

# August

### This week:

**Getting Started.** Our normal class schedule and homework schedule begins on Monday, August 14th. Students will have Study Hall on Monday through Thursday. They should be able to complete their Spelling and Math homework. Reading homework will be sent home in their folders. Any unfinished classwork should also be completed at home. **Thursday is an early release day at 1:00 p.m.**

### Poem of the Month.

#### Weather Ways by Vivian Quaid

Whatever the weather  
we have it each day ...

It's hot,  
or it's cold,  
or it's  
sunny,  
or gray.  
It's blowy,  
or snowy,  
or rainy,  
or clear.



There's **SOME** kind of weather  
each day of the year.

### Be Prepared . . .

Water bottles are encouraged during the hot weather. Please leave toys and electronic devices at home.

Second grade has PE on Friday afternoon. Please make sure your child wears appropriate shoes. A refillable water bottle is recommended.

### Reading.

#### ELA: Paired Text

*Baby Blue Whale*  
Building Vocabulary  
Practicing Fluency  
Writing Sentences/ Beginning

**Writing.** 6-Traits: Ideas – Choosing a Good Topic



**Spelling List.** time are ago old bad red  
of be but you boy have this all  
your out may into him did blue  
chance charge today look little six  
like last good

**Phonograms.** a e i o u c d f g s b qu h j k l  
m n p r t

### Math.

- Identifying and Acting Out "Some, Some Went Away" Stories
- Identifying the Time One Hour Ago and One Hour from Now
- Numbering a Clockface
- Identifying Odd and Even Numbers
- Identifying Ordinal Position to Twelfth
- Addition Facts: Adding 2
- Written Assessment 2
- Identifying Weekdays and Days of the Weekend
- Creating and Reading a Pictograph
- Drawing a Pictograph
- Identifying Polygons
- Identifying Fractional Parts of a Whole

**Science.** Different Kinds of Matter/States of Matter



**Social Studies.** What is a globe?



"You must do the things you think you cannot do."

—Eleanor Roosevelt