



Dear Parents:

We are looking forward to the next school year with your child. Second grade is a challenging grade, and we are sure we can meet that challenge together. Your child will need the following supplies in second grade.

- Red block erasers - 2 pack
- Pencil Cap erasers
- A 4x6 container to place inside desks to hold small supplies: pencils, erasers, scissors, glue, etc.
- 1 pair of scissors
- 1 box of crayons - 24 count
- 1 highlighter (yellow only)
- 1 pack of glue sticks
- 1 bottle Elmer's School Glue
- 1 box of markers
- 4 pack fine tip expo markers
- 1 box of Ziploc bags
 - Last Name A-L bring in Gallon zip-loc
 - Last Name M-Z bring in smaller zip-loc bags

Please Note: New this year, headphones will not be provided by the school. Students must bring in their own headphones that have a connection cord to plug into the computers. No bluetooth headphones please!

In preparation for second grade, please encourage your children to read every day. Setting aside a special time during the day can make this easier. Both reading silently and reading aloud can be beneficial. After your child has read silently, ask several questions to make sure he or she understood what was read. Also, please continue to read aloud to your child. This can help improve listening and comprehension skills, increase exposure to vocabulary and new ideas, and add excitement about reading.

In addition, it is very helpful to practice **addition and subtraction math facts** so that your child knows them well. Flashcards can be purchased or made to help math practice.

We are looking forward to meeting you and your child.

Sincerely,

The Second Grade Teachers