

# Second Grade News From Mrs. Ledford!!!!

Please feel free to contact me with any questions or concerns. You can email me at [amy.ledford@gobethany.com](mailto:amy.ledford@gobethany.com) or call the school and leave a message. The school phone number is

451-6683 and my extension is #21.

## Important Dates

March 12<sup>th</sup> - End of Quarter 3

March 19<sup>th</sup> - Half Day (out at noon) \*Not March 26<sup>th</sup>

Theme Dress Day - Sports Day

March 26<sup>th</sup> - Theme Dress Day - Disney Day

## PE and Music

Second grade will be having PE with me at this time. Tuesday will be our PE day at this time. They can wear their PE clothes on this day.

\*We have a new Music teacher for grades K - 2. Her name is Brianna McCulloch and we will have music on Tuesday mornings.

## Homework and Reading Logs

A homework packet will go home each Friday in their "Friday Folders" and it needs to be returned the following Friday. Homework is to reinforce what we are learning or have already learned in class. It teaches responsibility and the development of good study habits. In the homework packet is a reading log. I encourage your student to read 20 minutes each school night. I know at times this can be difficult, so if your student reads on the weekend that can be recorded for a day that might be missed during the week.

Thanks for your cooperation!

\*Please let me know if your student seems to be struggling with any of the assignments in the packet or if the packet has too much work!

## Snack

Please send your student to school with a nutritious snack. Our first snack is in the morning and it helps keep them going until lunch. Things like yogurt, fruit, cheese, crackers and granola bars are good things for first snack.

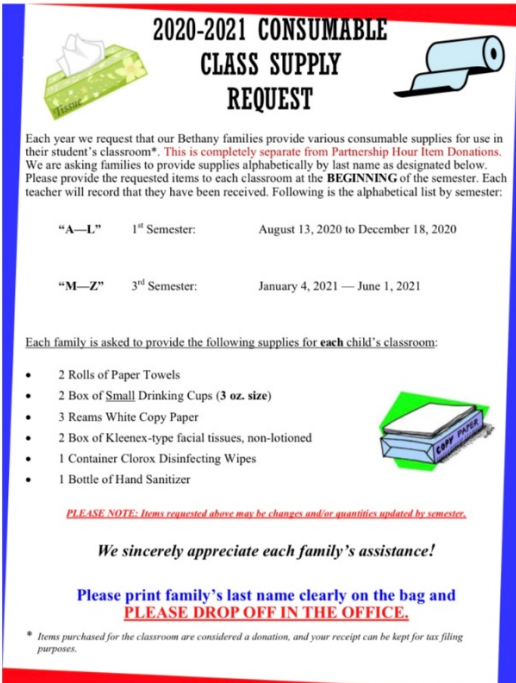
## Labels

Please label things your student brings to school, especially their chapel sweaters. Thanks!

Chapel - We are having Chapel! We are watching through Zoom in our classrooms. Your student should be dressed in Chapel clothing on Wednesdays. Thanks!

## Consumable Supply List - Last names M - Z ( a 1 time donation)

- Thank you for helping us stay clean and healthy! Any extra donations after this can go towards partnership hours.



**2020-2021 CONSUMABLE CLASS SUPPLY REQUEST**

Each year we request that our Bethany families provide various consumable supplies for use in their student's classroom\*. This is completely separate from Partnership Hour Item Donations. We are asking families to provide supplies alphabetically by last name as designated below. Please provide the requested items to each classroom at the **BEGINNING** of the semester. Each teacher will record that they have been received. Following is the alphabetical list by semester:

"A—L" 1<sup>st</sup> Semester: August 13, 2020 to December 18, 2020

"M—Z" 3<sup>rd</sup> Semester: January 4, 2021 — June 1, 2021

Each family is asked to provide the following supplies for **each** child's classroom:

- 2 Rolls of Paper Towels
- 2 Box of **Small** Drinking Cups (3 oz. size)
- 3 Reams White Copy Paper
- 2 Box of Kleenex-type facial tissues, non-lotioned
- 1 Container Clorox Disinfecting Wipes
- 1 Bottle of Hand Sanitizer

*PLEASE NOTE: Items requested above may be changes and/or quantities updated by semester.*

*We sincerely appreciate each family's assistance!*

Please print family's last name clearly on the bag and **PLEASE DROP OFF IN THE OFFICE.**

\* Items purchased for the classroom are considered a donation, and your receipt can be kept for tax filing purposes.

**Weekly News** - Please make sure you read the weekly Eagle that Paula sends out. It is filled with lots of information. Please let me know if you aren't receiving it. Thanks!

**Reminder** - We do have a dress code here at Bethany. Please make sure your student is wearing the correct clothing. Polo shirts need to be red, blue, green or white. Pants should be khaki/tan or blue. Friday is not free dress day! Jeans and spirit shirts are fine for Fridays or the regular school uniform. Thanks so much for your cooperation!


**Masks**- Please have your student keep an extra mask in his/her backpack. Many students are losing and misplacing their masks throughout the day. Thanks so much!

**Planting Fun** - A big thanks to Makayla and Liam and their families for providing us with soil, cups, and seeds. We planted Sunflowers and Marigolds this week and we are excited to water them and watch them grow.

**Subtraction Poem** - This is the poem I use in class to help with borrowing during subtraction. We just started this concept on Thursday. It does take some practice and they are doing great. \*Please continue to work on subtraction facts and even addition facts at home. You can use flashcards, do it in the car or at dinner. Just a few minutes a day will help. Thank you so much!

# Subtraction Poem

More on top?  $\bullet$   $\begin{array}{r} 58 \\ - 5 \\ \hline 53 \end{array}$

No need to stop! 

More on the floor?  $\begin{array}{r} 48 \\ - 8 \\ \hline 40 \end{array}$

Go next door and get ten more!  $\begin{array}{r} 48 \\ - 8 \\ \hline 40 \end{array}$



