#### Save The Date:

Parent Involved Fieldtrips and Special Events in 2nd Grade:

\*Second Grade Portfolio Day— (sign up will be emailed out at least a week prior) September 20th

\*2nd Grade Sponsored Skate Night- (earn a NUT Day pass) October 4th

\*Fall Pumpkin Patch- October 25th-27th

\*IB-Culminating Activities and Winter Celebration— December 14th

\*Chinese New Year Celebration- February 9th

\*Circle B Reserve, Water Wings— TBD

\* Field Trip to Sea World- April 11th

\*Academy Awards Ceremony- May 20th

\*Restaurant Wars Culminating Activities and Celebration- May 24th

\*\*\*Field trip dates are tentative at this time

#### **Homework**

Read for 30 minutes nightly: Please record the amount of time your child reads each night on the Reading Log for the month in the agenda.

Mini Math Review: Complete each section on the night indicated. DO NOT WORK AHEAD! Return daily!

Phonics: Assigned one time weekly. Students will read the passage and underline or highlight words that follow the rule of the week.

Any additional homework based on individual need will be indicated in your child's agenda.

#### **AR/SMAD DEADLINES:**

Deadline	Reward
Oct.13	Oct. 20 – Rock Star
Dec. 8	Dec. 13– Holiday Hoopla
March 6	March 8– Twin Day
May 8	May 10 – Color Wars

In order for your child to meet each quarterly deadline he/she is required to earn an amount of points weekly based on their reading level and maintain an overall average of 85% or higher. Please refer to the front of your child's agenda for their AR point goal each nine weeks. In order to receive an AR medallion at the end of the year, they must get 60 points and have an 85% comprehension average.

Students must make adequate weekly progress towards their goal in order to participate in extra playground time each week.

**SMAD-** SMAD Deadlines are the same as AR deadlines. SMAD is an essential tool to build basic fact fluency that supports accurate problem solving.

Teacher Wish lists....
Teacher wish lists can be found on the Lincoln Avenue Academy website under grade level information. We appreciate any help your family is able to contribute.

http://lincolnavenuejaguars.weebly.com/

# Lincoln Avenue Academy Second Grade Team



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\*Please remember to send a green note or write a note in your child's agenda if there is an afternoon transportation change for your child. Calls to the office and emails during the teaching day may not reach the teacher in time.

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### Our Daily Schedule:

8:00- 9:05 Phonics and Writing

9:05-9:45 PE

9:45-10:35 Specials

10:35-11:35 Reading

11:35-11:55 Personalized Learning
Time

11:55-12:20 Lunch

12:20-12:40 Recess

12:40-1:40 Session 1

1:40-2:40 Session 2

2:40-2:50 Read Aloud

2:50-2:55 Dismissal

#### **IMPORTANT!!**

## **POLK SCHOOLS APPS**

Download These Two Apps to Stay Informed!



- Parent Portal
- View grades/attendance
- See ClassMate Points



- Receive messages from LAA and Polk Schools
- Direct message with teachers

## Behavior Expectations: Positive Behavior System

Introducing ClassMate!!!

ClassMate is an Apple ipad app designed by Polk County Public Schools. The app is accessible to elementary teachers, school administrators and students.

Students can earn IB STAR points by showing any of the learner profile traits, thinker, principled, risk taker, inquirer, caring, communicator, knowledgeable, balanced, reflective and open minded. At the end of the each week, students who have not earned any infractions will have the opportunity on Friday to use their IB stars to buy a reward of their choice.

How to view your student's IB Stars:

- · Navigate to Focus
- <a href="https://polkk12.focusschoolsoftware.com/focus/">https://polkk12.focusschoolsoftware.com/focus/.</a>.
- On the left sidebar, click on your student.
- Navigate to Child Info > ClassMate.

The student's total points appear at the top, followed by points by section (which lists each course/period with a point total), and then the complete point history for the student, showing all points earned.

## International Baccalaureate Transdisciplinary Units

How the World Works- Engineering
Our World
August 14th- September 15th

How We Organize Ourselves -Teach A Man to Farm September 18th- October 27th

Who We Are - A Mile in Our Shoes
October 30th- December 15th

Where We are in Place in Time Immigration in Motion
Jan. 4th- March 8th

Sharing the Planet - In Our Backyard March 18th- April 19th

> How We Express Ourselves -Sustainable Restaurant Wars April 22nd- May 30th

#### **Agendas:**

Please be sure to **sign** your child's agenda **each night**. If your child gets an infraction it will be in the weekly report at the front of the agenda. Students write their homework, important dates, and information on the weekly pages. The **weekly report** gets signed at the end of each week regardless if it is empty or not.

We encourage you to aid your child in writing the important dates for the year into their agenda.