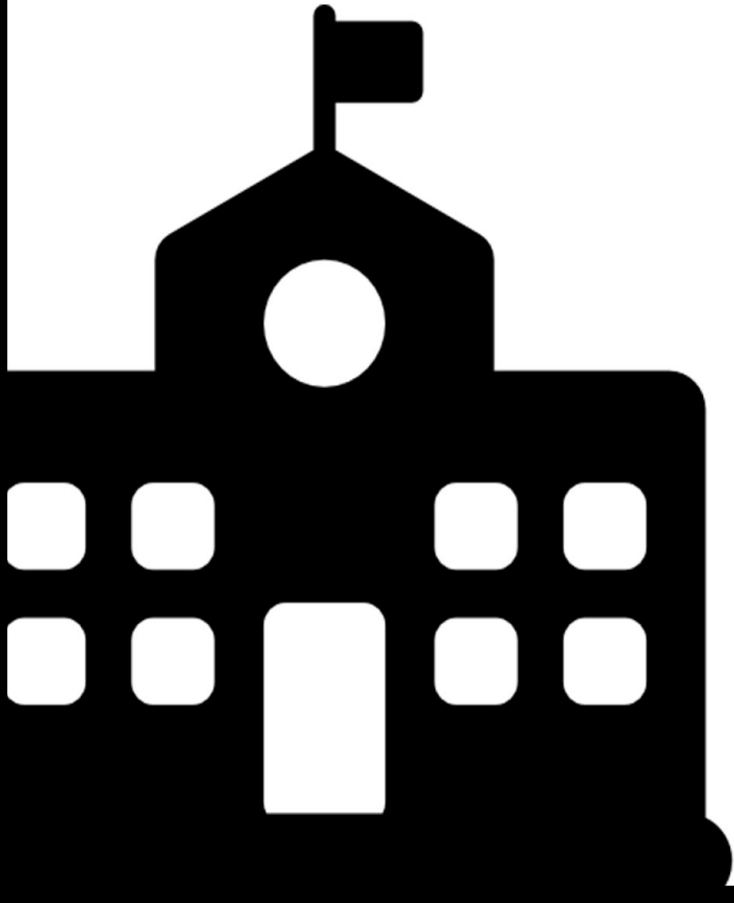


WELCOME TO

parent
night

Second Grade
2022-2023



ALL ABOUT YOUR TEACHER



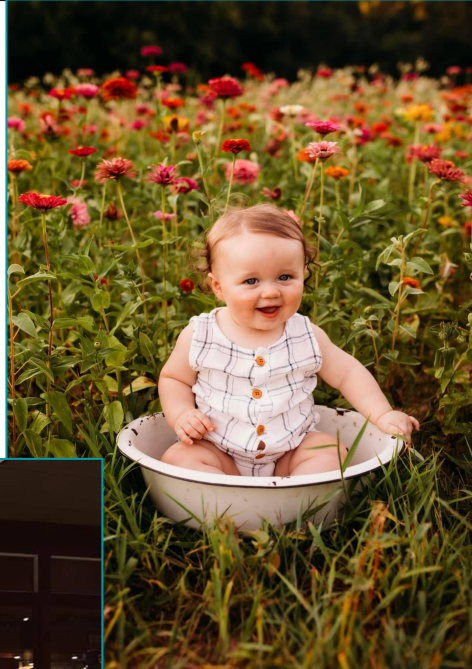
My name is Rebekah Craft. This is my twentieth year teaching. I have graduated three times! First from Lakeside High School in Hot Springs, Arkansas then from Arkansas State University with a Bachelor's Degree in Early Childhood Education, and then from Harding University with a Master's Degree in Reading. I also have my reading specialist endorsement for grades K-12. I began my teaching career in first grade where I taught for eight years. I then moved to fourth grade where I taught literacy for nine years. I am beginning my third year teaching second grade. I love to incorporate my experiences with younger and older grades. I have been happily married to my husband, Drew for eighteen years. We have one daughter, Cora, who is 13 years old and one son, Sutton who is 10 years old.

