

What to Expect in 2nd Grade

Special Events, Projects, and Field Trips

U of M Egyptian Exhibit
Egyptian Feast
Reading Incentive Awards Program
Nutcracker ballet field trip/ Sugar plum party
Secret Santa
Passover Seder
Little House Hoedown
Attend a play

Fine Arts

Students attend specialty classes for art and music once a week. Intentional integration of fine arts with other subjects enhances a love of learning.

PE

Growing bodies need lots of movement! Students have a wiggle break mid-morning and a post-lunch recess every day. Twice-weekly PE focuses on coordination and control through sports and games.

Assembly

Students attend school assemblies on most Tuesday mornings.

Bible & History

Children's Story Bible, Catherine Vos
Veritas History Cards: Creation-Founding of Israel; Egypt

Scripture Memory - Hebrews 11

Math

Math in Focus: The Singapore Approach: 2A & 2B

Language Arts

Language Enrichment-Neuhaus
Multisensory Grammar-Neuhaus
Teaching Writing: Structure and Style, IEW
Progymnasmata: Fables

Poetry

"Upper Egypt, Lower Egypt"	"Hatshepsut"
"Mr. Nobody"	"The Goops" by Gelett Burgess
"On Easter Day" by Celia Thaxter	"Weather"
"The Lamb" by William Blake	"Little Things" by Julia Carney
"Only One Mother" by George Cooper	"Savior, Teach Me"
"Rosetta Stone"	

Literature

Senefer, Lumpkin
Bears on Hemlock Mountain, Dalglish
Nate the Great and the Lost List, Sharmat
The Little House in the Big Woods, Wilder
Tut's Mummy Lost and Found, Donnelly
The Courage of Sarah Noble, Dalglish
Open Court Readers-McGraw-Hill

Latin

Elementary Latin, Nancy Sattler
Various songs and chants

Science

Astronomy, botany, measurement, mummification, the senses