



# Mrs. Bennett's Second Grade News

November 14<sup>th</sup> - 18<sup>th</sup> 2011

## WE ♥ SCIENCE!



PHOTOS AT

[www.mrsbennettsclass.org](http://www.mrsbennettsclass.org)



### On the Horizon

- Report Cards Sent Home  
November 18<sup>th</sup>
- Thanksgiving Break  
November 21<sup>st</sup> - 25<sup>th</sup>
- Imagination Makers Assembly  
December 2<sup>nd</sup> (9am)
- Indian Bazaar Items Due  
December 5<sup>th</sup>



### Personal Presentations...

Grace M.	11/18	11:50
Jeffrey	12/2	11:50
Ruby	12/9	11:50

## SCIENCE FAIR REMINDER...

For those families interested in participating in this year's Douglass Science Fair, information and forms are available at...

[bvsd.org/schools/douglass/clubs/Pages/ScienceFair.aspx](http://bvsd.org/schools/douglass/clubs/Pages/ScienceFair.aspx)



Project proposals are due by Friday, **December 9<sup>th</sup>**. The actual Science Fair will be taking place on February 9<sup>th</sup>.



Our classroom will be having our first **READ & EAT** of the year this Friday, November 18<sup>th</sup>. Your child is welcome to bring their favorite books, pillows, and snacks to school to share with their classmates. Friday is also a school-wide **PAJAMA DAY**, so don't forget to remind your child to wear their favorite pajamas!



Check out what we are learning!

Reading	Stopping, thinking, and reacting to new information while we read
Writing	Taking notes and paraphrasing information in our own words
Math	Addition and subtraction using a number line
Daily Language Instruction	Underlining and Capitalizing Book Titles
Spelling	Question Words: who, what, when, where, why, and which
Social Studies	Understanding how people of different ages, cultural backgrounds, and traditions contribute to their community and how citizens respect these differences (India)



We are excited to see you at our  
**Indian Bazaar**

**When:** December 8<sup>th</sup> 12:15-1:00

**Where:** Our Classroom (Room #9)

## What is My Role?

A bazaar is a market place where merchants sell goods. Your children have been working very hard creating products to sell, and this is your opportunity to teach the kids what it is REALLY like being a merchant in India. If you can come, we will give you some complimentary rupees to spend. Rupees are the unit of money in India. In real life, it takes about 34 rupees to make a dollar. Since we don't want to spend all day counting, we will not be using the true value. We'll pretend that two rupees makes one dollar. Trading is also allowed, since this is often done in India. If you would like to bring a few small items to trade, you may do so. Just remember you don't want to pay as much as the seller is asking. Try to be tough. Talk the seller down to a lower price! Most importantly, have fun with the kids!