

Mrs. Barksdale's Newsletter
2nd Grade
For the week of October 13th -17th

Notes from the teacher

Report card conferences will be held on October 16th and 17th. These are noon dismissal days. Lunch will not be served on those days. Please send one large snack on Thursday and Friday. We will have a +3 math facts quiz on Thursday. There are some websites that are great for studying math facts. They are www.aplusmath.com and www.matfactcafe.com. Our class is preparing the Mass on October 23rd, so mark your calendar. We are sending home the October Lucky Book Order today. All orders and checks are due on Friday October 24th. We will be doing our first book report of the year. Please see the attached letter and form for more information.

Upcoming Tests: Math facts quiz on Thursday,
Reading/Vocabulary and Spelling on Friday.

Homework

Monday - Reading: Read "Turtle's Race with Beaver" p. 220-242 to a parent.

Tuesday - Work on your book report.

Wednesday - Math: Study for the +3 math facts quiz.

Thursday - Reading: Reread "Turtle's Race with Beaver". Study vocabulary words.
Spelling: Study for test.

Friday - No homework!

Spelling Words

1. her
2. person
3. nurse
4. dirt
5. turn
6. birth
7. serve
8. curb
9. curl
10. skirt
11. purse
12. turtle

BONUS:

13. hamburger
14. surface
15. perfect

Words to Read

1. toward
2. ago
3. word
4. whole
5. above
6. enough



Turtle's Race with Beaver
Vocabulary words and Meanings

1. buried---covered
2. challenge---to invite someone to take part in a game or an argument.
3. dam---something that blocks the flow of water.
4. embarrassed---uncomfortable or ashamed.
5. halfway---in the middle
6. lodge---a beaver's den

