

# MRS. KUIECK'S SECOND GRADE NEWS

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KUIECK'S KIDDOS  
2011-2012

Be Nice. Work Hard. Learn Well

Look What We've Been Up To...

## Daily 5/ Reading

This week we made many connections to characters, their feelings and their actions. I am very pleased with their progress. We continue to work on retelling text that we read and share important events with our partners. Next week we will begin a new comprehension strategy called visualization (creating a picture in our mind while we read).

## Writer's Workshop

We started the week with a WONDERFUL writer's celebration noticing all of the "craft" our classroom friends are using in their stories. Punctuation and grammar are going to be our focus until Thanksgiving.

## Math

We have been having a story problem mania!!!! Learning strategies to solve various story problems has been our focus. We will be wrapping up this unit prior to Thanksgiving. We are teaching our children to "think with your head first (what is the story problem about) and then think with your pencil".

## WORD STUDY:

Here are the words we will be concentrating on next week:

**its who now people my**

## Things to Note:

- \* Last day of 1st Trimester for RC is November 22.
- \* Thanksgiving Break Nov. 23 - 27.
- \* Holiday Program on Dec. 1.

Dear Families,

THANK YOU for making time to come to conferences and share in your child's successes! I am so proud of each and every one of them... my little honies!

Please feel free to contact me regarding any follow up questions or concerns :)

Have a great weekend!

Love,  
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