

# Ortwein Overview

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Dear Parents,

Last week we completed the Unit 3 reading test. Please look for results to come home after Tuesday. Your child won't have a reading test this week. However, we will have a spelling test on Friday with the dictation sentence. Our corporation gives a CogAt test to all second graders. This test measures reasoning and problem-solving skills in three different ways: verbal, quantitative, and nonverbal. We will review scores to see if your child qualifies for the Quest program in third grade. This test is just one pathway to the program. The CogAt test will be given on Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday. Please help your child by making sure they get plenty of rest and a nutritious breakfast in the morning. Children will need to charge their iPad each night. **It needs to be at 100% each**

**day, but it is especially when taking CogAt. It will use a lot of their battery.**

I have had a few donations of Kleenex and disinfectant this week. Thank you. We could use a little more snack to help the children make it to our 11:30 lunch. I will send out one more list of snacks for our special 100<sup>th</sup> day trail mix. Can you believe we have almost made it to the 100<sup>th</sup> day of school?

Yearbook information was sent home last week. The cost is \$15.00. Online orders can be placed at [ybpay.lifetouch.com](http://ybpay.lifetouch.com) ID code - 12596721 Checks can be made out to Lifetouch. Orders are due March 7th.

As always, let me know if you have any questions. 😊

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## Subject Areas:

Unit 4: Week 1 and 2:

Realistic Fiction/How are kids around the word different?

- Comprehension: Point of View/Visualize
- Grammar: Linking Verbs
- Phonics/Spelling: wr, kn, gn, mb, sc

## **Unit 6: Whole Number Operations and Number Stories**

- 6.2 Comparison Number Stories
- 6.3 Interpreting Number Stories
- 6.4 Animal Number Stories
- Two-Step Number Stories

## Spelling

comb  
crumb  
scene  
scent  
gnat  
sign  
knife  
know  
wrist  
writing  
cube  
music  
don't  
eat  
very

## Upcoming Dates:

12/21-1/1 Christmas Break  
School Resumes January 4<sup>th</sup>

1/18 MLK Day No School

1/25 PTO @ 6:00