

Mr. Derby's Second Grade

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Dear Student and Family,

Your child's math journal for the first half of the school-year is coming home today. There is a note on the front explaining how we use these journals.

We continue to work with "Compliments of 10." Second graders should know these numbers go together without using fingers or a number line (1 with 9, 2 with 8, 3-7, 4-6, 5-5, 0-10). It is also helpful if they memorize all the doubles facts up to 10 ($3+3=6$, $7+7=14$, etc.). Keep practicing with the fact triangles you have at home from earlier this year, and possibly consider getting some addition and subtraction flash cards to practice.

~ Mr. Derby

THEN AND NOW

Please let me know if you need help finding information for the Fort Collins History Project. Keep in mind as you work on the project that there needs to be a written report, a visual project, and a presentation of the report to the class. Please help your child use the information you find to write a report in their own words.

Next week's homework is to write a paragraph about your progress on the project. Projects are due the week of February 26th. We will present projects the week of March 5th.

Next Week's Homework

- * **Math:** HomeLink 7.5 (Doubles and Halves)
- * **Spelling:** Week 22 - _ed and _ing endings.
- * **Fort Collins History Project:** Week 4 - Write a paragraph about your progress on the project.

Person of the Week Lucas

My name is Lucas. I got my name from the Bible and from Star Wars. I have three sisters and zero brothers. My favorite food is chili. I like to play football and soccer. My favorite subject in school is art. One of my adventures is going to Florida with my parents, my cousin, and my grandma and grandpa. One thing that my class doesn't know about me is that I have a grandma who is 98 years old.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- Homework Due Tomorrow:
 - **Math:** HomeLinks 7.3 (Missing Addends) and 7.4 (Who Scored More Points?)
 - **Spelling:** Week 21 - Plurals spelled _s and _es. Write each word two times.
 - **Fort Collins History:** Week 3 Homework - Pick a way to present.
- Valentine's Day Party - February 14