



**Mrs. Kushner Grade 2
2021-2022**

Our science lesson is an introduction to Traits. *Please have your child bring in a family photo for this lesson if they haven't already done so. Thank you!

Dear Parents,

9/24/2021

We completed Lesson 2 in our Religion Books about Belonging to the Church and the special sacrament of Baptism. Students did a wonderful job attending church and participating during a question & answer period with the visiting priest Father Dalton.

We finished our MAPs testing, Whew! I will print out student's individual testing results in each area of reading, math and language and we will be setting SMART goals each month to help monitor our progress. We are continuing our journal-writing prompts and "Daily Language Review" to build students writing, editing, proofreading, grammar, & spelling skills.

Our Scholastic News **Social Studies** lesson was writing about themselves. **GUESS WHO?** I took pictures of students to go with their writing, these are displayed in the hallway. This activity will go in their portfolios at the end of the year.

We have most of our Go Math books in and are waiting for one more box. Keep our fingers crossed we can start next week. Students are doing Daily Math Practice & Daily Word Problems along with our Math Minutes. We started Freckle Friday on our I pads, These accounts allow students to do **math** and **ELA** practice at their own pace..

We completed **Spelling** Unit 3 Short i words this week. Look for a written copy to come home on Monday with Tic-Tac-Toe Spelling List # 4 short o words (10 words + seven challenge words). Students have all week to complete this. Congratulations to fourteen, yes, 14 students who got 17 out of 17 on the spelling test today! If ALL of the students get 10 out of 10 words, I will bring in donuts the following **MONDAY**.

Please look for your child's **yellow** folder on Wednesday for school announcements. On Friday your child will take home their **red** folder, completed work for the week, book orders, etc. for you to review with your child.

Our "Happy Camper" for next week is Shiloh Acord.



Students are working towards reading 1,000 books to earn an EPIC BOOK party! Today our Happy Camper, Shiloh Acord, chose Bugs Bunny to watch during our lunch time!

I am open to meeting after school at 3:30 p.m. any day, except for Wednesdays.

Thank you for the opportunity to teach your children.

I feel blessed to be part of this amazing school community. Mrs. Kushner