

# Forest Ridge Elementary School



Welcome to 2nd Grade  
Back to School Night!!!

# Second Grade Team

Maura Burke- Teacher

Katie Leser- Teacher (Team Leader)

Michelle Robinson-Teacher

Carol Spaulding- Para Educator

Donna Tiffey -Teacher

James Wright - Teacher



# Second Grade Team's Specialists


Bailey Green, Karen Gates, Jeanne Powell,  
Wensus - Special Education Teachers

Estelle Duberry- ESOL Teacher

Kim Clawson - GT Teacher

Nikia Darden- Reading Specialist

# Let's take a look at the schedule...



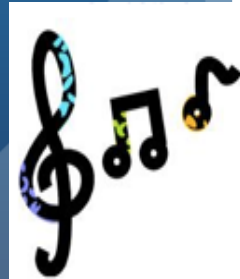
9:00 - 9:20	Morning Work/Greeting
9:20 - 9:35	Community Circle & SEL
9:35 - 10:20	Content
10:20 - 11:20	Recess/Lunch
11:20 - 12:35	Math
12:35 - 2:30	Language Arts
2:30 - 3:30	Related Arts
3:35 - 3:55	Dismissal



# Related Arts



Our class sprinkles for related arts.



# F.R.E.S.

Focus. Respect. Effort. Safety

Classroom PBIS:

- Class Puzzle
- Eagle Egg Prize Menu

# Lunch



Lunch cost is \$2.75. Milk cost is \$0.50 (if bought separately), Salad Bar is included with lunch but is also available a la carte for \$1.75.

To pay for lunch, cash can be brought to school or you can, put funds on POS via the HCPSS website. If your child comes in with money, please put it in a plastic bag with their name on it.



# Attendance - Policy 9010

Doors open at 9:00. Parents are required to stop by the office to receive a tardy slip for their child if they arrive after 9:15.

Students must bring a dated note after returning from an absence in order for it to be considered a lawful absence. Students may only make up work if the absence is excused.

September						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30				

Phases of the moon: 2:00 8:00 15:00 24:00



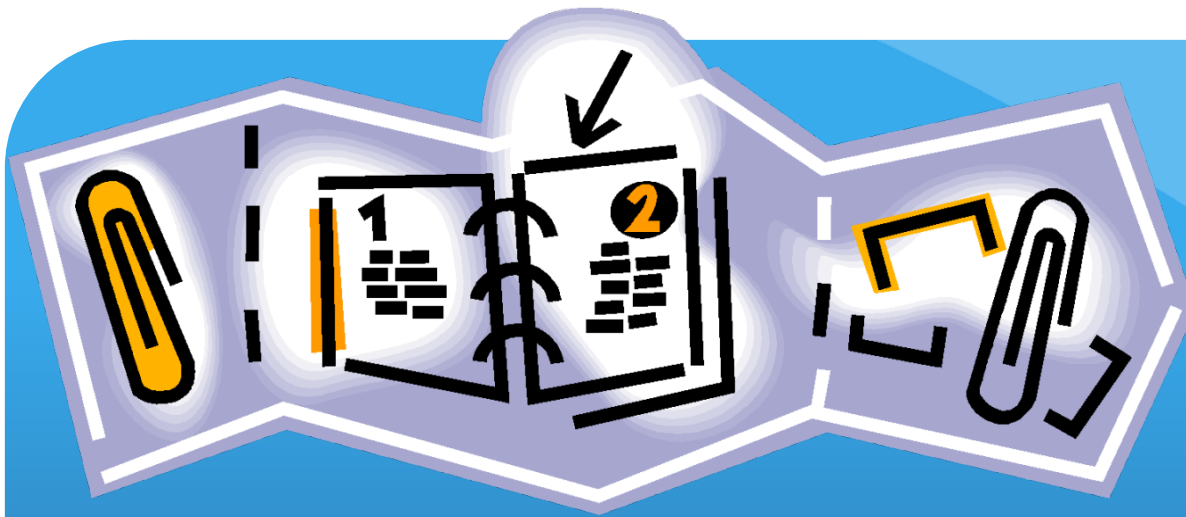
# Emergency Information



To ensure we can reach you, it is vital that your child's emergency information is filled out and updated throughout the year on Family File.

