

The second grade teachers strongly value balance in your child's life. The

more they can get out and participate in activities, play dates or social activities, the stronger their social skills will be at school. When homework is sent home, we try to make it purposeful and not just busy work. We don't have set nightly homework that we send home but below are some ideas of things you can practice.

Reading:

Review the high frequency words (HFW) from previous grades. Students should be
able to read these without stretching them out. Tell them the word if they don't know
it.

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- Read daily for 10-20 minutes. (Could reread the Scholastic and Benchmark magazines sent home)
- Read to your child. They still benefit from hearing text read to them.
- You can log into your child's Schoology account to access the classroom's Reading Room to listen or read various books.
- Scholastic magazines and Benchmark unit magazines will come home throughout the year. This is a great resource to use to practice reading fluency.

Math:

- Practice counting money. Start with nickels and pennies and then add dimes and quarters.
- Practice telling time on an analog clock. Ask questions like how much longer until 5:00.
 In 2nd grade we do time, to the 5 minutes.
- Practice counting forward and <u>backwards</u> past 100. Count by 2's, 5's and 10's.
- Read and recognize numbers beyond 100.
- Here is a link to the Everyday math home links if you would like them. <u>Homelinks</u>
- Log into your child's Schoology account and go to their child's Math room to play various math games.

Spelling:

- Practice the high frequency words (HFW) sent home in the blue folder and through Remind. Students should be able to read and spell these words.
- Review HFW from previous grades to see if your child can spell these:

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