

Mrs. Small's 2nd Grade Class

“Making A Batch of Smart Cookies”

Newsletter for the week of January 4, 2010

Mark your Calendars!

Jan. 8th - End of 1st Sem.

Jan. 11th - No School
Teacher workday

Jan. 18th - No School
Teacher inservice day

Math

We are still adding and subtracting money. Please help your child practice counting money at home.

Social Studies

We are learning cardinal directions (N, E, S, and W) and are studying the differences between a globe and a map. Students need to know how to locate Kansas and its neighboring states.

Kansas Day is in January so we will also be learning a little Kansas History as we zoom in on the state of Kansas.

Reading

The story for this week is Time for Kids Change for the Quarter (in the red book).

Language Arts

We know synonyms, antonyms, compound words, contractions, and plurals.

December Calendar

The December Calendar used for recording reading minutes is due on Wednesday.

I will be giving pizza hut certificates to students who have read 450 minutes during the month of December.

**WE ARE GETTING
KNOWLEDGE
FOR
COLLEGE!**

Spelling Words

boat

coat

float

long

along

belong

paw

fawn

tall

wall

fantastic

wonderful

Syllables

Syllables can be found by clapping them out. This can also help students spell words by breaking them apart.

TUESDAY- Your child MUST wear SOCKS to participate in Body Venture.