Grade 2 Weekly Overview Week 12: November 16th – 20th

Unit of Inquiry: Where We Are in Place and Time **Central Idea**: History impacts who we are today.

Lines of Inquiry:

- How people lived in the past (form).
- Beliefs and traditions that are valued today (connection).
- Historical events that have impacted on society (causation).

We are finding out what life in the UAE was like for people in the past. If you have any photos of the UAE from the past, your child's class would love to see them. If you have any items of how people lived in the past, such as clothing, tools, cooking, school books, these would be great to send to school as well!

English Language Arts:

- Daily 5 Throughout the literacy lesson, students are reading to themselves, reading to a
 friend, working on their writing independently, listening to reading and practicing making
 words. Students are also reading with their teacher in small groups.
- Writing: Students are writing <u>opinions</u>. They are writing how they feel about something and reasons to support why they feel this way. For example: "I like this book because..."
 "I do not like this book because..."

Phonics: ea

Spelling: put, end, does, another, head, dead, bread, spread, today, yesterday.

Math: Everyday Math Unit 4

- Addition and subtraction number stories.
- Parts and total number stories.

Upcoming Events and Notices:

Grade 2 Heritage Village Field Trip
Wednesday, November 19th – Ms. Roseanne, Ms. Emily, Ms. Jessica, Ms. Ita
Thursday, November 20th – Ms. Gill, Ms. Sarah, Ms. Veronica, Ms. Ita

UAE National Day – Please send any decorations that you have to help our class and grade celebrate and decorate our school!

School begins at 7:20am in the Blue Playground.
Students begin lessons at 7:30am
School finishes at 2:45pm and 12:30pm on Tuesdays

Assessment:

- Everyday Math Unit 3 Assessment
- Thursday, November 13th Spelling test
- Thursday, November 13th Basic math facts test