Dear Parents/Guardians September 14, 2016

I am so pleased with how well these first two weeks of school have gone! The students are adjusting very well to second grade. Our class has done super on remembering their good behavior choices (we are responsible, ready and respectful). I am so excited to have a chance to work with this great group of children. I am also excited how they are adjusting to the classroom seating.

F.Y.I. - our students have begun to check out books from our library. They are allowed to take these home, however they will need to be returned before the student is allowed to check out another book.

Just a reminder: our class does have snack each morning about 9:45. We do encourage your child to bring a “healthy snack”from home each day. Our classroom is part of the Pea-nut program that teaches the students about healthy eating and exercise. Thanks for your help.

Parents if you are interested in volunteering in the classroom please e-mail me or write me a note. Please include the day and time that is good for you and I will get back to you as soon as I have it all organized. Thanks so much for your interest and help!

In today’s Thursday folder you will find your child’s math homework (it follows what we are doing in our **Go Math** book). Please have your child complete this at home and return it when he/she is finished. It always goes home on Thursday and is due back by the **next Thursday.** Students have a full week to complete the math. Our only additional homework that is expected each week is the practicing of their spelling words (Unit 1 this week) and practicing the addition and subtraction facts 0-10. I would suggest spending 10-15 minutes each night. I have sent home the addition and subtraction math fact flashcards for you to practice. Homework is not meant to overwhelm you or your student. We appreciate your effort in your child’s success!

If you have any questions or concerns about 2nd grade please do not hesitate to call or e-mail me here at school (tkosal[@marlett](mailto:dbranding@marlette.k12.mi.us)eschools.org). I will try and get back to you as quickly as possible.

Thanks! Enjoy the nice weekend!

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