

# Second Grade Fun!

December 18, 2008

Mrs. Bray's Room 16

## Week at a glance

**F**rom Seed to Plant was the nonfiction story this week. We studied how a seed takes root and sprouts into a plant. High frequency and vocabulary words this week are: air, different, food, light, water, beautiful, protects nutrition, ripens, and streams.

In math we continue counting money. We have had the opportunity to buy pretend toys in the classroom. The students really enjoy this activity. Please continue

to provide your child with some coins to practice making money combinations at home. They should be able to draw circles and label up to \$1.00.

In language arts we have been reviewing correct punctuation of sentences and nouns.

This month is generosity and the students have been very generous with each other and the teacher as they learn the importance of sharing.

## Homework Folder

Over the holiday, please read, study math facts, study high frequency/vocabulary words, and count change. You can have your child count coins to you – you can count them out to them etc. Please don't forget to have your students read, read, and read. This helps them in everything they do at school. They especially enjoy reading toy ads. Thank you for your support your students are wonderful.

## Reminders



### Christmas Party

We will be having pizza in the classroom for lunch. If you have not sent \$2.50, please do. We will have our actual party in the afternoon. Activities include decorating and eating gingerbread cookies and a possibility of a Christmas movie. If you have any questions, please contact me.

### Thank you

Thank you for allowing me to be a part of your second grade child's

life. They are a true gift and I enjoy them very much. Please let me know if there is anything that you need from me to make it a better experience.

### Calendar

#### DECEMBER

22-Jan 2 Holiday Break

#### JANUARY

5 School Resumes

14-15 Half Day Grades 9-12 Testing

16 Half Day Grades 9-12 Bldg. Inservice/Testing

16 No School Grades K-8 Inservice End of Sem

19 No School K-12 Martin Luther King Jr.