

October 26, 2015

Dear Family,

Happy Halloween Week!

This week we will be studying bats. We will learn about the different types, the features of bats, and do some experiments that are "batty". In addition, we'll be reading about real bats as well as bats in fiction stories like Stellaluna.

We'll be finishing up on our small moments stories and will continue to revise and edit in preparation for publishing our first pieces. We will celebrate each others' stories through partner and group shares and then the books will go into our class library.

Our Halloween Parade and Party will be on Thursday, October 29th. Please make sure that your second grader has their costume in a bag with their name on it.

The "Homework Checklist" will have another piece to it starting next week. As part of each day, your second grader benefits from reading for 15 minutes each day as "reading for enjoyment" leads to lifelong readers!

Have a spook-tacular week!