

What's happening in Grade 3?



UOI: We are starting our next Unit of Inquiry, Sharing the Planet. It is a long time favourite amongst Grade 3s. We will look into the ways animals survive and the many ways their survival is threatened. This week we'll whip through 4 different classifications: mammal, bird, reptile, and fish. I have some new websites to introduce as well, via a provincially funded website; Learn Alberta.

READING: Readers' Theatre was put on hold in December, but we hope to get it up and running again soon. The biggest hurdle is absenteeism. We are also starting a novel study - TBA.

WRITING: As part of our How We Express Ourselves we will be continuing our twice weekly journal writing. If you're interested, a list of the prompts can be found on the Google Classroom.

MATH: In addition to our Daily Math, we will be working through another 'Project Based' Math unit called, "Build a Zoo". It is similar to the 'Christmas Tree Farm', but will focus on addition and subtraction, cm measurement, area, time, fractions, and money. This week we will purchase animals for the zoo! Note: We will continue to work on addition and subtraction, as well as basic fact fluency on Mondays.



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Grade 3

January 11th - 15th
PRINCIPLED

Current Units of Inquiry



Sharing the Planet

Central Idea

Many factors affect the survival of animals.

Lines of Inquiry

- Life Cycles
- Habitat
- Adaptations

How We Express Ourselves

Central Idea

Perspectives are reflected in the way we communicate.

Lines of Inquiry

- Forms of Communication
- Purpose of Communication
- Impact of Communication

Our How We Express Ourselves UOI runs the whole year.