



# Peek at our WEEK



## HIGHLIGHTS

This week in Science we learned about the life cycle of different animals. We learned how some animals are born alive while others hatch from eggs, We also compared and contrasted what plants and animals need to grow.

In Reading, we focused on fiction and nonfiction books related to different biomes. When reading fictional texts, we discussed how characters respond to events and challenges.

In Writing, we began our research for our biome project. The students took notes on their biome's climate, plants, and animals.

In Math, we began identifying and naming polygons such as triangles, quadrilaterals, pentagons, an hexagons. Squares and rectangles are 2 examples of quadrilaterals. Students noticed how the number of sides, vertices, and angles are the same when looking at a shape. We also practiced finding lines of symmetry and identifying congruent shapes.

### 4/8/2022

This Week's Sight Words  
**people, warm, wash, call, very**

Remember to read 15-20 minutes nightly and review the sight words!

## SECOND GRADE



## APRIL



## REMINDERS

**Biome Project Reminder**-all students will need a shoe box (or similar sized box) for a project by April 11th. A note is also attached.

**Late Start Day - Wednesday, April 13** (School begins at 9:20)

**Woodland Day - Thursday, April 14**

**No School - Friday, April 15**



## APRIL 2022

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
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10	11	12	13 Late Start	14 Woodland Day	15 No School	16
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# Biome Project

Dear Second Grade Families,

We will be learning about biomes after spring break. Students will be researching and creating an informative piece about the biome they choose. They will also be creating a 3D diorama of their biome.

Students will work on this project in class and will need to bring in a shoe box or other similarly sized box, by Monday, April 11th.



Thank you,

The 2nd Grade Team

# Biome Diorama Project

Dear Second Grade Families,

As you know, students will be creating a 3D diorama of a biome they have been researching in class. **While the only item students are required to bring in for this project is a shoe box (or other similarly sized box)**, students may wish to bring in some additional items from home to use when creating their diorama.

At school we will be providing colored construction paper, cotton balls, craft sticks, yarn, and of course scissors and glue. Here are some suggestions of items your child may wish to bring in for their project. Remember, these items may be specific to the biome your child has chosen to research:

- Sand Paper (desert biome)
- Small rocks or pebbles (desert biome)
- Small plastic trees, flowers or bushes (rainforest, ocean, grassland biomes)
- Small plastic animals (all biomes)
- Fancy cardstock or other paper (i.e. paper that looks like water or grass)
- Stickers featuring animals or plants found in your child's biome

Please note that these suggestions are OPTIONAL and your child can use the materials provided at school. Thanks so much for your help. We look forward to seeing some really great projects!

The 2nd Grade Team

**Your child has written down the biome they researched on the paper copy of the note that was sent home today!**

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