



# Second Grade Newsletter

March 16-20

Early dismissal Thursday  
NO SCHOOL Friday



## READING

**\*Test Wednesday\***

We will learn about the water cycle. Students will also explore vocabulary from various texts.

## WRITING

Students will continue to write opinion pieces.

## GRAMMAR

**\*No Test\***

Prefixes

Examples: **restart**, **prepay**, **unhappy**

## WORD STUDY

CVCe- syllable patterns

example: sunshine

## MATH

**\*Test Tuesday over lessons 1-5\***

**For the test Tuesday:**

Problem Solving with Categorical Data

- Sort and record data into a table; use category counts to solve word problems
- Draw and label a picture graph and a bar graph to represent data
- Solve word problems using data presented in a bar graph

**Learning this week:**

- Recognize the value of coins and count up to find their total value
- Solve word problems involving the total value of a group of coins.

Practice Math skills and facts using:  
**MobyMax.com** and **Zearn.org**

## Parent Teacher Conferences

We will not have traditional face-to-face conferences on Thursday. I will conference with you through phone calls starting Monday.

## VOCABULARY WORDS

**\*Test Thursday\***

**cumulus-** a massive cloud with a flat base often looks like a mountain

**cirrus-** a thin white cloud of tiny ice crystals

**stratus-** a cloud extending over a large area

**weather-** is the daily state of the atmosphere, or air, in any given place.

**wispy-** being thin and light

**humid-**moist

**tornado-** a violent whirling wind with a cloud that is shaped like a funnel and moves along a path

**trailing-** walking or moving slowly

**important-** having serious meaning or worth

**exhaust-** to tire out

**burst-** to break open

**distance-** how far from each other two points or places are

## Important Dates

**3/18-** Fun Run

**3/19-** Early Dismissal

**3/20-** NO SCHOOL for students

**3/23-27-** Spring Break

## Absences

If your child is absent, documentation should be provided upon their return. You can send a doctor's excuse or a parent note or email.

### COVID-19

Please note that all information updates will first be posted on these social media sites: Twitter and Facebook (in this order) and then our website. All social media alerts will also be dated and posted to our website so you can easily be updated with the latest information coming in from our district regarding this fluid situation. You can find this information through a COVID-19 info. graphic on our homepage at [jonesboroschools.net](https://www.jonesboroschools.net) or directly through this link: <https://www.jonesboroschools.net/Domain/140>