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Great Websites



<http://www.teachingtime.co.uk/draggames/sthec2.html>



<http://www.cookie.com/kids/games/simple-sentences.html>

IMPORTANT DATES:

5: BOOK ORDERS DUE

8: SYMMETRY AND 3D SOLIDS TEST

12-16: MARCH BREAK

30: GOOD FRIDAY
NO SCHOOL

APRIL 1-EASTER MONDAY
NO SCHOOL

APRIL 9:
SANDERSON CENTRE

March Newsletter

Grade 2 - March 2018- Ms. L. Butler



Grade 2

Welcome March! We hope everyone has a great March break and is able to enjoy some quality time together.

LANGUAGE: Students have been busy working on procedural writing. We will continue to focus on editing our own work for spelling, capitals and punctuation. Spelling words should continue to be spelled correctly in your child's writing attempts. We will move into fictional story writing and publishing this month

MATH: We have finished symmetry and are working on 3D solids. We will have a test on Symmetry and 3D solids on March 8th. After March break we will begin our unit on time. Students should focus on telling time to the hour, half hour, quarter -to and quarter-past the hour. We will be making clocks to send home for students to be able to practice at home. Students also need to understand elapsed time (i.e., We went for a walk at 4 o'clock. We walked for 30 minutes. What time was it when we were done?)

Practice for Home

Math:

- Basic Math facts (addition and subtraction) which will help with 2 digit adding and subtracting, as well as, multiplication and division. Please remember that 2 **Math Grids** should be completed each week and returned to school on Fridays.
- Telling time (see grade expectations above). See the link in the left column to a great on-line game.

Writing:

- Writing sentences (focusing on sentence structure, capitals, and punctuation). See the link in the left column to a great on-line game.
- Encourage your child to write a letter to a friend or relative.
- Have them help you create shopping lists and lists of activities to do during March break.
- Practice adding adjectives to describe objects around the house. Ask your child if there is a different adjective they could use to help them explore word choice (i.e., can we use giant instead of big).
- Help your child prepare for Friday Spelling Tests.

Reading:

- Please have your child read daily (the goal for the end of grade 2 is to be reading at level M). Discuss the text (favourite part, new words, words choice). Ask them questions about the text (setting, characters, problem, solution, beginning, middle and end of stories).
- Please remember reading books are to be returned by Friday for exchange during Learning Buddies.
- Raz-Kids.com is available right through the summer (we WILL get there :)

Remember to take advantage of the learning opportunities provided through the following web sites: (Your child has usernames and passwords in their agenda)

www.raz-kids.com
www.ixl.com/signin/banburyheights