



# Second Grade News



April 8<sup>th</sup> - April 12<sup>th</sup>



## Dates to Note

- April 12: Immigration Day
- April 16: In house presentation of "Lincoln"



## Notes

## Math facts

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

## Spelling Words

Test on Thursday, April 11<sup>th</sup>

Columns 51 & 52

object	population
objection	proper
pleasure	judge
measure	weather
treasure	whether
navy	worth
four	contain
fourteen	figure
forty	sudden
fourth	instead

## 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 😊