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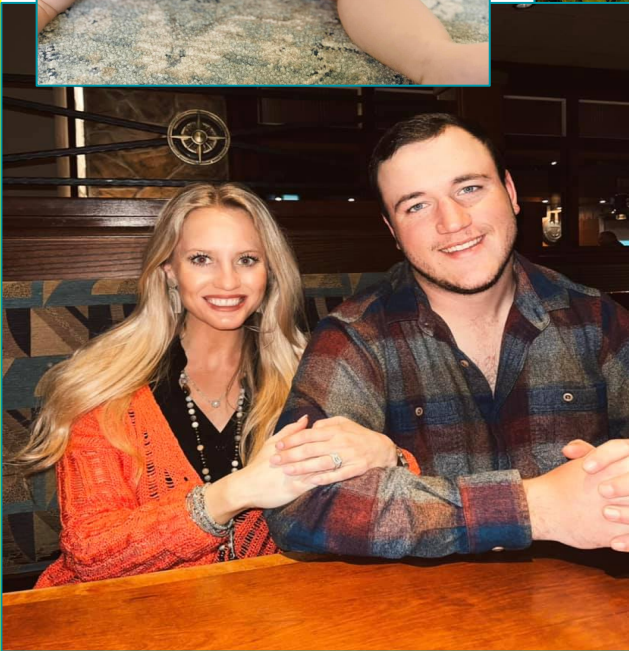
My name is Natalie Hulett. This is my 5th year teaching. I graduated from Arkansas State University with a BSE in Elementary Education, a Master's in Reading, and a Specialist in Reading. I have been married to my husband, Kevin, for almost 5 years and we have a beautiful 14 month old daughter, Andi Kate. I love to read, hang out with my family, and go out to eat. Let's have the best year ever!

ALL ABOUT YOUR TEACHER



My name is Jillian Mote. I am so excited to be your child's 2nd grade teacher. I graduated with my Bachelor's in Elementary Education and a Master's in Reading. My husband and I were born and raised in Jonesboro and have been married for 3 years. We have one precious boy named Karter who will be turning ONE this November. In my free time, I love to spend time with family, go to the lake, and be outdoors as much as possible.

Here's to a GREAT year!



ALL ABOUT YOUR TEACHER



My name is Lori Adams. I am so glad to be your child's teacher this year. This is my 21st year teaching. I have a Bachelor's Degree from ASU in Early Childhood Education. I also have received my Master's Degree from ASU in Educational Theory and Practice. I am married to my husband Ken. Together we have a total of 5 children. I have 3 daughters. Chloe is 19, Rylee is 17, and Maggie is 13. I also have a bonus daughter, Jessica, who is in the Air Force and my bonus son, Tyler. I have taught 1st, 5th, and 6th grade before I moved to 2nd grade. This is my 3rd year to teach 2nd grade. I love to read and travel.

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Remind: Sign up if you haven't :)



DAILY FOLDER

Your child will bring home a colored folder every day in their backpack.

Please check this daily for important information and the work we are completing in class.



ATTENDANCE POLICY



If your child is absent
send a note on the day
they return.

CLASSROOM MANAGEMENT

International Studies 2nd Grade Discipline Plan 2022-23

- Be Kind
- Keep hands to self
- Be Helpful
- Be quiet in the hallway and while someone else is talking
- Make good choices and follow directions

If You Choose to Break a Rule:

1ST Offense: Warning (W) on Clipboard

2ND Offense: Checkmark (✓) on Clipboard

3RD Offense: Second checkmark (✓) on Clipboard; parent contact/minor

4TH Offense: Third Checkmark (✓) on clipboard; Major Referral to the Office

*Severe disruptions will be sent immediately to the office with a Major Report.

*Check marks start fresh each day.

*A courtesy call or text will be made if your child has been on the clipboard multiple times throughout the week.

*3 minors in a week could result in a Major Report

2nd GRADE *weekly schedule*

M	T	W	T	F
7:55-8:20 Attendance, Pledge, Lunch Count, Breakfast				
8:20-9:00 Word Study				
9:00 – 10:10 CKLA				
10:10-10:40 Writing				
10:40-11:20 Activity Period				
11:25-12:05 Lunch and Recess				
12:05-12:35 Independent Reading/EPIC				
12:35-1:05 WIN				
1:05-2:35 Math Lesson, Math Groups, Imagine/Zearn				
2:35-2:55 Extra Recess				
2:55-3:00 Pack Up Procedures				
3:00 Dismissal				

SPECIALS

Teacher	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Hulett	Art	P.E.	Music	Spanish	Library
Craft	PE	Music	Spanish	Library	Art
Mote	Music	Spanish	Library	Art	P.E.
Adams	Library	Art	P.E.	Music	Spanish

- 10:40-11:20 every day
- Wear tennis shoes on P.E. day

ARRIVAL & DISMISSAL

3:00 - First Route Buses

3:10 - Walkup and Walkers

3:10 - Car line starts calling

3:15 - Cane Academy

3:25 - Second Route Bus

3:35 - All remaining car riders to
the awning



SNACK INFORMATION

September 2	House Party
October 10	Dia de la Raza “Day of the Race”
October 28	House A Ween (Monster Bash)
December 16	House Holidays
January 13	New Years House Party
February 14	Chinese New Year & Valentine Parties
March 3	House Party
May 5	Cinco de Mayo
May 19	End of Year Event Day

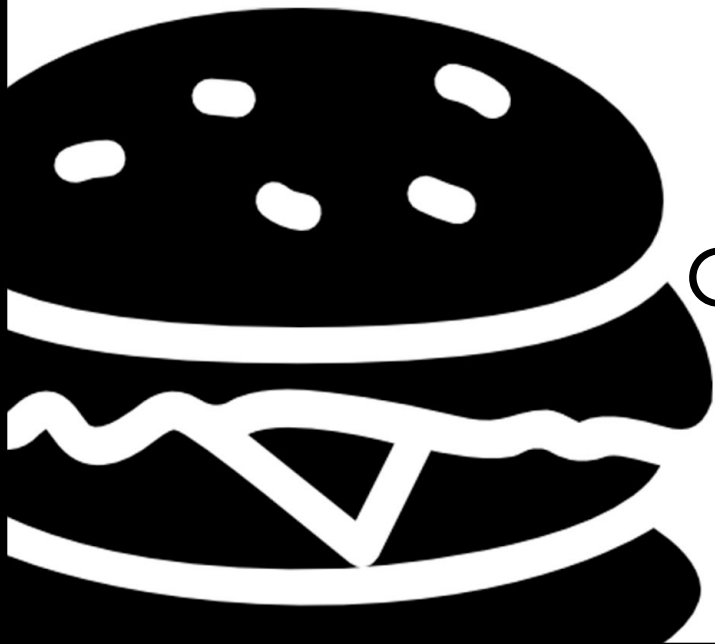
I will send out a sign up through Remind before event days asking for volunteers to send items.

We are not allowed to celebrate student birthdays with treats sent to our classroom.

LUNCH SCHEDULE

2nd Grade Lunch is 11:25-11:45

n Recess is 11:45-12:05



Parents are invited to
come eat with **your**
child in our courtyard
any day.

RECESS INFORMATION

We have two 20 minute recesses every day. One is after lunch and our second recess is 2:35-2:55.



If you plan on checking your child out early from school please let us know so we can have them packed before we go out to recess. We are watching 100 kids and it makes it easier for us if we know ahead of time.

