Second Grade News



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Challenge Charter School **Week of: September 14, 2026**

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...

ELA

Phonics:

- 3 sounds of "ed"

Reading:

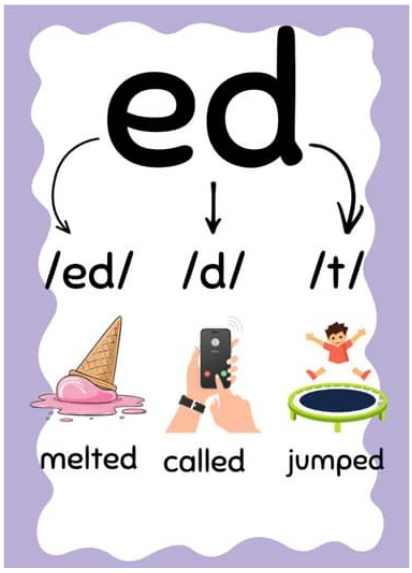
- Recounting stories and folktales

Writing

- Writing questions

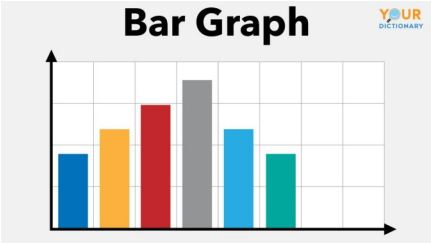
Language

- Verbs



Math

Unit 1: Numbers Within 20: Addition, Subtraction, & Data



This week we continue to draw and use graphs to understand data.

We will have a **quiz on graphing on Thursday 9/17.**

Students are also continuing our routine fact practice and skills review. This includes our morning work and homework activities. Skills we are currently reviewing are: addition and subtraction to twenty, one step word problems, first grade skills of time to the hour and half-hour, and two digit place value.

Spelling Words

yelled
yanked
slumped
limped
plopped
smiled
shrugged
liked
patted
you

Test on Friday 9/18

Social Studies

Ancient India

We will **test on 9/15.**

Japan

This unit is compact, with three main lessons, which we will cover this week. We will learn about the geography of Japan, a nation of islands. Students will learn about life in modern Japan, and look at Japanese art and traditions, including the kimono and bonsai trees.



CORE VIRTUES: RESPECT AND RESPONSIBILITY

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





9/14	Trimester 1 Midterm
9/16	Parent Teacher Conferences, dismissal at 11:30
9/17	Parent Teacher Conferences, dismissal at 11:30
9/18	Fire Pal Matt visit Buddy Class Day
9/23	Specials Day

Homework for the Week

Monday 9/14	Tuesday 9/15	Wednesday 9/16	Thursday 9/17
Reading "Superhero Joey"	**Math** Graphs	**Language** Fall Nouns	**Spelling** Rainbow Write practice

Parent Teacher Conferences

Thank you for scheduling your conference. We will meet for 20 minutes on Wednesday, September 16 or Thursday, September 17. Zoom conferences are available with advanced notice. Students will need to be picked up at 11:30 on these days (there is NO CCS Aftercare).

