



What's the Buzz in K-2?

1/30/23

This In Christ-light this week we are learning how different people showed love for Jesus. On Palm Sunday the people of Jerusalem sang praises to Jesus and shouted with joy as he rode into the city. May our hearts always be filled with such joy and love as we whole-heartedly worship our Savior-King!

Memory Work Calendar: The February Memory Work Calendars went home today. Please make sure to review your child's Bible passage or Hymn verse often, so they know these truths of God's Word in their hearts!

Kindergarteners are learning about the letter Uu this week. Now they are familiar with all 5 vowels. This is not about a new Superkid, rather it is about all of the Superkids and using the word "us." During this unit the children will review all of the Superkids and what each Superkid loves doing.

Our **first graders** are starting a new unit in reading this week. They are also getting new workbooks and new hard cover books. Our new unit teaches the children about contractions. We have had some short lessons about contractions already, but now their lessons will include contractions on their spelling list. Their next test will be on **Friday, February 3.**

Second Grade is learning about the schwa sound that vowels can make in words. This is the sound that is like a short u, but spelled with a different letter. Their next spelling test will be on Friday, **February 3.**

Grade 1 Spelling List Tested on 2/3/23:

Contractions with n't :

1. isn't
2. didn't
3. hasn't
4. hadn't
5. aren't
6. wasn't
7. weren't
8. haven't
9. couldn't
10. wouldn't

Grade 2 Spelling List: Tested on 2/3/23

Schwa words:

1. above
2. adult
3. against
4. America
5. amount
6. apart
7. happen
8. children
9. kitten
10. button
11. ribbon
12. cotton

Each day we talk about how many days we have been in school. When we get to the 100th Day we celebrate! Looking ahead, we are scheduled to celebrate the 100th Day on Friday, February 3. The 100th Day is a fun day when we do lots of projects centered on the number 100.

Social Studies: Our class has been learning about the continents. We have been talking about the names of the seven continents, what animals live there, and what the land is like on each continent. This week the children will be doing a class project for the Social Studies Fair that is about the continents of our world. **The Social Studies Fair is on February 3.** From 2:15-2:45 we invite parents to come and see the displays the children have worked on. We will also have the school open on Sunday morning after church from 11:00-11:30 for families and friends to see the displays. The children in grades 3-8 create individual projects and displays, while the children in our classroom work with me to create a group project. We hope you have a chance to see the hard work of the children at St. John!

Hot lunch this week is corn dogs, carrots, chips, and a dessert.

Let's have a fantastic week!

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