HOMework

- Read at home, as needed
- Review math papers in folder
- Practice word study pattern of the week



Homework is always optional - it is never for a grade :)

CURRICULUM

Word Study

Curriculum: 95%

Reading

Curriculum: CKLA

Writing

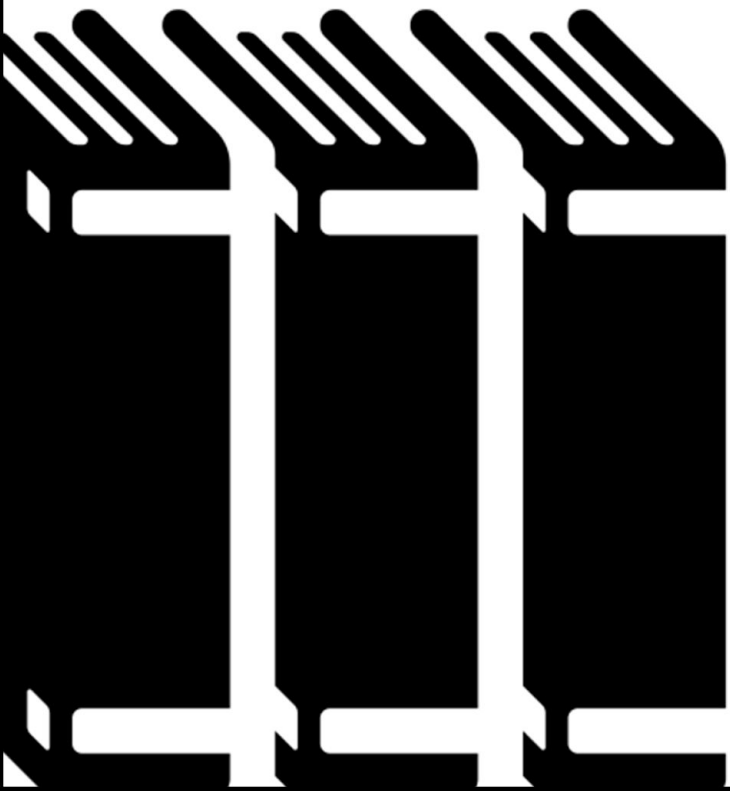
Curriculum: Writing Studio

Math

Curriculum: iReady

BOOK ORDERS

I will send home monthly Scholastic book orders. When you order, you are supplying our classroom with FREE books!



FIELD TRIPS

We try to have at least one field trip a year. We do not have one planned for this year. As soon as we know, we will let you know.



HOUSE INFORMATION

LYSSNA

Language: Swedish
Meaning: Listen
Color: Yellow
Mascot: Owl



KANNUSTAA

Language: Finnish
Meaning: Encourage
Color: Blue
Mascot: Wolf



SACHET

Language: Hindi
Meaning: Attentive
Color: Orange
Mascot: African Elephant



ZIMISELE

Language: African
Meaning: Determined
Color: Red
Mascot: Lioness



EINFÜHLUNG

Language: German
Meaning: Empathy
Color: Purple
Mascot: Orca



KULEANA

Language: Hawaiian
Meaning: Responsible
Color: Green
Mascot: Dolphin



HOUSE INFORMATION

- House Meetings every Friday
- 2 outside events per semester
- Ron Clark app to see points

PATHS

What does PATHS do?

- Purchase things for staff and students
- Helps with special events
 - Monster Bash
 - End of Year Party
 - So much more!

PATHS

- President: Amanda Windmeyer
- Email: ispathsgroup@gmail.com
- Facebook: International Studies
Magnet School PATHS group



LOST & FOUND



The Lost and Found is located in the hallway that leads to first and second grade. To help with our Lost and Found, please add your student's name to lunchboxes, water bottles, jackets, and hoodies.

THANK YOU

Thank you for attending Parent Information Night! Your dedication to your child's education makes all the difference. I am so thankful we are on this journey together. We make the best team!

