

Grade 2 Weekly Overview
Week 18: January 18th – 22nd

Unit of Inquiry: How the World Works

Central Idea: People create solutions to changing landforms.

Lines of Inquiry:

- Identify landforms on a map.
- Factors that change landforms.
- Features of a solution.

Teacher Questions:

In Grade 2 we are trying to find the answers to the following questions:

1. What is a landform?
2. What is a map?
3. How does a landform change?
4. Why do we need solutions?
5. Is there always a solution?

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 learning to write *procedures*. Procedures explain how to do something. For example, how to play a game or following a recipe. Please follow this link to our Grade 2 website for more information – [procedure writing](#).
- Grammar: Present and past tense. A present tense verb means the action is taking place now. Past tense refers to verbs where the action has already happened. For example: He *went* to the show. *Went* is past tense. I *jumped* on my bed. *Jumped* is past tense.

Phonics: -nd

Spelling: change, off, play, air, send, remind, stand, land, river, ocean

Math: Everyday Math Unit 5

- Please find the Parent Letter and Home Links on our [website](#).
- 3D and 2D Shapes: We are learning about different shapes, polygons, parallel lines and symmetry.
- Math Games and Resources can be found on our [Grade 2 weebly](#).

Upcoming Events and Notices:

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:

- Thursday, January 22nd – Spelling test
- Thursday, January 22nd – Basic Math Fact test