Welcome Bowman Second Graders!

Dear Second Grader,

I am looking forward to a wonderful year helping you learn! Be ready to read, write and learn about many new things.

Here are some things that you can practice for a successful start in second grade:

- ❖ Be sure to read, read, read! Remember, the more you read, the more you know! Read by yourself, to a friend or a family member.
- ❖ Review the Words to Know list here: Words to Know
- ❖ Practice single digit addition math facts (ex: 9+9) and subtraction facts up to 18.
- ❖ Count forwards to 120 starting from any number. Count by 2s, 5s and 10s, too.
- ❖ Practice writing sentences with correct word wall words and conventions. A simple journal about what you did this summer would be a great way to reinforce your writing skills.
- ❖ The Bowman rules are that we all are "Reflective, Respectful, Responsible".

Be ready for class. Here are the link to the supplies that all second graders will need to have when they start school: Bowman School Supply Lists K-2

The children in our class will also need:
1 2-pocket folder (design/color your choice)
1 pink eraser

Hello, parents!
        In order to make your child's first day of school a smooth and easy one, please help by making sure his/her supplies are ready to use. Take all of the supplies out of the packaging. Sharpen all #2 pencils ahead of time. Place 3 pencils, 1 pink eraser, 1 box of crayons, 2 glue sticks, 1 dry erase marker and scissors inside the supply box. Then, put all of the extra supplies inside of a large Ziploc bag labeled with your child's name. Also, take the headphones from the packaging and put them in a separate gallon ziplock bag with your child's name on it. _**Bring ALL of the supplies to school with you on your scheduled conference day.**_ Also, you may want to stock up during back to school sales (especially glue sticks) for extras to replenish in January. With your help, we can start learning and doing great things right away! We are going to have a wonderful year. See you soon!

Sincerely,

Erin Ferguson