



"Grade Three News"



November

November Issue

Dear Parents,

It's getting cold out there! The students are outside playing at recess time and we sometimes go outside for different activities, so please make sure your child is dressed for the weather!

November will be quite a busy month, as we are nearing our first reporting period. Attendance is especially important this month so that we are able to complete all of our reporting assessments with each student! It was great to meet with all of you at our student/parent/teacher conferences and celebrate all of your child's achievements!

Here's a quick view of Grade Three in October



What We Will Be Learning

This month we are focusing on connecting reading and writing. The students will be introduced to new vocabulary, practice word choice skills, predict, brainstorm and make connections with their reading and writing activities. We will focus on identifying the main idea and supporting details in sample narratives and in non-fiction text. We will also focus on organizing ideas and information into paragraphs, with topic and supporting sentences. The students will continue to work on writing fluently using varied sentence types and lengths. In Math, we will finish our Numbers to 1000 unit where we will be exploring number concepts as we build, count, order, compare and represent numbers to 1000. We will also begin our Science unit on Hearing and Sound. In Social, we will learn about quality of life and begin studying about the culture and people of India.



****Please remember to continue reading daily with your child to help improve their reading fluency, expression and decoding skills. In addition to reading every night, it is also important to ask your child questions about the text they read to deepen their understanding and comprehension abilities. Thank you for your cooperation and support with this!**



Thank You

A special thank you to those parents who supplied our class with the yummy treats for our Halloween party and for those parents who came out to volunteer and help out with the Penny Carnival. It was greatly appreciated! We all had a wonderful day, full of fun and excitement!

Scholastic Book Orders

November Scholastic book order forms are being sent home this month. Remember to encourage your child to select his/her own books and return the coupon and money to school before the due date that is written on the order form. Cheques are payable to (Scholastic Canada LTD.). They DO NOT accept cash. You can now also order and pay online. Please note that the November issue is due back on Monday, November 18th.



Special Events and Classroom Days



➤ Remembrance Day Liturgy and Ceremony

The school will be having a **Remembrance Day Liturgy and Ceremony on Thursday, November 7th at 1:00 p.m. in the gym.** All parents are invited to attend. Please join us if you can, we look forward to seeing you there. Students in Sparks or Beavers are asked to wear their uniforms.

Donations are welcome for poppies. All students will be given a poppy for the celebration.





- **Flex Day** - on **Friday, November 8th** we will be having a **school wide Flex Day** where students will participate in an extracurricular activity of their choosing. Flex Day is a chance for all students to try something new! They will participate in different activities like drama, cooking, sewing, photography and more! We are excited to try this new initiative and look forward to experiencing some new and exciting activities!

Important Dates to Remember

Nov. 1st - **NO SCHOOL - ATA Institute Day**

Nov. 7th - Remembrance Day Liturgy and Ceremony at 1:00 p.m. in gym

Nov. 8th - School Wide Flex Day

- **EARLY DISMISSAL** at 11:50 a.m.

Nov. 11th - 15th - **FALL BREAK - NO SCHOOL**

Nov. 18th - **BOOK ORDERS DUE**

Nov. 20th - **HOT LUNCH (DQ)**

Nov. 22nd - **Report Cards go home**

Nov. 29th - **Jersey Day and Hot Dog Day** - wear your favorite jersey to school!



- Please take a look at the November calendar for any upcoming events. If you have any concerns or questions, please feel free to contact me at school or by email. Thank you for your continued support. Have a great month!

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1 <u>NO SCHOOL</u>  ATA DAY	2
3	4	5	6	7 Remembrance Day Ceremony 1:00 p.m. 	8 Flex Day (AM) EARLY DISMISSAL (11:50 am)	9
10	11 <u>NO SCHOOL</u>  Fall Break	12 <u>NO SCHOOL</u> 	13 <u>NO SCHOOL</u> 	14 <u>NO SCHOOL</u> 	15 <u>NO SCHOOL</u> 	16
17	18 *BOOK ORDERS DUE* 	19	20 HOT LUNCH 	21 Braelyn's Birthday! 	22 *Report Card Day*	23
24	25	26	27	28	29 Jersey Day and Hot Dog Day! 	30