

# Second Grade Notes

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**DEAR PARENTS,**

Welcome to Second Grade! When I was a child, I loved Second Grade. I hope to help your child love it as much as I did.

This week we will begin learning some reading strategies that we will use throughout the year. Hopefully, the children can continue to use these strategies in other grades as well. In Math we will review some basic number concepts. Our Religion focus will be on the goodness of God.

This year Spelling and Phonics will go hand-in-hand. This first week, however, there will not be a list of Spelling words to learn and there will be no test on Friday.

Every school night throughout the year part of Second Grade homework is to read for twenty minutes. I ask you to sign/initial Reading slips to let me know that your child has done this homework. These slips can be turned in each Friday. The returned Reading slips will help the children earn Reading Reward Time each month.

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Mary Chandler