

Dear Soon-To-Be 2nd Graders,

You're almost in 2nd grade! We are so excited and can't wait to meet you!

We do not want you to forget all that you've worked so hard for this year! We've come up with some summer work so you won't forget all you've learned this year! We will be expecting to see it on your first day in 2nd grade!

For your first reading assignment, please read *Henry and Mudge and the Family Tree* by Cynthia Rylant and then answer the questions in complete sentences. This will be the first book we will cover in class! Also, please read *Mr. Putter and Tabby Pour The Tea* by Cynthia Rylant. Then, retell the story in your own words using the attached sheet. Please bring both reading sheets on the first day of school. We will celebrate the Mr. Putter book by having an afternoon summer tea party at PCA! The date will be emailed to your parents.

We've also included some math work to keep up with those math skills! Remember, the best math practice you can do is to continue skip counting and practicing your math facts! We hope you have a fabulous summer! You are treasured and loved by our Saviour!

Love,

Providence 2nd Grade Teachers

Henry and Mudge and the Family Trees

Name: _____

By: Cynthia Rylant

Directions: Answer each question in complete sentences using your best handwriting.

1. What kind of letter came in the mail?

2. Why did Henry feel nervous at the reunion?

3. Which cousin was the best cousin?

4. Why was Henry proud?

5. Draw a picture of your favorite part of the story on the back of this page.

