

Second Grade News

Quarter 3 Week 3 (Virtual Week)

FOCUS FOR THE WEEK

Phonics First: ee /ē/ and -oe /ō/

Reading: Ask and answer such questions as who, what, where, when, why, and how to demonstrate understanding of key details in a text. Identify the main topic of a multi-paragraph text as well as the focus of specific paragraphs within the text.

Language Arts: Use adjectives and adverbs and choose between them depending on what is to be modified.

Math: Add and subtract within 1000 using concrete models or drawings and strategies based on place value, properties of operations, and/or the relationship between addition and subtraction

Science: describe and classify various substances according to physical properties

Social Studies: : The students will identify national historic figures that exemplify fundamental democratic values, including equality, justice, and the responsibility for the common good; recognize our country's Founding Fathers.

Tests	Due Date
Math-	
Reading-	
Language Arts-	
Social Studies-	
Science-	

Mark your
Calendar

Spelling Words

Seed, fee, bee, see, keep,
feet, tree, green, toe, Joe,
tiptoe, toenail

Notes to Parents

Virtual Learning Week January 18-21

There will be **No Live Lessons** taught during this week.

*Attached are paper copies of the work that is to be completed during virtual week. All of this work must be completed and turned in on the day the students return to school.

We hope that you all stay well during this time and look forward to being back at school with the students.

Red Words

New:

whose, only

Review:

great, knew, off, sure,
said, such, much, know,
could, would, should,
new, too, also, once,
always, its

Name: _____

Date: _____

Directions: While reading the paragraph, highlight the main idea and underline supporting details. Then add them to the graphic organizer below.

Should You Fear Sharks?

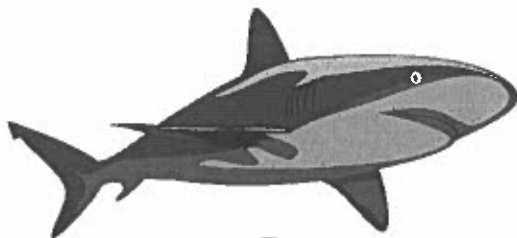
How afraid of sharks should you actually be? Shark attacks are more rare than we are led to believe. Did you know that for every person killed by a shark, humans kill approximately two million sharks. In fact, sharks find humans too bony to eat as a regular food source. Therefore, many of shark attacks are accidents caused by other factors, like low visibility or humans looking like other prey, such as seals. Shark experts claim there are many precautions that we can take to avoid a shark encounter, such as don't swim at dawn or dusk when sharks feed, don't splash a bunch in big murky waves, and stay close to shore.

Main Idea:

Supporting Detail 1:

Supporting Detail 2:

Supporting Detail 3:



Name: _____

Date: _____

Directions: While reading the paragraph, highlight the main idea and underline supporting details. Then answer the questions below.

Should You Fear Sharks?

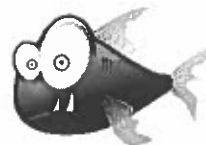
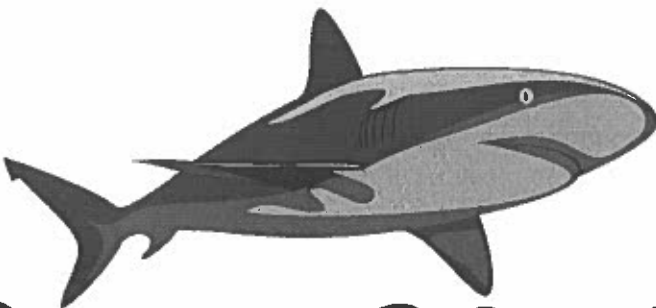
How afraid of sharks should you actually be? Shark attacks are more rare than we are led to believe. Did you know that for every person killed by a shark, humans kill approximately two million sharks. In fact, sharks find humans too bony to eat as a regular food source. Therefore, many of shark attacks are accidents caused by other factors, like low visibility or humans looking like other prey, such as seals. Shark experts claim there are many precautions that we can take to avoid a shark encounter, such as don't swim at dawn or dusk when sharks feed, don't splash a bunch in big murky waves, and stay close to shore.

1. What is the main idea of this paragraph?

- A Shark attacks are more rare than we are led to believe.
- B Humans are too boney to eat as a regular food source.
- C Sharks are fascinating creatures.
- D Don't swim at dawn or dusk when sharks feed.

2. Fill in the bubble for all of the supporting details listed below.

- A Sharks are amazing swimmers.
- B For every person killed by a shark, humans kill approximately two million sharks.
- C Sharks find humans too bony to eat as a regular food source.
- D Many shark accidents are caused by other factors, such as low visibility or humans looking like prey.



Name: _____

Date: _____

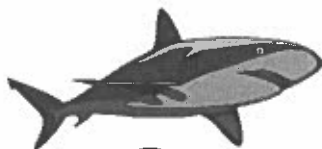
Directions: While reading the paragraph, highlight the main idea and underline supporting details. Then answer the questions below.

Should You Fear Sharks?

