

Ortwein Overview

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Dear Parents,

Hello! We completed our first full week together! Students are doing well learning classroom procedures and routines. I am so impressed with their ability to wear the masks throughout the day while learning. I have had zero complaints. I am enjoying this group of kiddos. They amaze me! I also want to thank you for helping your child come prepared each day. Students are prepared with a water bottle, mask, and charged iPad. This year is different, but we are making the most out of each day 😊

Students took a practice spelling test last Friday. They will take their first real spelling test this Friday. We will take a practice reading test this week. I want students to familiarize themselves with second grade reading tests before I take a grade. Second grade will take the

NWEA test on Thursday and Friday. They will take a reading and math NWEA test. This will help me get the data I need to make some curriculum decisions to help each student in my classroom. Please help your child be prepared for the tests by making sure they get plenty of sleep and eat a nutritious breakfast in the morning.

Please let me know if you ever have any questions. You can call, email, or Remind me anytime.

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Subject Areas:

Reading

Unit 1 Week 1 and Week 2

Learning Targets:

- Realistic Fiction
- Cite evidence from text
- Identify beginning, middle, and end
- Writing: personal narrative/realistic fiction story
- Phonics: short aeiou
- Grammar: statement, questions, commands, and exclamations

Math - Unit 1 Establishing

Routines

- Number Grid Puzzles
- Equivalent Names for Numbers
- Fishing for 10
- Math Stations

Spelling

- went
- tell
- pet
- job
- fog
- not
- tug
- hut
- tub
- bun
- fix
- has
- one
- or
- see

Important Dates to

Remember

- 8/19 School Pictures
- 9/7 Labor Day
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