

# Millarville Community School

January 25<sup>th</sup>-29<sup>th</sup>



## Unit of Inquiry

Last week the students discussed and made connections between the IB learner profile attribute of being principled and how different fairytale characters demonstrated this attribute through their actions. In addition, the students continued with creating their own fairytales. They had so much fun with this activity and I am so PROUD of the growth they have shown in their writing!

## Spelling

We will be focusing on long OW words. Our spelling words are: Bowl, glow, blow, snow, grow, show, own, slow, mow, tow. All our spelling words can also be found on the Google Classroom. Your child can practice these words at home through fun activities such as printing each word using rainbow colours or special markers!

## Home Reading

Read, Read, Read! If your child has read their home reading books to you a few times, encourage them to read to other members in the family. This could mean reading to their siblings, grandparents, or other family members.

## Math

Last week the students explored the different attributes of 3D shapes. They also had the opportunity to explore and find 3D shapes outside. This week we will be continuing to build 3D shapes and starting to look at how to sort shapes based on different attributes.

## Housekeeping:

### Literacy Week

**Monday**-Wear RED clothes - We are well READ!

**Tuesday**-Wear sunglasses & bright colors – READING makes you BRIGHT!

**Wednesday**-Wear wild prints - Wild about Reading!

**Thursday**-Wear hats – HATS off to Reading!

**Friday**-Wear Sports jerseys or MCS clothing– Be a FAN of Reading

We have library on **Thursday**. Please have your child return his or her books.

Return home reading every **Monday**.

## Attribute of the Month

### Principled

Students act with integrity, and respect the dignity of other individuals and groups. Students take responsibility for their own actions. Students understand what it means to be fair.

## Our Current Unit of Inquiry

How We Express Ourselves

### Central Idea

Stories express ideas and messages about our world.

### Lines of Inquiry

- Stories evoke emotions.
- Ideas are shared in a variety of genres.
- Exploration of the self through stories.

