

News from One and Two

Issue Four – November/December

Looking Back...

Language Arts - The beginning of November saw both grades doing group work as we read a variety of Frog and Toad stories by Arnold Lobel. We worked on sequencing the events in stories and studying the relationship between these two friends. Everyone loved these two characters!!



Math– The Grade Ones continued to practice their number skills at the start of November before moving on to a look at Geometric figures. The Grade Twos began a unit on numbers that took most of the month before beginning a unit on Geometry.

Social Studies – At the beginning of November we looked at our amazing country of Canada. We learned the names of all of our provinces and territories and where to find them in Canada as we introduced some basic map skills.. We also discussed some of the symbols of Canada as well as some popular landmarks.

For Your Information...

Reminders – Wednesday, December 9 and Friday, December 18 are both early dismissals

Reading Challenge – Thank you for reading with your child each evening. The number of creatures on our wall continues to grow, and everyone is convinced that the class will definitely be able to make it back to the door before June!! We are almost on our second wall!

Pancakes and Pyjamas – The last day of school for 2020 is Friday, December 18. Come to school in your pyjamas and join us for pancakes in our classroom. Dismissal at lunch!

Looking Ahead...

Language Arts – We will spend time in December working in our readers. We will then read some of the many Christmas stories Miss Jewitt has in her giant crate and talk about the characters and plots of the stories.

Math – The Grade Ones will start the month reviewing the numbers to 50 and learning to count by 2s, 5s, and 10s. The Grade Twos will be taking a look at the concept of Time to the quarter hour.

Social Studies – During the month of December we will be examining some of our common Christmas traditions and the history behind them. We will learn the country of origin of some of our most popular traditions including Christmas trees, cards, and cookies. We will also spend time celebrating the real “Reason for the Season.”

School Christmas Program – Our program will take a different format this year, but we are still looking forward to celebrating the joy found at Christmas. Stay tuned for the details on how to experience our “Joy of Christmas.”



Class Christmas Party – We will be having a special class celebration during the afternoon of Tuesday, December 15. We will have some yummy treats and share a special Christmas story.



I would like to take this opportunity to wish you and your family a very blessed Christmas. May you find joy in the true reason for the season!