

Weekly Sheet for 2ND Grade

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Week of 10/10/2011-10/14/2011

Topics/Content/Skills:

Phonics: Students will review the short and long sounds of the vowels A, I, U and O. At the end of the week they will be tested on all sounds of each vowel.

Writing: This week students will review how to use a thesaurus and begin their first writing assignment of a "Personal Story". They will be introduced to the Brainstorming process, and how to organize their thoughts on paper.

Social Studies: Students will be introduced to their workbook "My Community." They will continue to learn about the meaning of a community and places that make up a community. They will also finish their assignment of creating your own community.

Reading: This week students are taking the skills and techniques they have learned and are practicing them through independent reading and letter writing. Students are expected to read their books of choice and then choose one to write a letter to me about. During this activity, students will be assessed to determine their guided reading groups.

Spelling: As students are assessed in reading, their spelling list will be determined by their reading level. Once the assessment is complete students will receive their spelling words.

Vocabulary/Key Terms/Formulas: Spelling Words from Unit 30

Homework:

<u>Monday</u>	No School
<u>Tuesday</u>	Reading: Reading Contract (students are to read for 15 minutes every night and have parents sign it). Spelling: Writing: Using a Thesaurus exercise. Phonics: Long O sound, Phonograms/Rhyme page 44.
<u>Wednesday</u>	Reading: Reading Contract (students are to read for 15 minutes every night and have parents sign it). Spelling: Writing: Using a Thesaurus exercise with Lesson 11 (review of chapter 1). Phonics: Long vowel E sound, Sound to Symbol page 46.
<u>Thursday</u>	Reading Contract (students are to read for 15 minutes every night and have parents sign it).

	Spelling: Writing: Brainstorming exercise and review of chapter 1. Phonics: Writing and Review page 48.
<u>Friday</u>	Reading Contract (students are to read for 15 minutes every night and have parents sign it).

Tests:

Phonics Test – Friday, Oct. 14

Special Events/News and Extraordinaries: