

Grade 3 November News

The grade 3 class have been busy reviewing the Tribes agreements: Attentive Listening, Mutual Respect, Participation and the right to pass, Appreciation and Let Go Move On. All students are encouraged to practise these agreements during each and every class. The star student presentations continue to be very exciting with excellent presentations from all students. The students have been reviewing their October words and our November words are: beautiful, before, discover, enough, first, hopeless, journal, let's, recycle, their, there, they're, went and when. Throughout November, I will be adding words to the list which I see students misspell in their daily work activities.

Upcoming Events In November

The bookworm program is up and going. Congratulations to all who bring in their homework folders daily and remember to fill in their reading record. Remember students, it is important to be reading every night. Good Luck and keep reading! Also starting in November I will adding a math duotang to each homework folder. On Monday of each week I will place a math page which has questions to do for the week. They are due by Friday.

On November 23rd the grade 3 class will be skating from 9:30-10:30 at Memorial Arena. Parents are welcome to come and watch and to help tie skates at the arena. Thanks to all parents who helped at our last skating day.

At the end of November you will be invited to student led conferences and a chance to talk about your child's progress in grade 3. I look forward to meeting with you at this time.

Mathematics News

In math, our class have been making bar graphs, pictographs and sorting using Venn diagrams as part of our data management and probability unit.

Science

In science the grade 3 students are finishing a unit on soil.

Social Studies

The students are beginning to learn about communities in Ontario. The class has been finding out more about Chatham-Kent as part of this unit. Mr Myers came and did a presentation about being a councilor in Chatham-Kent. Student will now take a closer look at communities outside of Chatham. At the end of the month students will complete a brochure on a community in Ontario. Work will be done on this brochure at school and home. Help your child decide what community in Ontario that they would like to learn more about.

The Arts

Students had a great time making pumpkin characters and then writing using adjectives to describe their pumpkin character. Students have been learning about different lines and then using them to make spider webs. Stop by the classroom bulletin board to see their art work on urban and rural communities.

Thanks for your support, Mrs. Josling