

## 2nd Grade Virtual School Day Choice Board

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| Reading   | Writing   | Spelling   | Math   | Other   |
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| Read to self for 20 minutes.  | Write a summary paragraph about a book you read today.  | Write or type your spelling words on a separate piece of paper 5 times each.   | At 5 different times during the day, write down the time and tell what you are doing.  | Turn on some music and DANCE!   |
| After reading a story draw the character, setting, and what happened in the beginning, middle, and end.   | Write 5 sentences about what you did today.   | Spell your spelling words while doing jumping jacks, push ups, or sit ups.   | Get a handful of coins. Count up the coins and write the total. Make the total in 2 different ways. Draw the coins on a separate piece of paper.           | Help your parents shovel the driveway and sidewalks with a smile on your face:)   |
| Read to someone for 20 minutes. (Ex. mom, dad, brother, sister, dog)<br>OR<br>Read to something for 20 minutes. (Ex. Stuffed animal)                            | Write a make believe story.<br>Example of ideas:<br>Character: Monster<br>Setting: Outer Space<br>Problem: Spaceship broke down | Write your spelling words as rainbow words (write all of your words in one color, then trace over them with another color. Repeat until you use all of the colors of the rainbow.) | Log into IXL, practice your math skills for 15 minutes.  | Be a scientist - With an adult, collect one cup of clean snow. Estimate how long it will take the snow to melt. Record your hypothesis (guess) and results. |
| Read something other than a book, such as a magazine, newspaper, cookbook, etc.   | Write a story about your perfect snow day. Include details to describe actions, thoughts, and feelings.                         | Write your spelling words in ABC order.  | Skip while you skip count (by 2s, 3s, 5s, 10s, 25s, 100s, and 1,000s)  | Imagine you hid a treasure chest in our school. Draw a treasure map for your teacher to find it. Include pictures and labels.                               |
| Compare and contrast (same and different) a normal school day with a Virtual Snow Day. Choose one way to share this. (Create a Venn diagram, list, video, etc.) | Write a letter to a character from a story. Write at least two questions for the character to answer.                           | Write your spelling words and illustrate (draw) a picture for each word.   | Identify (find and name) 10 basic 2D and 3D shapes in your house. Draw and label each object on a separate piece of paper (circle, square, cylinder, etc.) | Look out your window, and draw the scene you see. Use details.  |

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### **2017-2018 Virtual Learning Day Expectations**

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Due to school closing for weather or other unexpected circumstances, we will have a Virtual School Day. We, as well as the specialty teachers, Title I, ELL, Reading Interventionist, and Spec Ed, will be available from 7:45 a.m. – 3:45 p.m. for any questions you may have. You can contact your 2nd grade teacher through school email. We will also be checking our school phone from home, so you may call and leave us a message and we will get back to you.

On the reverse side of this letter you will find the SECOND GRADE CHOICE CARD. Each child is required to complete and turn in (unless specified differently) 1 activity under each of the letters R(reading), M(math), S(spelling), W(writing), O(other). They will have 5 activities to complete and turn in. Each activity should take 10-15 minutes to complete. This will help your child enhance his/her learning from home, since this is being counted as a school day. Once they have completed an activity, have them color it in on their card. Then a parent needs to initial in each completed activity. Please turn this into your classroom teacher once you are finished with the 5 activities. This choice board must be returned to your classroom teacher within 3 schools days. We will be using this as our attendance record for the missed snow day.

This will be used for multiple school closings for weather, or other unexpected circumstances. So please keep this throughout the year. After each time it is used, your child's classroom teacher will return it to you in the case we have another school closing.

If you are looking for additional resources, some different options are listed below.

- Count money, tell time, bake with an adult, etc.
- If you have access to internet, abcya, IXL, Spelling City, etc.

Please contact your classroom teacher if you have any questions throughout the day. Thank you for your assistance at home with these assignments.

Thank you,

Mr. DiBrito (Riverside 2nd Grade Teacher)  
Mrs. Mitchell (Riverside 2nd Grade Teacher)  
Ms. Theesfeld (Riverside 2nd Grade Teacher)  
Mrs. Rogers (Pleasantview 2nd Grade Teacher)