

# MRS. Hennebaul's Howler



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## Weekly Update

#### Specials for next week

- Monday—Music
- Tuesday—Math
- Wednesday—Science
- Thursday—Art
- Friday—P.E.

Remember to dress your child in sneakers/tennis shoes on P.E. days. Writing: What are verbs? Using more exciting verbs in our story. Creating a PowerPoint on The Truth About ... (bats, spiders, black cats or owls.)

**Reading:** Elements of nonfiction: headings, charts, labels, photos, table of contents, glossary, index

Math: Review fact families. Addition and subtraction strategies and using 10 as a benchmark number for adding/subtracting.

**Social Studies**: Rivers of Georgia

**Health:** Drug awareness with Red Ribbon Week.



#### Things to do at home:

Spelling—Tic-Tac-Toe spelling. Words are on the class website Reading—Work on fluency and reading with voice (follow punctuation and normal pacing). Math—Weekly Math Sheet.
Reading Log-Read 20

minutes nightly.



Library checkout is Wednesdays.



Testing week at Roberts.

October 28th — 30th

No visitors for lunch or any other time due to the ITBS being administered. Thank you!

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### Red Ribbon Week Monday, October 28th -Friday, November 1st

**Monday** - Our Future is bright because we don't do drugs! Wear neon or bright colors and wear sunglasses and hats.

Tuesday - It's as simple as black and white - don't use drugs! Wear black and white.

**Wednesday** - Doing drugs is CRAZY! Dress in crazy colors, inside out clothes, mismatched socks, crazy hair.

**Thursday** - Character Dress Up Day for United Way. Donate \$1.00 and dress up as any character. 50% of all donations come directly back to Roberts Elementary.

**Friday** - Bulldogs don't do drugs! Wear spirit wear or red/black bulldog colors.



Bring \$1.00 for the United Way of North Georgia and dress up as your favorite character. Please keep any kinds of toy weapons at home and remember to keep your costume school-appropriate. Avoid wearing masks for safety moving around the building and grounds. Also consider leaving accessories at home that might be lost or left at school (tiaras, magic wands, etc.) And please do not send candy for snacks on Friday. Thanks!

## POD—Personally Owned Devices

You will receive a POD Form (Personally Owned Devices) for you to complete and return to school in order for your child to participate in using our Nook book readers, laptops or the iPads we have at school. I will fill them out with school provided information so you will not need the description and serial numbers.

Second Grade will be utilizing electronic devices this year to teach specific content. We will not have a day where your child will need to bring your own personal tablets, Nooks, etc. to school at this point. We will not be having electronics day where your child will be able to use them for free time activities. The wireless access at school will be protected with Gwinnett County's usage rules. However, if your child has access to another wireless plan they will be able to access content outside of Gwinnett County's protection. I have no way to monitor the activity coming across their internet, nor will I be able to monitor the games/apps that are installed on these devices. In order to safeguard all students I will not be asking for any of the personally-owned devices to be brought to school at this time.

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