

2nd Grade

Curriculum Highlights

Religion

Second grade is a meaningful year for spiritual growth as students receive the sacraments of First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion. Students explore foundational Catholic teachings, focusing on prayer, the Ten Commandments, and living a moral life rooted in God's love.

Language Arts

Using the Savvas myView literacy program, second graders master essential language arts concepts. The curriculum develops confident readers through systematic phonics instruction and phonics-based spelling. Students also engage in rich genre studies, master high-frequency words, and refine vital comprehension strategies to improve overall reading fluency.

Math

Along with mastering basic addition and subtraction with and without regrouping, second graders learn effective strategies to analyze and solve word problems. Students explore various graphs including Venn diagrams, which are integrated into daily work across all subjects. The Cengage Math & You program introduces students to telling time, counting money, geometry, and pre-algebra concepts.

Science

Second graders explore the earth and study their environment through engaging, interactive lessons on topics such as weather, forces and motion, and matter. Students enhance their understanding of these concepts through hands-on activities and educational field trips.

Social Studies

Students learn about maps, geography, citizens and government, and economics. These social studies units often overlap with language arts lessons, connecting students with the community and the world around them.

Leader In Me

Second graders focus on laying the groundwork for leadership and personal growth, with an emphasis on self-awareness and self-management. Students put these principles into action by creating classroom mission statements and individual goals.

Specialty Classes

- French/Spanish
- STEM
- Music
- Art
- Library
- Physical Education

St. Ursula Villa

Cultivating Confident Learners & Compassionate Leaders

Events & Activities

Boosters Walkathon
First Reconciliation
1st-8th grade Mass Leaders
Christmas Pageant
Grade-Level Chapel Mass
First Holy Communion
Fairy Tale Puppet Show
Arts Appreciation Day
May Party

Extra-Curriculars & Athletics

Art Club
Brownie Scouts
Cub Scouts
Baseball
Eaglet Basketball
Soccer
Softball
Family Ski Club

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