

2ND GRADE NEWS

April 15-19

Here's What's Happening:

Hurt No Living Thing

Due: April 22

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"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."

Spelling Assessment

Lists 53 & 54

throw	duty		
threw	intend		
personal	company		
everything	quite		
rate	quit		
chief	quiet		
perfect	none		
second	knew		
slide	know		
farther	remain		

Service Run: Help your child fill out their service run papers!

Literacy Testing: These are mandatory testing sessions. Please look for an email form your child's teacher.

Mark Your Calendar

Check out the <u>Elementary</u> <u>Events Calendar</u> for dates.

April 15th

Abraham Lincoln
*In-house Field Trip

April 17th

3th and 6th grade concert
*Dress Up Day

April 19th

Immigration Day

April 26th

Service Run

May 2nd and 3rd

Literacy Testing: No School

For Your Information:

Curriculum:

MATH:

Chapter 12 (Time)

Math newsletter: Click <u>here</u>

Core Knowledge:

Immigration

Language Arts:

Cursive and written narration

Immigration Day

Our Immigration Unit specifically focuses on the period of time of Immigration through Ellis Island (1880s – 1950s). Very few of our families will have an ancestor who came through Ellis Island during this time. For Immigration Day, your student may choose to (1) Dress as themselves travelling through Ellis Island. (2) Dress as a family ancestor, as if that person came through Ellis Island. (3) Dress as someone else from a country who did come through Ellis Island (not necessarily from their own family). Our activities for the day will help the children understand what it was like for immigrants who were coming through Ellis Island during this time period.