

WELCOME



Welcome to Second Grade At Gullett Elementary!

Dear Parents and Guardians,

Welcome to Second Grade! We are excited to work with you to make a great year for your second grader. Enjoy your summer and come back fresh and ready to learn. Remember to read for fun a little each day! Parents can help young readers by having them retell the story including characters, setting, and problem/solution. You can also have your child write about the books they read or keep a daily journal to practice their writing. Counting to 100 and basic addition and subtraction facts are important to practice as well. Please look over the next page to preview some of the skills that we will be focusing on in second grade.

Below you will find the second-grade supply list. This list may seem long, however, please keep in mind that we will be using these supplies all year long. We are looking forward to a great year! Have a terrific summer and see you in August! THANK YOU!

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SUPPLY LIST

Personal Supplies:

Please label these items with your child's name.

- Backpack (no wheels)
- 1 pair of headphones (over the head)
- 1 - 1 inch binder with clear overlay
- 1 hard-plastic "space saver" pencil box **OR** zipper pouch (approximately 8x5)
- Scissors, safety
- **spill proof** insulated water bottle
- **optional** corded USB mouse for laptop

For Specials:

- STEM: composition book; can be reused from last year
- Media: plastic pocket folder with prongs

****Parents, when shopping, please purchase the name brand listed. We believe these to be the best and most likely to make it through the vigorous of a 7-year old.**

Community Supplies

Please **do not** label these items

- 1- 24 packs Ticonderoga **Pre-Sharpended** Pencils
- 4 plastic 3-prong folders with pockets (red, blue, yellow, green)
- 2 plain (no glitter) spiral wide rule notebooks
- 2 plain black/white composition notebooks
- 1 pack dry erase markers, thick type, 4 count
- 1 packs - Crayola washable thick markers
- 2 boxes - Crayola crayons 24 count
- 8 small glue sticks
- 2 pack large pink erasers
- 1 box of tissues (no travel size please)
- 1 ream of copy paper
- 1 container antibacterial wipes (Clorox, Lysol)
- 1 bottle hand sanitizer

Wish List

- colored paper
- colored and/or white cardstock
- extra headphones
- paper towels

Your student's teacher may have additional needs that are specific to their classroom. They will communicate this with you later.

Essential 2nd Grade Standards for ELA and Math



I can recount stories, including fables and folktales and determine their central message, lesson, or moral!



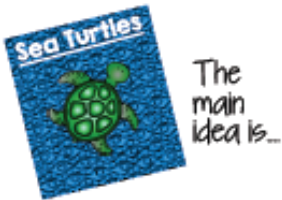
I can describe how characters in a story respond to major events and challenges!



I can describe the structure of a story, including describing how the beginning introduces the story and how the ending concludes it!



I can acknowledge the different points of view of the characters!



The main idea is...

I can identify the main topic of a multi paragraph text as well as the focus of specific paragraphs within the text!



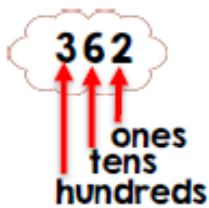
I can identify the main purpose of a text, including what the author wants to answer, explain or describe!



I can describe how reasons support specific points the author makes in a text!



I can compare and contrast the most important points presented by two texts on the same topic!



I can understand that digits in a 3-digit number show 100's, 10's and 1's!

$$34 + 7 = ?$$

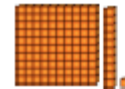
$$30 + 4 + 7 = 41$$

I can fluently add and subtract within 100 using multiple strategies!

$$27 + 33 + 41 = 101$$

2	7	3	3	4	1	=	101
ones	tens	ones	tens	ones	tens	ones	
2	7	3	3	4	1		

I can add up to 4 two-digit numbers based on place value!



How do you know?

$$245 + 372$$

I can add and subtract within 1000 using models, drawings or addition and subtraction strategies!



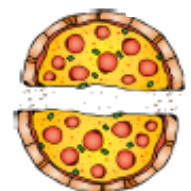
I can measure length by selecting and using appropriate tools!



I can tell time to the nearest five minutes!



I can solve money word problems using dollars, quarters, dimes, nickels and pennies!



I can partition circles and rectangles into equal shares and can identify $\frac{1}{2}$, $\frac{1}{3}$ and $\frac{1}{4}$ of the shapes!