How afraid of sharks should you actually be? Shark attacks are more rare than we are led to believe. Did you know that for every person killed by a shark, humans kill approximately two million sharks. In fact, sharks find humans too bony to eat as a regular food source. Therefore, many of shark attacks are accidents caused by other factors, like low visibility or humans looking like other prey, such as seals. Shark experts claim there are many precautions that we can take to avoid a shark encounter, such as don't swim at dawn or dusk when sharks feed, don't splash a bunch in big murky waves, and stay close to shore.

1. What is the main idea of this paragraph?

2. Identify two key details and explain how they support the main idea.



A Life of Fairytales

Long ago a baby boy was born in Denmark. His parents named him Hans Christian. 15

No one could have guessed that he would grow up to be a well-known author. This 32

is the true story of his life. As a little boy, he loved to pretend. He made a toy 51

theater. He liked to make costumes for his puppets. But most of all he loved to 67

read plays and books. When he was eleven, Hans Christian's father died. Hans 80

Christian had to work to make money for his family. He had jobs with a weaver, a 97

tailor, and even worked in a cigarette factory. People were often mean to him and 112

he felt alone and sad. When he was fourteen, Hans Christian worked in a theater. 127

A man there was interested in the shy boy and paid for him to go to school. But 145

life at school was even worse. The other students, and even the teachers, treated 159

him unkindly. Also, learning was very difficult for him. His teachers told him not to 174

write, but Hans Christian didn't listen. As a young man, he wrote several books. 188

He also started writing fairytales. At first people weren't interested in those kinds 201

of stories, but slowly they became more popular. When Hans Christian Andersen 213

died, he was known throughout the world as a talented author. And people still 227

read his fairytales today. His stories like *The Steadfast Tin Soldier*, *The Little* 240

Mermaid, and *The Ugly Duckling* are still loved by children around the world. 253

	day 1	day 2	day 3	day 4
words read in 1 minute				
- number of mistakes				
= total words read correctly				
adult initials				

EDIT WITH CORRECT THIS FRIENDLY LETTER!

july 10 2013

dear mom

i am having so much fun at camp! yesterday i went swimming and fell in the deep end. don't worry, though- my friend helped me get back to the side of the pool and i am fine. tomorrow i am going to learn how to use a bow and arrow! i am very excited! how is spot? i hope you have been taking him for a walk every morning. thank you for letting me come to camp. i will see you on friday.

your son

joey

Using adverbs

Grade 2 Adverbs Worksheet

Circle the adverbs. Complete the sentences using the adverbs from the word bank.

Word bank:

early mouse always carefully soon
helicopter quietly eventually bear near
skillfully salmon bus privately normally

1. Melanie carefully took the eggs out of the fridge.
2. Andrew and Lenny _____ painted the fence.
3. Mona arrived _____ for her riding lesson.
4. This is a chat we need to have _____.
5. They will _____ finish reading this book.
6. She _____ takes the attendance folder to the office.
7. Michael _____ gets to go with Pops to the store!
8. Freddy tiptoed _____ up the stairs.
9. The movie I want to see is coming out _____.
10. Place the flowers in the vase _____ the window.



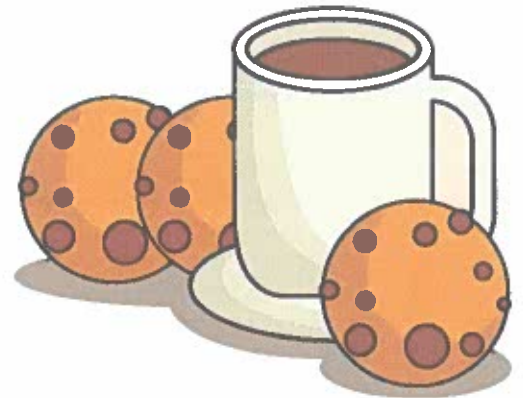
Identifying adverbs

Grade 2 Adverbs Worksheet

*Hint:
Adverbs usually describe verbs.*

Circle the adverbs and underline the verbs they describe.

1. The players loudly cheered for their friend.
2. The cat was quietly approaching the bird.
3. The parcel finally arrived in today's mail.
4. The woman proudly clapped as her grandson graduated.
5. Dad quickly ran to the car as it started to rain.
6. The children eagerly came to the carpet for a story.
7. The man slowly opened the door.
8. The cookies were divided equally between the brothers.
9. We will eventually have to go home.
10. You completed this task perfectly!



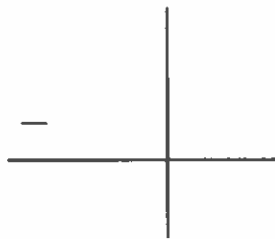


Rewrite Subtraction Problems

(MP) **Attend to Precision** Rewrite the subtraction.
Find the difference.

- 1** Stephanie has 61 beads on her necklace. Then 29 of the beads fall off. How many beads does Stephanie have on her necklace now?

