



# WHAT TO EXPECT IN SECOND GRADE

## **BIBLE**

Old Testament: Judges to First Kings  
Scripture Memory from the Old Testament,  
including Hannah's Prayer

## **LANGUAGE ARTS**

Literacy Essentials, the Journey from Spelling  
to Reading  
Continuation of Spelling Rules  
Explicit Writing Instruction  
Daily Reading Practice

## **POETRY**

Selections from *Listen, My Children*  
Selections from *A Child's Book of Poems*

## **LITERATURE**

### **Novels:**

*Charlotte's Web*  
*Peter Pan*

### **Fairy Tales and Fables from Around the World:**

Emperor's New Clothes  
How the Camel Got His Hump  
Magic Paintbrush  
Greek and Roman Myths  
**and many other favorites!**

## **FRENCH**

Introduction to French vocabulary, phrases,  
conversational French, and French culture

## **SCIENCE**

Our Grammar School science curriculum cycles  
through four areas: Biology, Chemistry, Earth  
Science, and Physics. Second Grade's curriculum  
focuses on the following:  
Experiments and the Scientific Method  
Paleontology  
Chemical Reactions  
Geology  
Nature Studies

## **MATH**

Singapore Math

## **RELATED ARTS**

### **Music:**

Notation, Musical Terms and Concepts, Music  
History

### **Art:**

Line, Color, Shape, Texture, Types of Art,  
Art History

## **HISTORY**

Story of the World Vol. 1: Ancient Civilizations  
with emphasis on Greece and Rome

## **MATINS, EVENSONG, AND CHAPEL**

Students and staff begin the day together with  
Matins and gather to end the day with Evensong.  
Chapel is held once each month.