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## There's Gnome Place Like Ms. Strugala's 2nd Grade

January 4, 2019

Mark your calendars: No School on: 1. Friday, 1/11 2. Monday, 1/21 and 3. Friday, 1/25 January 24, 2019 Field-trip to The Duluth Playhouse



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## Reading

Main Selection:

Helen Keller

**Connect to Science:** "Talking Tools"

Big Idea:

We learn from each other.

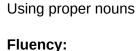
**Essential Question:** 

How do you know when story ideas are important?

Comprehension:

Target Skill: Main Idea and Details

Target Strategy: Summarize



**Grammar:** 

Natural Pause

Vocabulary:

Suffix -ly

Phonics:

Long -o (o, oa, ow)

**Target Vocabulary:** 

Knowledge, curious, motion, silence, illness, imitated, darkness, behavior

#### Writing:

Write to Persuade: Persuasive Essay

### Homework

Due 1/10

Read 20 minutes each night

5 minutes per day basic facts practice

Homelinks: 4.5, 4.6, 4.7, 4.8, 4.9

# Spelling

Test 1/10

1.own 8. goat

2.most 9. flow 3.soap 10. loaf

4.float 11. throw

5.both 12. coach

6.know 13. so

7.loan 14. grow

#### Bonus:

15. January

16. swallow



### Math

This week we continue to focus on understanding place-value and thinking about numbers with concrete objects like base 10 blocks.

## Social Studies

Students continued focusing on Holidays from around the world. They will have one more week and will be back with me for Unit 3 of Science.

Dear Families,

It is hard to believe, but Quarter 2 is quickly coming to an end. Report cards will be coming home soon and if you wish to have a Quarter 2 SLC with me, please contact me by phone or through email within the next few days so that we can make arrangements.

Stay Warm This Weekend! Ms. Strugala

P.S.-

Thank you so much for all of your kindness during the holidays. I appreciated all of the cards, gifts, pictures and holiday wishes. They were truly special! Especially this year!

> BE A SUPER-HERO BUDDY BOOSTER AND STAND-UP AGAINST BULLYING!

