

# Second Grade Newsletter

Mrs. Conn 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade  
Week of: March 31-April 4, 2025

**Monday, March 31st**

Special: DAY 5 - STEM

Reading: Unit 8: Day 6:  
Composting Comp. Check

**Tuesday, April 1st**

Special: DAY 6 - LOT

Reading: Unit 8, Day 7: Vocab  
Practice

**Wednesday, April 2nd**

Special: DAY 1 - Music

Reading: Unit 8, Day 8: Vocab  
Test

**Thursday, April 3rd**

Special: DAY 2 - Art

Reading: Unit 8, Day 9:  
Author's Purpose Practice 1

**Friday, April 4th**

Special: DAY 3 - Library \*Bring  
book from last week!\*

Reading: Unit 8, Day 10:  
Author's Purpose Practice 2

## Spelling Words:

Pattern: Complex Consonants  
(ck/k, tch/ch, dge/ge)

## Pattern Words:

1. mark
2. check
3. scratch
4. lunch
5. judge
6. range

## High Frequency Words:

7. other
8. friend

-Complex Consonants: consonants or  
clusters of letters that have  
different spellings but are  
pronounced with the same sound.

-When /k/ is at the end of the word  
and follows a short vowel, it is spelled  
c-k as in sock. Otherwise, it is spelled  
with a k as in beak.

-When /ch/ is at the end of a word  
and follows a short vowel, it is spelled  
t-c-h as in stitch. Otherwise, it is  
spelled with c-h as in branch.

-When /j/ is at the end of a word and  
follows a short vowel, it is spelled  
d-g-e as in bridge. Otherwise, it is  
spelled with a g-e as in cage.

## Math:

**Monday:** Unit 10: Money: Counting  
Dimes

**Tuesday:** Unit 10: Money: Counting  
Quarters

**Wednesday:** Unit 10: Money:  
Counting Mixed Coins

**Thursday:** Unit 10: Money: Counting  
Mixed Coins

**Friday:** Unit 10: Counting Mixed  
Coins

## Math Facts: Subtraction -8

## Science/Social Studies:

- Unit Study: Weather

## Schedule:

- 7:45-8:20 = Homeroom/MM
- 8:20-8:40 = Heggerty
- 8:40-9:10 = 95% Core Phonics
- 9:10-9:30 = Core Math
- 9:30-10:10 = Math
- 10:20-10:40 = WINNERS
- 10:40-11:10 = MTSS/Title I
- 11:15-11:45 = Specials
- 11:45-12:15 = Lunch
- 12:15-12:45 = Recess
- 12:50-1:20 = Reading/Vocab
- 1:20-1:45 = Bridge to Writing
- 1:45-2:20 = Guided Reading
- 2:20-2:40 = Science/SS
- 2:40-3:00 = Dismissal

## Upcoming Events:

- Tuesday + Wednesday, April 1 + 2** = After School Tutoring (for those signed up)
- Thursday, April 3** = Good News Club (for those signed up)
- Friday, April 4** = Report Cards Sent Home
- Friday, April 18** = Easter Break, No School!
- Monday, April 21** = Easter Break, No School!

## Joke of the Week:

Why are so many leprechauns florists?

Last week's answer: They have green thumbs!

This week's joke: How do you make Easter easier?