

Room 165

Mrs. Fischer's Second Grade News

December 2nd, 2016



Book Order

There is a Scholastic book order in this week's Friday folder. If you would like to order books, you may do so online or by sending in the order along with a check back to school. **Please no cash!** Checks can be made payable to Scholastic Reading Club. Orders are due by Friday, **Dec. 11th.**

Visualizing

The students have been working on **VISUALIZING** as they read and I read to them. Or can they see pictures in their mind as they read? When you read with them, check periodically to see what they see as you read. This is particularly effective if you are reading a chapter book together. You can then discuss what is happening in the book and ask questions about their images.



Upcoming Dates:

Dec. 9 — Hearts and Hands
Reindeer —
Dec. 11 — Book Orders Due
Dec. 16 — Wear Green —
Grinchy Green Day
Dec. 20 — 2nd Grade Xmas
Celebration — 1:30-3:00
Dec. 21 — Jammie Day —

Our Schedule:

11/28-12/2

Mon. Music & PE
Tue. Comp. & Media
Wed. Music & PE
Thur. Art
Fri. Music & PE

Hat & Mitten Tree

Please donate new or gently used hats and mittens for those in need and put them on our tree, located in front of the Media Center. Donations will go to the McAuliffe Nurses Office and Hastings Family Service. We will be taking donations from Dec. 5th-16th. Thanks!

Report Cards

Please note that your child's report card will be coming home on Tuesday, Dec. 8th.

CLIMB Theatre

Climb theatre visited our classroom this week. They talked to us about what we can do to stand up to bullies. We learned the phrase "I don't like what you're doing and I want you to stop."

What we are learning next week...

Reading

- Visualize to make sense of text
- Connect mental images to the book
- Visualize to make inferences

Writing

- Fictional Stories
- Fictional Characters: Animals

Vocabulary

- Routine, expert, fade, flap
- Synonyms
- Antonyms

Math

- Coins
- Number Sequences
- Finding 2-Digit Partners

Science

- Weather

Social Studies

- Celebrations Around the World