

# Second Grade News



April 1st - April 5th



# **Dates to Note**

- April 4: Spring Concert with performances at 10 and 2.
- April 12: Immigration Day
- April 16: In house presentation of "Lincoln"



#### Math facts

Continue working on multiplication facts at home (x3.x4.x5 and x10)

If you are attending the 2 o'Clock concert on April 4<sup>th</sup>, you are welcome to take your child home after the concert.

Concert
Please use the link below
to RSVP to the spring
concert on April 4<sup>th</sup> at 10
and 2:

RSVP for Spring Concert Grades 1-3

### **Spelling Words**

Test on Friday, April 5<sup>th</sup> Columns 49 & 50

steal	comfort
strange	elect
trophy	election
voice	aboard
voices	jail
eight	shed
ate	refuse
afraid	district
uncle	restrain
rather	royal

#### **Spelling City:**

https://www.spellingcity.com/TCA2ndgrade/



# History

We are starting our study of immigration. We are learning about America being perceived as a "land of opportunity" as millions of newcomers arrived, the idea of citizenship, the meaning of *E Pluribus Unum*, entry into America through Ellis Island, and the significance of the Statue of Liberty.

## April Poem



Hurt No Living Thing
Hurt no living thing:
Ladybird, nor butterfly,
Nor moth with dusty wing,
Nor cricket chirping cheerily,
Nor grasshopper so light of leap,
Nor dancing gnat, nor beetle fat,
Nor harmless worms that creep.
~Christina Rossetti~

We will learn about Christina Rossetti and read several of her other poems.

We will also be introducing the students to Emma Lazarus's poem from the Statue of Liberty, but will be working on this at school.

# Sayings for April Practice what you preach Two heads are better than one

Be looking for ways to bring these sayings into your conversations ©