

# GRADE THREE WEEKLY UPDATE

# Friday, June 8<sup>th</sup>, 2018

Happy Friday! Yet again, this week has been a busy one for the Grade Threes. We have been continuing to solidify our knowledge in English, Math, and Science as look back on the work we have done over the entire year. Due to the fieldtrip and spring concert, the tutorial times for next week will be changed. I will be holding a morning tutorial on Monday from 7:45am-8:15am and an afternoon tutorial on Tuesday from 3:45pm-4:15pm. We officially have eight more school days left! I encourage the Grade 3s to not lose focus in the last weeks of school.

**Math**: This week, the Grade 3s looked at number patterns. We went outside and documented the patterns we see in everyday life. Students then took these visual patterns and converted them into number patterns.

**English**: This week, we finished our Choose Your Own Adventure stories. We learnt about formatting a document, adding pictures to a document and how to peer edit a document.

**Science**: This week, we have been going back in time and looking at units that we studied at the beginning of the year. We have been looking at the human skeleton and how it helps us do tasks such as running, jumping, sitting etc.

**Social Studies**: Students had their final assessment on Ancient Rome this past week. They will be making so fun dioramas of famous Roman architecture of Rome next week. The students participated in the Students Vote this week. They learned about the Ontario election and experienced what it was like to actually vote.

**Strings**: Our students are working hard to prepare for our Spring Arts Night next week – we hope to see you there!

**\*NOTE:** All instruments and bows borrowed from Fieldstone must be left in the music room after the concert.

**Orff:** Our class time this week was spent working on our performance piece for next weeks big show.

**French**: Students presented their posters about 'Ma Maison' this week and they all did an amazing job! It was obvious that they worked hard and enjoyed designing their poster. Bravo la classe de troisième année!!!

**Gym**: This week, the students in Grade Three completed their Human Development and Sexual Health Unit. This unit covered healthy relationships, physical and emotional development, visible and invisible differences and respect. Their Strategy and Game Concepts Unit will start next week.

**Art:** The students are working on completing their Norval Morrisseau Art works. Morrisseau is an Indigenous Ojibway Artist from Ontario, known for his brightly-coloured art work, framed by black "lines of communication" and featuring stories from his own cultural world view, as taught to him by his grandfather who was a Shaman. Morrisseau was also a victim of the Residential School System. Some students have begun a collage work based on the sketches and observations of wild life/ birds.

### PLEASE ASK YOUR CHILD:

- 1. How do you add a picture to a word document?
- 2. How does our skeleton help us when we are sitting down?
- 3. What is the pattern? 0,3,6,9,12

#### Have a wonderful weekend!

#### WHAT'S HAPPENING NEXT WEEK?

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
June 11 <sup>th</sup>	June 12 <sup>th</sup>	June 13 <sup>th</sup>	June 14 <sup>th</sup>	June 15 <sup>th</sup>
7:45am tutorial Homework package will be handed out Progression Test in Math, English	Trip to Pioneer Village! 3:45 p.m. tutorial	Waste-Free Lunch Wednesday Strings (bring violin and folder to school) Number One Dress	Gym (bring gym clothes to school) <b>7 p.m. Spring</b>	Homework Package Due Gym (bring gym clothes to school) Spelling test
and Science will be happening all week			Concert!	PIZZA LUNCH

#### **UPCOMING SIGNIFICANT DATES**

# Spring Arts Night

Thursday, June 14<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m.

# Grade 8 Graduation/Last Day of Classes

Wednesday, June 20<sup>th</sup>

#### Awards Ceremony

Thursday, June 21st at 1:00 p.m.