



Ms. Olson's

2<sup>nd</sup> Grade

Week of November 8th - 12th

**This week.** Choir has been changed to Wednesday and Friday only. Students eat breakfast from 7:45-8:00 and then attend Choir until 8:45.

**Poem of the Month.**

*My Shadow* Robert Louis Stevenson

I have a little shadow that goes in and out with me,  
And what can be the use of him is more than I can see.  
He is very, very like me from the heels up to the head;  
And I see him jump before me, when I jump into my bed.

The funniest thing about him is the way he likes to grow—  
Not at all like proper children, which is always very slow;  
For he sometimes shoots up taller like an India-rubber ball,  
And he sometimes gets so little that there's none of him at all.

He hasn't got a notion of how children ought to play,  
And can only make a fool of me in every sort of way.  
He stays so close beside me, he's a coward you can see;  
I'd think shame to stick to nurse as that shadow sticks to me!

One morning, very early, before the sun was up,  
I rose and found the shining dew on every buttercup;  
But my lazy little shadow, like an arrant sleepy-head,  
Had stayed at home behind me and was fast asleep in bed.

**Calendar.**

This week we will observe Veteran's Day on Thursday, November 11th. The week of November 22nd, we will have a full day Monday, and Early Release on Tuesday, November 23rd. School will be closed in observance of Thanksgiving from November 24th through the 27th.

**ELA: Literary Text**

*Fairy Tale: The Elves and the Shoemaker*

*Poetry: Bed in Summer*

Building Vocabulary

Practicing Fluency

Writing Sentences/Beginning

Paragraphs

Daily Language Review



**Spelling Words.** (Tested on Friday, November 12th)

most made said says say  
work our more when from  
form wind wind print air fill  
along lost name room hope  
same glad with mine

**Phonograms.** (Tested on Friday, November 12th)

a e i o u g n w y th ou  
ea wh ed oa oe ng igh  
rh augh

**Math.**

- Counting Dimes, Nickels, and Pennies
- Identifying a Line of Symmetry
- Creating a Symmetrical Design
- Adding Two-Digit Numbers (Using Dimes and Pennies) Pt. 1
- Adding Two-Digit Numbers Pt. 2

**Science.**

Geology: Land Changes

*How Does the Land Change?*

**Social Studies.** Civics: Rights and Freedoms

Personal & Civic

Responsibilities

Learning About Veteran's Day