



Dear Second Grade Families,

This school year has started off fast! Already this week it is time to visit the Fair! On Thursday we will have a half day and then Friday we don't have school.

Last Friday we had a great time seeing Sue, the T-Rex, at the Montshire. I was happy to see how respectful the children were in their groups and with other people at the museum. Thank you to those who were able to chaperone on this trip.

Please remember to be sending in your child's reading journal every day for me to check. I will soon be making phone calls to parents to check in. I apologize that I wasn't able to make it to Open House. I hope that your child was able to show you around and you had a chance to see their work.

Next week in Writing, students will learn how to write a five finger paragraph about their visit to the Tunbridge Fair. In Science, I will be teaching a unit on plants from a kit that I am borrowing from the Montshire. In Math, we are working on doubles and adding three numbers. Please practice addition facts with your child at home. I have noticed that this area needs improvement and we will continue to work on it in class.

On Tuesday, the students will have a Foundation's test on unit 1. Please make sure that you are having your child work on their Foundation's packet. I will collect them on Tuesday. You may send it in earlier if your child has finished it.

I also wanted to remind you that I will be sending out Scholastic book orders on Friday. Have a wonderful weekend, and I hope I see you at the Fair!

Mrs. Hook