

Second Grade News

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Challenge Charter School Week of: September 13, 2021



Core Knowledge is #1! We get it done with fun! Hands-on, Right on! Integrated Science, Social Studies, Math, and Language Arts!

Here's what we'll be learning next week...

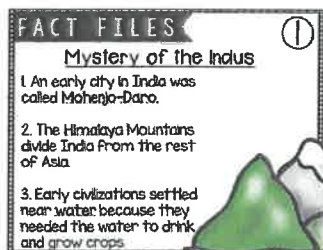
GKLA Skills

Phonics/Spelling:

- Double consonants
- Consonant alternative spellings
- -ge and -ve words
- "Silent Sounds"- kn, wr, wh & qu

Reading:

- The Cat Bandit—fictional stories
- Nouns & Verbs
- Punctuation and Types of Sentences (!?)
- Sequencing
- Tricky Words: should, could & would
- Suffixes: -ing and -ed



Math

Topic 3: Add Within 100 Using Strategies

- Add Tens and Ones on a 100 Chart
- Add Tens and Ones on a Number Line
- Break Apart Numbers to Add
- Add Using Compensation

Compensation

$$53 + 19 = 72$$

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Test: Tuesday, 9/21

Spelling Words

sand
sang
sank
hung
hunt
hunk
thin
thing
think
should

Test: 09/24

Vocabulary Words

Listening & Learning

Vocabulary Words

fertile	source
represents	unjust
resembles	custom
conquer	sorrow
durable	praise
emerge	plunged
defense	eager

prosperous

Test: 9/22

-Students are expected to understand these words and be able to use them properly in speech. At the end of each unit, students will be quizzed on these words.-

Social Studies & Listening/Learning Test 9/22

Early Asian Civilizations: India

Indus River Valley Mohenjo-Daro Rig Veda
Hindu Gods and Goddesses
Ganges and Indus Rivers

Core Virtues

- Respect is treating others politely and kindly.
- Responsibility is doing your part for the groups that make us whole.

Sayings & Phrases

Better late than never.

Don't judge a book by its cover.

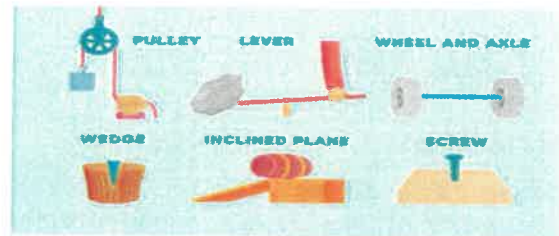


Help CCS raise money for Chromebooks by pledging your child in our APEX Remix! The event kicks off on 9/14 and goes through 9/23, with the Remix event held on 9/23. Ask your child what they are learning from our mighty APEX leaders each day on the importance of character!

Science: Simple Machines

- Simple machines make work easier
 - Lever
 - Pulley
 - Wedge
- Wheel and Axle
 - Screw
- Inclined Plane
 - Wedge

Test: 9/16



Important Dates

09/06 & 09/07 Labor Day Holiday NO SCHOOL

09/14 APEX Pep Rally

09/15 SOM Assembly

09/17 Specials

09/22 Coding

09/23 APEX Event!!

09/24 Music

9/27 Specials

Important Reminders:

- Our first 2nd Grade Homework project was sent home on Thursday 9/9. Students will be working on Simple Machines at home. This Simple Machine project is due on Thursday, September 16th.