In the case of an emergency, it is imperative that we know how your child will be getting home if an early dismissal is necessary.





## Homework:

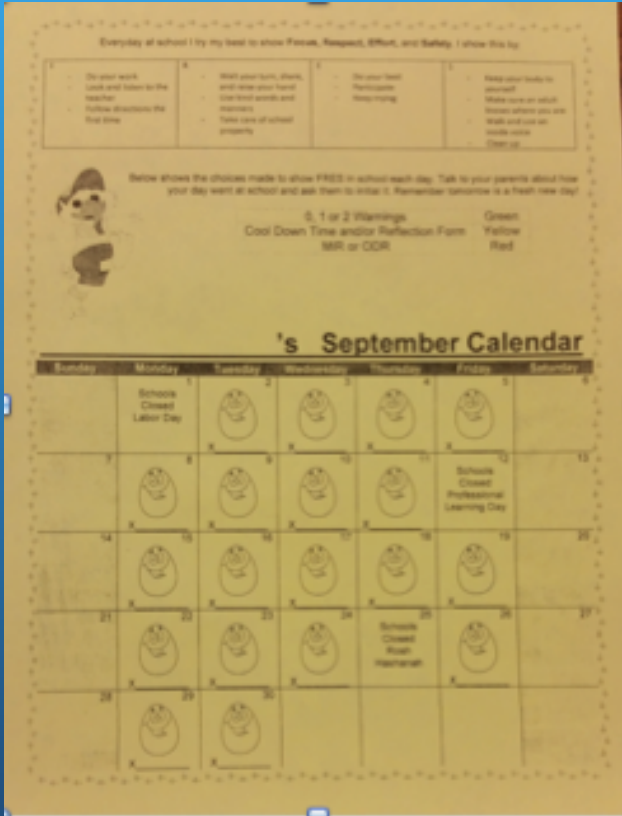
Our formal homework program will begin on Monday, **Oct. 1.**

Team 2 will follow the HCPSS guidelines for homework. Second graders should be completing a total of 20 minutes of homework a night.

Each student will receive a reading log and a math activity sheet. They should be reading at least 20 minutes on Monday and Wednesday and choosing a math choice board activity Tuesday and Thursday. Reading logs and math activity sheets should be turned in at the end of the month.

Homework is an effort grade

# Eagle Egg Calendar



Forest Ridge continues to send home a daily calendar where each student records their behavior for the day.

In order to increase communication between the teacher and parent, the calendar is to be signed and returned each day. This will also be in your child's **Take Home** folder every day starting in October.

# Grading Policy

In second grade students are assessed for both academics and effort.

Academic Marks  
Grades

Effort

**I** - I got it!

Excellent, your best  
effort

(Independent)

**1** -

**W** - With adult help I can  
do it  
(With Assistance)

**2** - You tried a little, you  
may have needed . . .  
reminders

**N** - Needs more learning  
better and practice  
(Not Apparent at this time)

**3** - Please give  
effort

# Attention Parent Volunteers!

- If you would like to volunteer please email me with your availability. :)
- All volunteers must complete an online module...link is on FRES website.

# Reminders Update with your info

- **Label** all coats, backpacks, lunch boxes, etc.
- Please check your child's **Take Home folder** each night. Look for FRES papers on Thursday.
- Eagle Egg Calendar remains inside **Take Home Folder**.
- Remember to check your child's lunch account to ensure there are sufficient funds.
- Open communication- written note, email, phone call
  - [katherine\\_leser@hcpss.org](mailto:katherine_leser@hcpss.org)
  - 410-880-5950

# Thank you for attending Back to School Night!

**We look forward to a  
year of  
collaboration and  
success!**

