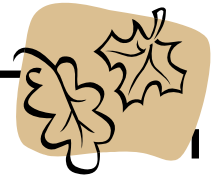


# 2nd Grade Newsletter

The month of: November



What have we been learning?

## Reading-

- We are using the 5 P's before reading a text.
- The students are learning to make meaningful text to self, text to text, and text to world connections to help comprehend a story.

## Writing-

- We have been zooming in and adding details to our "Small Moments".
- Continue to have your child gather small moments at home and add them to their "Think Like a Writer" note- books!
- We created an organizer including facts about an insect. We used the information to write a non-fiction paragraph that included a topic sentence.

## Math-

- We began cluster 3 on Number Relationships and Two-Digit Computation. Please refer to the cluster letter for vocabulary, objectives, and ways that you can help your child at home with mathematics.

## Science-

- We have taken our insect test and shared our insect projects. Thank you for all your support at home with the project.
- We will be starting our first Social Studies unit related to Symbols of the United States.

## Celebrations:

- We had an in class writing celebration for students to share a "Small Moment" that they worked hard on!
- We had an Insect Celebration where students created an insect at home. They shared their projects with the class! What creative kids!

## Important Dates to Remember:

- **Field Trip** to The Museum of Natural History in Washington DC- **November 6<sup>th</sup>**  
(Be sure to pack your child a bag lunch!)
- Early Dismissal- November 9<sup>th</sup>
- PTA Meeting- Nov. 18<sup>th</sup>
- Jim Renehan with Raising Great Kids-  
A Presentation on "Love and Logic."
- School closed - Nov. 23<sup>rd</sup> - Nov. 27<sup>th</sup>

