

So You're Going To Second Grade

You need to know:

- to distinguish left and right
- the addition and subtraction facts to 18 (mastery)
- the sounds that consonants and vowels make
- how to write all upper and lower case letters correctly and legibly
- to continue to develop good listening skills
- students are expected to become independent workers
- students are to continue to follow oral directions and begin to read and interpret written directions independently
- any class work not completed during the day is to be completed for homework
- students are expected to work quietly at their desks and learning centers; not disturbing others from learning
- homework is assigned Monday -Thursday, lasting 15-20 minutes per night in addition to pleasure reading for 15 minutes each night
- students are responsible for keeping a neat and organized desk
- students are expected to handle all textbooks, library books and teaching materials with care
- students should **know** and be able to tell personal information: full name, birth date, address and phone number
- students should bring a **nutritious** (non-sticky, no candy) snack to eat in the mornings - no drinks
- students use a school provided agenda to record daily assignments and homework
- students should be able to write at least 3 detail sentences about a given topic
- students should be able to write at least 2 different kinds of sentences using descriptive language
- demonstrate competency of the technology skills listed on the attached sheet

During the summer you should:

- visit the library and read lots of books
- work on flash cards - addition and subtraction through 20
- practice interval counting by 2's, 5's 10's...
- count money with dad or mom and practice making change
- look at the clock and tell the time
- practice writing a creative story each week