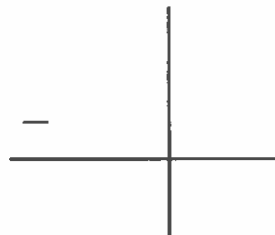
$$61 - 29 = \blacksquare$$



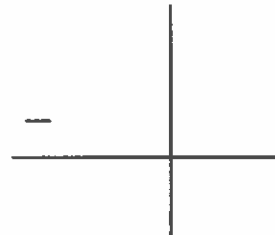
_____ beads



2 $60 - 45 = \blacksquare$



3 $82 - 39 = \blacksquare$



- 4** **Math on the Spot** For which of these problems could you find the difference without rewriting it? Explain.

$$35 - 9 \quad 78 - 10 \quad 54 - 38 \quad 92 - 39$$

Test Prep

- 5 How can you rewrite $63 - 15$? Fill in the bubble next to the correct answer.

$$\begin{array}{r|l} 6 & 5 \\ - 1 & 3 \\ \hline & \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r|l} 6 & 3 \\ - 1 & 5 \\ \hline & \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r|l} 5 & 1 \\ - 3 & 6 \\ \hline & \end{array}$$

- 6 A teacher has 47 pencils. He gives 18 pencils to the students. How many pencils does he have now? Find the difference.

$47 - 18 = \blacksquare$ _____ pencils

Spiral Review

Count on to find the total value of each group of coins.

7



_____ ¢, _____ ¢, _____ ¢

8



_____ ¢, _____ ¢, _____ ¢, _____ ¢, _____ ¢

9



_____ ¢, _____ ¢, _____ ¢, _____ ¢

Name _____



Rewrite Addition Problems

(MP) **Attend to Precision** Rewrite the addition.
Find the sum.



- 1** There are 39 red apples in a basket.
There are 13 green apples in another
basket. How many apples are there?

$$39 + 13 = \blacksquare$$

$$\begin{array}{r} + \\ \hline \end{array}$$

_____ apples

2 $27 + 16 = \blacksquare$

$$\begin{array}{r} + \\ \hline \end{array}$$

3 $57 + 33 = \blacksquare$

$$\begin{array}{r} + \\ \hline \end{array}$$

- 4** **Math on the Spot** For which of these problems could
you find the sum without rewriting it? Explain.

$27 + 54$

$34 + 30$

$26 + 17$

$48 + 38$

Test Prep

5 How can you rewrite $45 + 12$? Fill in the bubble next to the correct answer.

$$\begin{array}{r|l} 4 & 5 \\ + 1 & 2 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r|l} 4 & 5 \\ + 2 & 1 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r|l} 5 & 4 \\ + 1 & 2 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

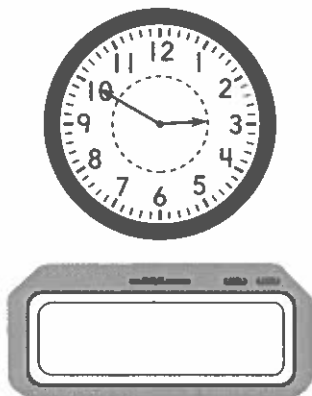
6 Lane has 56 paper clips. He gets 25 more paper clips. How many paper clips does Lane have now? Find the sum.

$56 + 25 = \blacksquare$ _____ paper clips

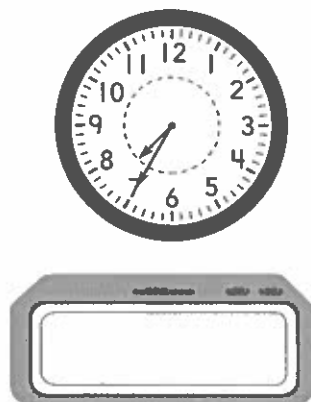
Spiral Review

Look at the clock hands. Write the time.

7



8



Properties of Matter Sort

Directions: Sort the words in the word bank. Show which word tells about each property of matter.

- | | | | | | |
|-------|--------|-------|--------|--------|---------|
| small | big | soft | hard | purple | pyramid |
| heavy | square | red | medium | sticky | green |
| round | light | black | oval | tall | bumpy |

Size	Shape	Color	Texture	Weight

Name: _____

STATES OF MATTER

Directions: Cut and paste the word in the correct column.

Solid	Liquid	Gas

air	table	door	milk	smoke
water	river	steam	rock	apple
juice	brick	tree	wind	rain

FOUNDING FATHERS

Name: _____

Ben Franklin

Ben Franklin was one of the founding fathers of the United States. He was born on January 17, 1706 in Boston. Ben was the publisher of a newspaper. He wrote many articles about politics. He helped write the Declaration of Independence. He was also an inventor. He invented a type of eyeglasses. He also found out many things about electricity, printing, and light. He died on April 17, 1790.



1. Who was Ben Franklin?

2. What did Ben Franklin write?

3. What did Ben Franklin invent?

**FOUNDING
FATHERS**

Name: _____

George Washington

George Washington was one of the founding fathers of the United States. He was also the first President of the United States. He was born on February 22, 1732 in Virginia. George led the army in the American Revolution. After the war, he became the first president. He was a very good leader. He died in 1799.



1. Who was George Washington?

2. What did George Washington lead?

3. What did George Washington do after the war?

