# Second Grade Newsletter February 19th - February 23rd

# Reading

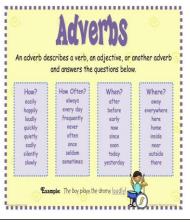
Unit 7 Week 3: "Brave Bessie" and poem "Crazy Boys"

Skills: model reading with fluent expression, summarize key concepts, use context clues, use fix-up strategies, analyze poems, use text and graphic features, analyze literal and nonliteral language, compare and contrast ideas in two texts, and analyze descriptive language (Adjectives and Adverbs)



## **English**

We will continue Unit 5 "More About Verbs". It will cover irregular verbs, come, run, give, go, do and see, helping verbs, have, had, and has, and adverbs.



# Spelling/Phonics

Phonics First Lesson 3.9, -cle Open Syllable Words,

Lesson A- 18, 19 war-, wor-

- 1. noble 10. world
- 2. bugle 11. word
- 3. cradle
- 12. worker
- 4. bible
- 13.-15. (review
- 5. warm
- words)
- 6. war
- 7. warning
- 8. reward
- 9. worst

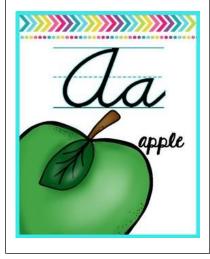


Math We will begin Unit 6: Geometry, Time and Money. We will cover attributes of shapes, identify, sort and draw shapes, specific side length and solid shapes, compose and decompose shapes, halves, thirds, and fourths, count by 5 to tell time, a.m. and p.m., identify coins, making a dollar, solving problems with money and pattern block puzzles.



### Handwriting

We will continue to practice capital cursive letters. We will be covering formation, size, slant and spacing.



#### Science

We will continue Unit B Ch. 4 and 5. Environments and Energy. It will cover what makes up a habitat, different kinds of environments like stream and woodland habitats, how environments change, and how plants, animals, and people get energy.





#### Things to Remember

- Parent Teacher conferences are today, February 15th. If you have forgotten your conference time, please call the office.
- No school February 16th.
- Spring pictures are February 23<sup>rd</sup>.
- Early release on February 28<sup>th</sup>.