



Second Grade News!



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WANTED! Classroom Supplies!

Alhumdulillah, some parents have generously donated some much needed class supplies. Please help us in acquiring these much-needed items!

- "Chubby" pencils
- Large construction paper
- Manila drawing paper
- Quran notebook (if not already brought to school)

Upcoming Events

- ◆ Oct 6:
Return to School
- ◆ Oct 10:
Curriculum Night
- ◆ Oct 31:
Half Day

Eid Mubarak!

Asalaamu Alaikum Dearest Parents and Students,

I want to start by sending you all a heart-felt Eid Mubarak. May Allah swt accept all your fasting, prayers, and du'aa.

Insh'Allah you and your family enjoyed your Eid vacation, and

are looking forward to the return to school!

Please remember to wear your Eid clothes and bring a dish to share at lunch with your classmates!

See you on Monday insh'Allah!



Science Supplies Needed!

We are getting ready to begin our first science unit. In order to perform the experiments suggested by the textbook (and others), we will need some additional supplies in our classroom. I am attaching a list detailing the items we will need for each unit. The items listed

for the first unit are needed more immediately than the other items for later in the year. If you need more details or you are able to donate any of the items, please contact me. Thank you in advance for all your support!

Salah Reminder

Please review the proper behavior during prayers in the masjid with your child. Although there have not been any issues with second graders, al-humdulillah, it is important for us to keep going over these rules and rewarding our children for doing a good job. Keep up the good work second graders!!



If you need any additional practice for any subject, please let me know. It may take a few days to prepare and deliver to you, but I will try to get it to you in a timely manner. Additionally, if you could alert me to any extended absences your child may have from school, I will prepare some activities for him/her to do so that it is not so overwhelming upon the return to school. (Of course, extenuating circumstances happen, and we can deal with these when they occur!)



Language Arts

In reading we have begun our reading groups. We have been working in small groups to reinforce our reading skills and build new ones. We will be reading each book several times over the week and using it to help us practice many different skills.

In writing we are working on writing personal narratives. We are writing about ourselves and what interests us. We are practicing writing things in sequence and making sure it is

understandable to our reader. Remind your child to revise and edit any writing he or she is doing at home.

Our spelling will focus on long vowel patterns. Remind your child of the differences between long vowel and short vowel sounds. Please remember to do the Spelling Jeopardy worksheet every week, as it will help your child prepare for the weekly spelling test, and learn the spelling rules!

Mathematics



In math we will continue to focus on addition and subtraction. We will begin adding and subtracting with “renaming” in the upcoming days. We will also continue to work on our mental math strategies and problem solving. Please reinforce these

steps at home with your child. If you need additional information about any math we are doing in school please email me and I will send it home with your child. I know that the way we are doing math in school is not always the same as we learned it in school!



Science & Social Studies

We have completed our first unit in Social Studies. Mash’Allah, all the students did very well and learned a lot about different communities.

We are beginning our first science unit on plants and animals on Monday. Please help your child prepare for these topics by talking

about plants and animals you encounter during the day. You can take a nature walk with your family, walk around the year, or even go on a short trip to see the leaves change colors! Everyday exposure to these things is important to reinforce the concepts we are learning!

