



Second Grade News



September 5 – September 8



Dates to Note

- Monday, Sept. 4: No School—Labor Day
- Thursday, Sept. 14: Grandparents' Day
- Friday, Sept. 15: NO SCHOOL / Teacher In-service
- Friday, Sept. 22 Constitution Day



Grandparents' Day

Grandparents' Day is Thursday, Sept. 14th! Students must have a signed permission slip turned in before this day if grandparents are taking them out for lunch.



History

In September, students will be learning about the **Constitution**. In this unit, students will be introduced to the basic functions of the American government: that it is based on the Constitution, the highest law of our land. Students will see government by the consent of the governed: "We the People." Students will also learn about James Madison, the "Father of the Constitution." To put their learning into practice, students will participate in Constitution Day on Friday, September 22nd. Dressing in attire appropriate for this era is encouraged (but not required) on this day.

Spelling Words

Test on September 8th

Columns 3 & 4

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| could | sent |
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| any | mile |
| many | seem |
| city | even |
| only | without |
| where | afternoon |
| week | Friday |
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Important Notes

Parent-Teacher Conferences

Thursday, October 5 and

Friday, October 6

(no school on these days)

Be looking for signup information from your child's teacher.

September Poem



Bed in Summer

~Robert Louis Stevenson~

In winter, I get up at night
 And dress by yellow candlelight.
 In summer, quite the other way,
 I have to go to bed by day.

I have to go to bed and see
 The birds still hopping on the tree;
 Or hear the grown-up people's feet
 Still going past me in the street.

And does it not seem hard to you,
 When all the sky is clear and blue,
 And I should like so much to play,
 To have to go to bed by day?

Sayings for September

Don't judge a book by its cover
 Don't cry over spilled milk
 Be looking for ways to bring these sayings
 into your conversations 😊

All Class Read Aloud

Charley and the Chocolate Factory

