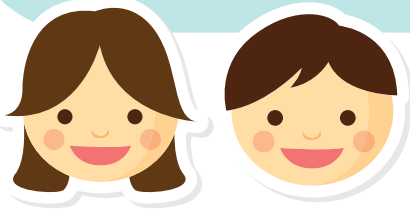


WHY WE FUNDRAISE

HOW YOUR 2ND GRADER BENEFITS FROM THE PTA

Did you know that the Victor PTA NOT TUSD or the State of California sponsors many important programs at our school? Our PTA is 100% funded by donations, and every penny you donate goes back to our school and your student. This school year we will spend almost \$150,000 to enrich the learning experience of our students - that is about \$150 per student! Please read on to find out how your child will benefit from your donations!



2nd Grade

SCIENCE

•20 SCIENCE LAB VISITS

Our dedicated science teacher designs lessons using NGSS (Next Generation Science Standards). Each student participates in a hands-on experiment every lesson that demonstrates the key concept for that lesson.

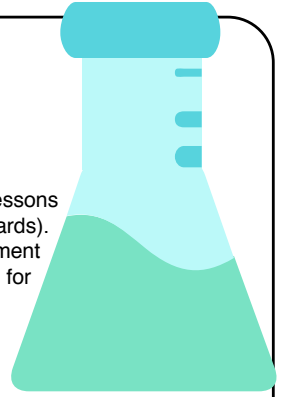
2ND GRADE TOPICS INCLUDE:

- Engineering & Design
- Force & Motion
- States of Matter
- Chemical Change
- Capacity and balance
- Static Electricity
- Magnetism
- Friction
- Refraction
- Sound waves
- Buoyancy
- Density
- Erosion
- Simple machines (levers and fulcrums)

•FAMILY SCIENCE NIGHT

•STEAM FAIR

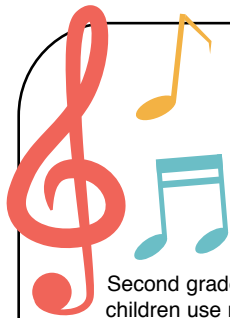
•**BUBBLEMANIA ASSEMBLY** *The children get a chance to learn about reflection, refraction, surface tension and many other soap bubble properties.*



MUSIC Enrichment

•MUSIC ENRICHMENT CLASSES TAUGHT BY OUR DEDICATED MUSIC TEACHER, MRS. SAVITZ.

Second graders are introduced to basic note and rest lessons. The children use rhythm instruments. At each lesson, a different country is featured and they sing a hello & goodbye song in that country's language.



CLASSROOM SUPPORT



Classroom support such as classroom supplies as needed & requested by the teachers in addition to the supplies provided by the school which isn't enough because teachers are in need of donations of these things all year long.



GRADE LEVEL SUPPORT

SCHOLASTIC NEWS WEEKLY

is a current event magazine with science, social studies, and safety topics.



FIELD TRIP TRANSPORTATION

Supply transportation to take the entire Second Grade to the La Brea Tar Pits.



READING COUNTS!

•PAY FOR SOFTWARE ACCESS AND STUDENT ACCOUNT.

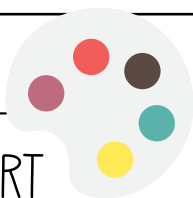
This program matches students with books matched by reading tests and computer analysis. Reading Counts provides an assessment along with the student's quiz score.

•READING COUNTS BADGES

ADVENTURES IN ART

•5 ART CLASSES

Taught by parent volunteers to students and all supplies and parent training is paid for by the Victor PTA. Children learn about famous artists and the inspiration behind their work.



LIBRARY

Over 1,000 books are checked out weekly from the Victor PTA Library. Students visit the library with their class each week for 15-30 minutes.



PROGRAMS & ASSEMBLIES

*Programs and assemblies are subject to change.

