

# Second Grade News

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Challenge Charter School

Week of: September 2, 2024



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...

## CKLA Skills

### Phonics/Spelling:

- double the consonant in a "cvc" word before adding -ing (example: run-running)
- review of digraphs: ch, ph, sh, th, wh, kn, ck

## DIGRAPHS

2 letters that say 1 sound

sh	ch	th	ck
fish	chop	bath	duck
cash	chin	moth	sock
shell	bench	them	lock
ship	punch	that	neck

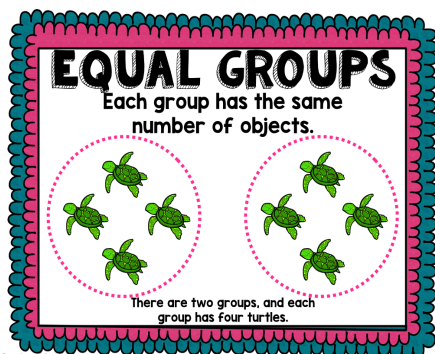
### Grammar:

- nouns and verbs in sentences

### Listening & Learning:

- Early Asian Civilizations (China, India, Japan)
- The Indus River Valley

## Math



## Topic 2: Work with Equal Groups

- Even and odd numbers

You can use food (Cheerios, peanuts, dry noodles, etc.), rocks, beads, Legos, and many more items in your home as math manipulatives to practice the concept of even and odd.

Even numbers can be divided into two equal groups.

## Spelling Words

### -ing ending

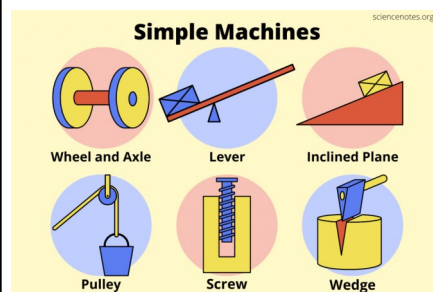
mixing  
missing  
buzzing  
snacking  
smelling  
running  
hitting

Tricky Words: said, until, problem

Test on 09/06

## Science Simple Machines

Students will finish out unit on simple machines. This week we will have a homework review page that will be corrected in class before we take our **Simple Machine quiz** on Friday, Sept. 6.





Mrs. Isenberg has been doing some amazing art projects with second grade! She is looking to use some materials you may have:

- \* Paper towel tubes (no toilet paper tubes however)
- \* Newspapers and kid-friendly magazines



**09/02 & 09/03 Labor Day Holiday NO SCHOOL**

09/05 Specials day

09/11 Acadience testing

09/13 Specials day

09/17 APEX Pep Rally and APEX fundraiser begins!

09/18 Student of the Month assembly at 9:45 A.M.

## Homework for the Week

Monday 9/2	Tuesday 9/3	Wednesday 9/4	Thursday 9/5
Happy Labor Day!	NO school!	Math Topic 2 Review What you Know	Simple Machines review <b>Spelling test tomorrow!</b>



**Did you know our newsletter is also online?**

You can access spelling words, important dates, and all the other 2nd grade information from our weekly newsletter on our CCS website!