



# Sachem Central School District

## Sachem Grade 2 Curriculum Guide 2023-24 for Parents & Guardians

Parent Conference Days/Half Days 11/15, 12/12, 12/14, 3/18, 6/25 AND [Sachem Calendar 2023-24](#) 📅

👨👩👧👦 *Sachem Family Connect Nights:* Sept 20, Oct 18, Nov. 8, Dec. 13, Jan 17, Feb 14, March 20, Apr 17, May 15, June 19 👨👩👧👦

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| Student Report Cards are posted each Trimester on the Parent Portal e-school. To access your account,click here <a href="#">eSD Parent Portal</a> . How to <a href="#">Set up eSD</a>   |  |   |  |  |  |
| Trimester 1-Report Cards posted 12/22   |  | Trimester 2-Report Cards posted 3/27  |  | Trimester 3-Report Cards posted 6/26   |  |
| <p><b>ELA/Literacy:</b> Sachem CSD teaches literacy using a Balanced Literacy approach which includes Reading and Writing workshop, with whole group and small group instruction, conferences,independent reading, guided reading as well as Foundations for word study. Our Sachem units of study include creating a classroom community, launching the workshop model, fiction, non-fiction, author studies, poetry, etc. <a href="#">A Guide to Readers and Different Text Levels</a></p>  |  |   |  |  |  |
| <p><b>Math - <a href="#">Math Workshop Structure</a></b> Eureka Math<sup>2</sup> (access through Clever) <a href="#">Reflex</a> (fluency practice) Zearn.org (supports units)</p>   |  |   |  |  |  |
| <b>Module 1:</b> Place Value Concepts through Metric Measurement & Data   | <b>Module 2:</b> Addition and Subtraction Within 200 | <b>Module 3:</b> Shapes and Time with Fraction Concepts   | <b>Module 4:</b> Addition and Subtraction Within 1,000 | <b>Module 5:</b> Money, Data, and Customary Measurement  | <b>Module 6:</b> Multiplication and Division Foundations |
| <p>↓↓ <b>**Exploratory/Project Based Learning **</b> in Science and Social Studies ↓↓</p>   |  |   |  |  |  |
| <p><b>Science</b></p>   |  |   |  |  |  |
| <p><b>Earth Materials:</b>Students will investigate how natural materials such as water, minerals, rocks, and soil are key parts of Earth’s surface and the materials that make landforms from canyons to mountains.</p>  |  | <p><b>Matter:</b> Students will understand matter through hands-on investigations which encourage students to manipulate materials, ask questions, and make connections between matter and phenomena.</p> |  | <p><b>Ecosystem Diversity:</b> Students will explore hands-on, inquiry based investigations focused on phenomena that support concepts related to organisms interacting in their habitats.</p> |  |
| <p><b>Social Studies:</b> Topics: Building a Community, Rules and Laws, Principles of Democracy, Important Documents, Purpose and Structure of Government, Government Services, Citizens, Patriotism, National Symbols, Monuments and Memorials, National Holidays, Founders, Culture, Map Skills, Five themes of Geography, Location, Place, Physical, Human Characteristics, Environmental Interactions, Movement, Regions of the World, Economics Resources, American Symbols of Economics, Economic Principles, Economic Activity, Choices, Sequencing and Chronology</p> |  |   |  |  |  |
| <p><b>Social and Emotional Learning:</b> Personal Wellness, Lions’ Quest (<i>Self Awareness, Self Management, Social Awareness, Relationship Skills, Responsible Decision Making, Health &amp; Safety</i>), Growth &amp; Career Exploration, Technology &amp; Digital Citizenship</p>   |  |   |  |  |  |
| <p><b>Parent Technology &amp; Academic Supports:</b></p> <p><a href="#">Clever</a>, <a href="#">Otis for Parents</a>, <a href="#">Google Classroom for Parents</a>, <a href="#">Remote Learner Tip Sheet</a>, <a href="#">ENL Family Support</a>, <a href="#">NWEA Parent Information</a>, <a href="#">Engage NY for Families &amp; Parent Technology Supports</a> &amp; <a href="#">Sachem Public Library</a>; <a href="#">Ways to Support Your Child’s Reading Growth</a></p>   |  |   |  |  |  |