

News From 2F!

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Hello December!! We hope you enjoyed your Thanksgiving break. Everyone came back ready to learn! It was a great start! This month will go by quickly, and we have many things to remember so get your calendar out!

We had a chance to preview the books at the Book Fair on Thursday! Your child filled out a "wish list" and brought it home. Your child may chose off this list or change their mind, it was only a place to start. Please remember we are "buying" during our library time on Tuesday 12/6 (2:00-2:30). If you want to join your child please feel free to come. Otherwise send money in an envelop and we will help them. Thank you!

We began a new unit in Math. We will be working on all types of story problems. It is amazing how many different kinds there are! We are getting quick with our mental math knowing our facts too. Please remember on the homework that students need to show their math thinking not just the answer. Thank you.

Our spelling tests will not be coming home anymore, but you will still receive a list on Monday. We are going to keep a journal of our dictations so we can see how much we are learning and improving each week. We are still correcting our own work so that we can see what mistakes we are making. Some are simple...like forgetting the "magic e" or leaving 1 letter out. The spelling journal will be a great learning tool for us.

Thank you for your fruit donations before school ended for Thanksgiving. Our class had been working on coloring in a "Caring" poster and we did it! Having a "Friendship Fruit Salad" and pancakes for snack was a fun way to celebrate the fact that we are one caring group of friends. It was such a success we just might do it again!!

Red Stocking Food Donations can come in anytime. Our class is collecting Tuna fish. Thank you.

Have a great weekend!

Jennifer and Debbie