



## Starling 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade Newsletter

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### Notes from the Teacher...

Dear Parents,

Thank you for coming to your child's conference. It was wonderful discussing your child's progress with you. Thank you for supporting your child's education!

Have a great weekend!

Sincerely,

Erica Lammey & Tisha  
Williamson

### What We're Learning Next



**Reading:** Next week we will be exploring the structure of a story by asking and answering questions. AKS: Describe the overall structure of a story, including describing how the beginning introduces the story and the ending concludes the action (CCGPS) (2LA.A.2.012-5/ELACCRLS)

**Writing:** The rest of the nine weeks we will continue to work on personal narratives. AKS: Write narratives in which they recount a well-elaborated event or short sequence of events, include details to describe actions, thoughts, and feelings, use temporal words to signal event order, and provide a sense of closure (CCGPS) (2LA.D.2.012-24)

**Math:** We will wrap up our part 1 unit on base 10. AKS: Explain that the three digits of a three-digit number represent amounts of hundreds, tens, and ones (e.g., 706 equals 7 hundreds, 0 tens, and 6 ones) (CCGPS) (2MA.B.2.012-7)

**Science:** Mrs. Lammey's class will begin to learn about the life cycle of a plant. AKS: investigate the life cycles of different organisms to understand the diversity of life. (GPS) (2SC.D.2.007-13)

**Social Studies:** Mrs. Williamson's class will begin to explore the lives of James Oglethorpe, Mary Musgrave, and Tomochichi. AKS: Describe the cultural and geographic systems associated with James Oglethorpe, Tomochichi, and Mary Musgrove (GPS) (2SS.D.2.008-21)

**Word Work:** We will begin to explore the au and oi word patterns this week.

-au haul, vault, fault

-oi boil, foil, spoil

### Mark Your Calendar

Oct. 11 – End of the 1<sup>st</sup> 9 Weeks



### Attention

Please be sure to check and get your agenda signed nightly.

Homework will look a little different this week. Your child will be using their Social Studies Weekly to complete part of their homework assignments. It is in their homework folder, but not stapled to the packet. There are not extras, so please make sure it stays in their homework folder. Thanks.

