

Grade One Classroom Newsletter October 5, 2020



This Week in Grade One

Monday – Weather Booklet

- Practice printing the letter “n”

Tuesday – Individual School

Picture Day (outside).

- Sunshine and Weather
assessment

-Practice printing the letter “o”

Wednesday – The season of Fall

-Library – please return books

-Practice printing the letter “p”

Thursday – Thanksgiving writing
and art

- Practice printing the letter “q”

Friday – PD Day

Student of the Week

When your child is star, please email me a picture of him/her and 5 - 10 pictures about him/her. The following things are ideas that you could email me: My Family, My Pets, Where I Was Born, My Favourite Colour, My Favourite Book, My Favourite Thing to Do, My Favourite Food, My Favourite Toy. These items will be put up on the smart board for your child to talk about. We will have star of the week time in the mornings. The children love to tell stories about their lives.

October 18 – Vikki

November 2 – Stavros

November 15 - Finn

Unit of Inquiry

Theme: How We Organize Ourselves

Central Idea: Communication systems are developed by society

Lines of Inquiry:

- signs and symbols in the environment
- uses and purposes of signs and symbols
- specialized systems of communication

Approaches to Learning: communication and self-management

Key Concepts: form and function

Learner Profile: communicators, knowledgeable, and thinker

Classroom News

We will be inquiring into Weather and Fall this week. We will be talking about plants in the fall. We will write about Fall and Thanksgiving.

In Math, will practice counting by 2s to 100. I uploaded the book “On Safari” into Google Classroom. We will be reading this book on Monday. Practice counting objects by 2s. Children can count toys as they clean up, chocolate chips as they eat them, or count cars or barbie shoes. Have fun with counting by 2s!

Check out this link by Alberta Health if you have questions about your child and illness:

[https://open.alberta.ca/dataset/20d4bb45-0eb4-42cc-8553-94eafc34ee58/resource/46ed4b17-2989-412a-a70c-](https://open.alberta.ca/dataset/20d4bb45-0eb4-42cc-8553-94eafc34ee58/resource/46ed4b17-2989-412a-a70c-2bf1ddd3e239/download/edu-covid-19-student-illness-2020-0903.pdf)

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On Friday, we made faces on tree cookies in the school garden. The children had a great time creating these and loved being in the garden. Some pictures are on page 2 of the newsletter. Checkout Google Classroom for more pictures!

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