoon, few, bloom, grew, room, you, stew, boost, scoop, flew

Memory Work

The grass withers and flowers fall, but the word of God stands forever.

Isaiah 40:8

Math

Make sure you review those x5 facts with your child over break. We have been encouraging them to ask adults to quiz them in the car or simply take 10 minutes a day over break to practice. Next up, x2 facts. Students know their doubles addition well, so these are usually great ones to commit to memory from the start. We will also work on writing number sentences with multiplication facts and practice identifying perpendicular lines.

Spanish

We are continuing to label plant parts and call out their colors as we see them blooming around us. What foods can we get from plants?

Social Studies

We are heading back in time again when we get back from break. We are going to be reading about the Revolutionary War and talking about different jobs during colonial times. Do you have your outfit picked out for your child yet?

Teacher Tip!

Time to type! We have been having some fun with a pretend keyboard in class using the typing.com site. Each student was given a class login, and we hope you take time to practice using the lessons and games on this site. With a few minutes here and there, this will help them master the correct finger placement to become quick and proficient keyboardists! If you need us to resend your login information, just let us know!