



Mrs. Lambert's

Second Grade Gazette

January

Welcome back and Happy New Year! Hoping 2019 brings much joy and happiness to you and your family!

What we are learning in class:

Math Continuing Unit Three the mathematical focus is on using what you know (known combinations of numbers, order does not matter in addition and so on) to make solving problems easier, and developing and fine tuning strategies for solving addition and subtraction problems. Students investigate number strings and what makes numbers even and odd.

Reading: Our read alouds are showing us how being different can make you feel unique. The stories and traditions we share with our families become our memories or stories of our life. We are continuing to work on reading fluency and decoding words in our guided reading groups.

Science: We are learning about the states of water and the importance of the water cycle to our world. We will be building our ice castle to show how water moves through all states, solid, liquid and gas. Please ask your child to sing the water cycle song to you.

Homework Reminder: It might be hard getting back to the routine but thank you so much for encouraging your child to have a special homework routine. I appreciate your help in checking homework and ensuring reading is done **every night**, and signing the planner.

Important Dates in December:

15th -Hot Dog Lunch

21st - Martin Luther King's Birthday- No School

Please feel free to contact me with any questions or concerns at MLambert@ahsd125.org or call 708-423-3078.