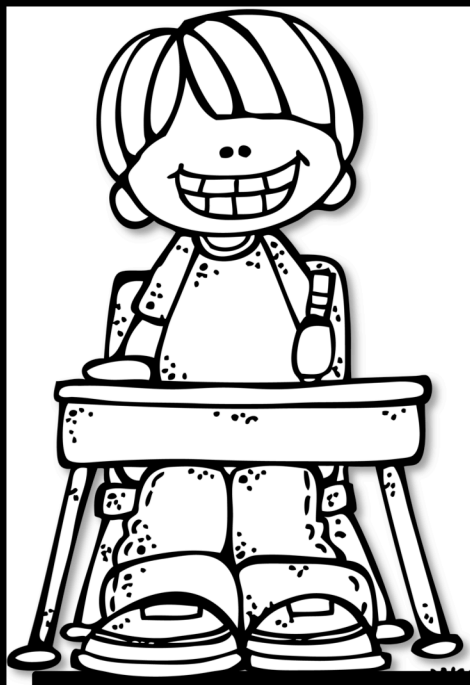

# September 17th - 21st

## Mrs. Nauss' 2nd Grade Class

- 2nd Grade has their STAR Math Test this Tues, 9/18 at 8:05 am. Please make sure students are ON TIME, well-rested, and have eaten a healthy breakfast!
- Sept. Scholastic Orders are due tomorrow, Tues, 9/18. You can either order online or send in the order form to me with a check for the total cost.
- Instructions for Raz Kids are going home today. This is another great option for Reading Homework. It's leveled to their correct level and they work their way up.
- Our first Dollar Denim Day is this Fri, 9/21. Students can bring in $1 (or more) if they'd like to wear jeans to school on Fri. All $ goes to support the Missions.
- For homework this week, students will create a personal timeline for Social Studies with 7 events from their life. They just need to fill out the boxes (writing and colored pictures), we will assemble it together in class.
- If you have any family artifacts that you'd be willing to have your student share, please send in to school with them tomorrow (Tues.).

## Homework

Homework can be checked weekly on the "Homework" link on our website second.stellamarisacademy.org

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| Every Day | Read 15-20 min., and record on reading log calendar |
| Monday | Reading log & S.S. Timeline (due Fri) |
| Tuesday | Reading log & Math pages 19-20 |
| Wednesday | Reading log & Math pages 21-22 |
| Thursday | Reading log & Math pages 23-24 |
| Friday | Reading log |

## Events

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| Mon, 9/17 | 8 am Mass |
| Tues, 9/18 | 8:05 am STAR Math Test<br>Send in Family Artifacts<br>Pizza Lunch |
| Wed, 9/19 | Regular Schedule |
| Thurs, 9/20 | Regular Schedule |
| Fri, 9/21 | S.S. Timeline Due Today!<br>Dollar Denim Day |

## Learning Targets

**English Language Arts (ELA):** Daily 5 routines, Accuracy and Expand Vocabulary strategies, Read-to-Self, Work on Writing, and Read to Someone practice. Publishing and sharing our first writing pieces. Finishing the first Fundations Unit (reviewing digraphs, digraph blends, the /k/ sound, and closed syllables).
**Math:** Introducing addition and subtraction word problems. Vocabulary: put together, take apart, unknown number, addend, sum, total.
**Social Studies:** Continuing our "People Now and Long Ago" Unit by creating our own personal timelines (homework), analyzing artifacts, and discussing communication, transportation, and traditions.
**Science:** Continuing our "Think Like an Engineer" Unit with the story "Those Darn Squirrels." We will create model drawings for effective bird feeders.
**Religion:** Discussing an overview of the 7 sacraments. Vocabulary: sacrament, Baptism, First Reconciliation, First Eucharist/Communion, Confirmation, Holy Orders, Matrimony, & Anointing of the Sick.
**Specials:** Scheduled as usual.