

Good Afternoon Families,

WANTED:

- Headphones for your child
- tissues
- clorox wipes

Still in need: Field trip donation: You can make the \$40 dollar donation (if you have not done so already) at the VENMO link to the right. This money covers all field trip fees & a 2nd grade field trip t-shirt. ----->



If you are unable to make a donation, your child will still participate in all activities.

Volunteer and Chaperone Clearance: If you would like to chaperone on any field trips or volunteer in the classroom, please submit your volunteer paperwork ASAP. If you would like to chaperone, you will also need to be fingerprinted (unless you did this last year.) Fingerprinting clearance can take a significant amount of time so it is highly recommended to start the process now. Please see the office for the paperwork. Additional training is required for volunteers. You must complete an online training concerning reporting child abuse. See link below:

Beginning July 1, 2026, all Category C and Category D volunteers—including returning and new volunteers—are required to complete the District’s “Mandated Reporter: Child Abuse and Neglect” training before or when beginning volunteer service.

What You Need to Do

- Complete the **Mandated Reporter: Child Abuse and Neglect** training through Vector Solutions by clicking on this link: [training](#)

- The training takes approximately **30 minutes** to complete.
- After completing the training, **save your certificate of completion.**
- Provide a digital or printed copy of your certificate to the school as part of your volunteer application.
- The training certificate must be **updated annually.**

Scheduling - Link to [schedule](#)

Please wear sneakers and comfortable clothes on PE days. This is a Week A

Caparell- PE: Tuesday 8:50-9:35, Bonus: every other week, (Week B)

Thursday 10:05-10:50

Art with Mrs. Ekedal: Friday 10:00-10:50

VAPA: Tuesdays 12:20-1:10 (Week A)

Jimenez - PE: Wednesdays 1:30-2:25, Bonus PE (Week B)Thursdays 11:30-12:15

Art with Ekedal: Tuesdays 10:50-11:30

Vapa- Tuesday 12:20-1:10 (Week B)

Ruedi- PE: Tuesdays 8:00-8:45 and Bonus PE Thursdays 11:30-12:15 (Week A)

Art Ekedal: Fridays 8:45-9:35

Vapa- Mondays 9:55-10:45 Week B

Boldrick - VAPA 8:00 Monday

Art Ekedahl: Monday 10:50

PE: Tuesday 9:50, Bonus: every other week, (Week A)

Thursday 10:05-10:50

Curriculum

Here is what the students will be working on this coming week...

Reading: Read Alouds' and shared readings with the focus on story elements (Character, setting, problem, solution, big idea).

Writing: Parts of Speech/ verbs

Word Study: VCe (silent e), and Digraphs (ck, sh, th, ch, ph, wh)

Math: Measurement concepts within the metric system. Students will estimate, then measure, and finally compare measurements. We will utilize a tape measurer as a tool for counting, adding, subtracting, and measurement.

The kids will rotate through different "color groups." This is what they will be working on in each classroom.

Social Studies: Time-lines of important events

Social Emotional: Growth Mindset

Science: Earth Science - How does sand get to a beach?

Second Grade Website

You can find all of the second grade information on our [Second Grade Website](#).

Friday Homework Folders

Your child brought their homework folder home with a week-long packet that they may choose to do daily or in chunks. We pass it out on Fridays so you have a weekend to complete it in case your week is extremely busy. It is due on Friday (Hence the name Friday folder 😊)

School Cafeteria/Snack

All food in the cafeteria is free to all students. Here is the [Breakfast Menu](#) and [Lunch menu](#). If your child would like a school-provided snack, it must be picked up in the cafeteria between 7:45- 7:55am.

Oktoberfest: From the organizers:...Friday, September 18

Quick Oktoberfest reminder to grab your wristbands if you haven't already! This is a FUN event that directly benefits Grant and you don't want to miss.

We're also starting to run low on VIP tables, so if you've been thinking about getting one, I'd snag it ASAP. Hope to see you all there!

We also have plenty of volunteer spots open and would greatly appreciate the help!

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0F4AAEA62DA0FECE9-65166470-mission>

<https://www.missionhillsoktoberfest.com/>

You can avoid website fees by paying by check, Venmo or Zelle. Please reach out if you have questions 🍺

Upcoming Calendar Dates

Monday, September 7 - Labor Day holiday - NO SCHOOL

Tuesday, September 8 - PTA meeting -

Friday September 18- Oktoberfest in the park

Wednesday, September 23- School Picture Day

Thursday, September 24- Student Recognition Assembly

Looking forward to another great, hopefully cooler week ahead!