

# 2<sup>nd</sup> grade news

## KES P.R.I.D.E News

**Date: August-September 2020**  
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**School Improvement Goal:** At all levels, we will work to increase parent engagement by improving communication school-wide.



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**School Hours:**

7:45 a.m.-2:45 p.m.

### English Language Arts

We are learning about what makes us special. We will explore how families and friends learn, grow, and help one another. Our comprehension skill is recognizing character, setting, and events. Our vocabulary strategy is using root words and inflectional endings.

### Math

Students will be learning about place value concepts to 1,000. They will discover how to tell if a number is odd or even. They will also be skip counting by 5s, 10s, and 100s. We will be reading and writing numbers in various ways.

### Writing

Students will be working on a personal narrative to go in their portfolios.

### Science/Social Studies

We are learning about the scientific method, lab safety, and science tools. Next, we will be learning about properties of matter and how they can change.

We are doing growth mindset and safety lessons. We are also doing anti-bully lessons.

### UPCOMING DATES TO REMEMBER

- 8/20 Orientation 2:00pm-6:00pm
- 8/24 First day of school
- 9/7 Labor Day, no school
- 9/21 Interim reports
- 9/23 Early Release at 12:15
- 9/24 Virtual Open House/Title 1 night 5:30-7:00
- 9/30 Picture day (Uniforms) and Student of the month lunch

### **Kathleen Elementary Cougars:**

Persevere, are Respectful, have Integrity, are Dependable, and Encourage one another!

### Student of the Month

Students should keep in mind that teachers are looking for students showing P.R.I.D.E characteristics for student of the month.

### NEWS FLASH!!!

Students are working daily to earn 15 Class Dojo points! Make sure you join your child's class on the Class Dojo app. Please make sure students are reading at least 30 minutes every night and writing the title in their agenda. Remember to send your child to school wearing their mask and wash your hands often.

