**Grade 2 – Home Learning Kits**

**Reading**

* **It is very important that students keep up with their reading and continue to read every day.**
* **There are 3 levelled books and 2 story books to share and a log sheet in the kit.**
* **Students can read the books more than once.**
* **They can also read books from home.**
* **Make sure you record all books read on the log sheet.**

**Writing**

* **There is a journal, along with word lists and a list of topics to write about. Students can choose their own topic as well.**
* **Students can do a journal writing each day.**
* **Remember to begin and end sentences the right way. Start with a capital and end with (?/./!).**
* **Tell good details about the topic. A sentence tells a whole idea.**
* **You can draw a picture to go with it.**

**Word Work**

* **The 8 Sight Word lists are important for the students to know and help with their reading and writing skills.**
* **Once students know all words on both sides of the sheet, they can work on the activities for each level.**
* **For each level, they can work on spelling the words, writing sentences using the words, word search for each word list and word scramble. Can you unscramble the words to spell each word from the list correctly?**
* **Students need to build their knowledge of vowels and blends, so there is also an activity on each of these for every level.**
* **Each day, they can read the words, try to spell them, and do one activity sheet.**
* **Just work on one level at a time. Do not move on, until you know all the words and can spell them for the level. Start at A and work your way to H.**
* **If you make it through all lists A-H, there is a Grade 2 Sight Word list you can start working on.**

**Math**

* **Included in the math activities is a sheet with different card and dice games you can play, along with a deck of cards and dice.**
* **There are 4 different games that you can play more than once. These are in sheet protectors and the counters you need are there too.**
* **In the book, there are math activity pages to work on and a 100 chart and number line you can use.**
* **Each day the students can choose 1 or 2 games to play and do one activity sheet.**
* **Students can also work on counting out loud by 1s, 2s, 5s and 10s. Try going forwards and backwards. Practice writing the numbers down too.**

**There will be other information, activities, and websites you can use posted to our class page on the school website.** [**http://nelsonrural.nbed.nb.ca/**](http://nelsonrural.nbed.nb.ca/)

**Thank you for your support!**

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