

Weekly Homework

Math - A math worksheet will be sent home nightly to be turned in the very next day.

Spelling Activities - Students are to complete three spelling activities from the handout found in their T.I.G.E.R. binder. All activities should be stapled/clipped and turned in on Friday.

Reading - Students are to read for a minimum of 20 minutes each night and record their reading on a reading log. Students also need to read to a parent or guardian for one minute using their Reading Fluency sheet. The number of words read incorrectly and read correctly need to be recorded along with parent initials. This is handed out on Mondays and due on Friday.

Writing - A writing topic is given each week. Please follow the guidelines below:

There are four parts to this assignment.

- 1. Brainstorm ideas
- 2. Write a sloppy copy / rough draft on regular notebook paper
- 3. Edit writing review writing rubric below
- 4. Write final paper

Writing rubric (2nd grade requirements)

- 5. Proper capitalization
- 6. Proper punctuation
- 7. Proper spelling
- 8. Stay focused on the topic
- 9. Write an introduction / topic sentence that tells what we are writing about
- 10. Write a closing sentence that wraps up the paragraph

Please help make this fun for your child. It's okay to guide them through this the first couple of times and slowly release your assistance. Share ideas, help them write complete sentences with plenty of adjectives, and refer to the rubric requirements frequently.

Let's make this a fun assignment!

Vocabulary - Review vocabulary included in the newsletter with your student. Flash cards are a good way to do this.