

Welcome to Second Grade!

We are excited to work with your child this year in second grade and look forward to watching your child grow and succeed. Our goal is to provide a challenging educational environment that allows each student to achieve his or her highest potential as a learner. This is an overview of what you can expect this upcoming school year.

Top 5 Ways to Support Your Child in Reading:

1. Reading nightly is the most essential component to help your child grow as a reader.
2. Practice sight words (link on River Ridge website)
3. Encourage your child to check for understanding (Ask questions before, during, and after reading)
4. Have a variety of books (allow your child to select topics that are interesting to him/her)
5. Get excited to check out your local library

Top 10 Math Skills for Students to Master in 2nd Grade:

1. Basic addition and subtraction facts
2. Place Value (ones, tens, hundreds)
3. Counting to 1,000 by 1s, 10s, 100s
4. Telling time to 5 minutes
5. Counting money
6. Measuring and estimating lengths
7. 2 and 3 digit addition and subtraction with regrouping
8. Graphs (bar, pictograph, line plot)
9. 2D and 3D shapes
10. Basic Fractions



Below is a link to our 2nd grade curriculum timeline:

<http://www.kenton.kyschools.us/Content/1080>

As parents, you are valued partners for a successful school year. Together, we will strive to provide a positive environment to help your child learn and grow to his/her highest potential. Second grade is an exciting time! We greatly appreciate all of your support.

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