



# Kindergarten Weekly Update

Friday, September 8, 2023

<b>Language Arts</b> Ms. Vela	This week the Kindergarteners focussed on listening during read-alouds, making predictions and showing their understanding of the story. The Kindergarteners also learned the colour words: red and orange and practiced tracing or writing their names.
<b>Math</b> Ms. Vela	This week the Kindergarteners focussed on counting and writing numbers to 5, and estimating quantities.
<b>Science</b> Ms. Vela	This week the Kindergarteners learned about some of the responsibilities of Scientists, specifically sorting information, and constructing/ designing. They practiced both these skills using manipulatives.
<b>History/Geography</b> Ms. Vela	This week the Kindergarteners shared stories of their summer adventures.
<b>Visual Arts</b> Ms. Vela	This week the Kindergarteners did a fun bootcamp to practice using all their school supplies! They learned/ reviewed how to properly use scissors, glue bottles, whiteboard markers, crayons, markers, and pencils.
<b>French</b> Mme Lechallier	This week the Kindergarteners were introduced to the color rouge, bleu, jaune, vert and orange;
<b>Health &amp; Physical Education</b> Mr. Makubuya	This week our Kindergartens shared how they were active this summer and started our Striking and Fielding Unit.
<b>Music</b> Mr. Morales	The Kindergarten class had a great time learning about what they will be doing in music class this year. Students were introduced to rhythmic warm ups that will help them perform as a group and understand jazz music.

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# Grade One/Two Weekly Update

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<b>Language Arts</b> Mr. Murray	Students were tested on their current phonetic knowledge by building words from onset phonemes. Moreover, students were given an opportunity to write sentences from visual prompts.
<b>Math</b> Mr. Murray	Students were challenged with a variety of games testing their ability to count by 2s, 5s, and 10s. Students were also introduced to the concept of making math predictions.
<b>Science</b> Mr. Murray	Students were introduced to different habitats and their inhabitants. Moreover, students worked in groups to predict where different sea creatures belong in the three zones of the ocean; the sunlight zone, the twilight zone, and the midnight zone.
<b>History/Geography</b> Mr. Murray	Students were tested on their knowledge of the seven continents and the five oceans, and worked together to order the continents from largest to smallest.
<b>Visual Arts</b> Mme Lechallier	This week the students of Grade One and Two were introduced to the Elements of Art by follow the example for them do reduer
<b>French</b> Mme Lechallier	This week the Grade One and Two were introduced to the alphabet in French how to pronounce and recognize the alphabet
<b>Health &amp; Physical Education</b> Mr. Makubuya	This week our Grade 1 & 2 class shared how they were active this summer and started our Striking and Fielding Unit.
<b>Music</b> Mr. Morales	The Grade Ones and Twos spent the week learning about the orchestral string family with an emphasis on the violin. Students had their instruments tuned by the teacher and received basic instruction on posture, holding the instrument, tuning, and basic warm up exercises.

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# Grade Three Weekly Update

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<b>Language Arts</b> Mrs. Haddad	This week our Three Graders were excited to kick off the school year reading and discussing story chapters in their language class! They were given the chance to read and answer questions about <i>The Beginning</i> . The students also explored and reviewed previously taught skills!
<b>Math</b> Ms. Sharma	Students had a wonderful start working with Numbers. They explored the concept of Sequencing by learning how to count back and front by 1's, 2's, 5's and 10's. We are going to learn more about it in the coming week.
<b>Science</b> Ms. Sharma	This week, students had a wonderful start in Science Class by exploring our first unit on Living things. The topics that we covered this week were focused on the skeleton systems of the human body. We discussed the functions of the Skeletal system. Students practised identifying different parts of the body skeleton and their positions in the body. Next week, we will continue this unit and learn about why we need a skeleton and muscles.
<b>History/Geography</b> Ms. Carey	Students discovered a bit more about each other this week. We created flags that belong to our country and wrote down our favourite thing about it. Students really enjoyed seeing all of the different flags and learning about different countries.
<b>Visual Arts</b> Mme Lechallier	This week the Grade Three were introduced to the Elements of Art; they had to follow the example and try to do the different lines ;
<b>French</b>	This week the Grade Three were introduced to some review,

Mme Lechallier	color, days of the week, number from 1 - 20
<b>Health &amp; Physical Education</b> Mr. Makubuya	This week our Grade 3 class shared how they were active this summer and started our Striking and Fielding Unit.
<b>Music</b> Mr. Morales	The Grade Three and Four class spent the week discussing the string instrument family along with musical styles and the elements that create them. The class was also given basic instructions for holding and playing their instrument, and started working on a long term project, learning the song Breathe by Pink Floyd.

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# Grade Four Weekly Update

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<b>Language Arts</b> Mrs. Haddad	This week our Fourth Graders were excited to kick off the school year reading and discussing fables in their language class! They were given the chance to read and answer questions about <i>The Fox and the Crow</i> and <i>The Tortoise and the Hair</i> . The students also explored and reviewed previously taught skills!
<b>Math</b> Ms. Sharma	This week, students explored place value and number formats. They were also introduced to how to partition any number up to one million into thousands, hundreds, tens and units and write them in word and digit form.
<b>Science</b> Mrs. Haddad	The key concept explored this week is that some plants have flowers and other plants do not have flowers. The students got the chance to identify the parts of a plant. They also took the time to identify and learn unfamiliar words related to the different parts of a flower.
<b>History/Geography</b> Mrs. Haddad	This week our Grade Four students got the chance to explore the world right here from their classroom! Students took the time to identify and learn about earth's major continents and oceans using maps and a tabletop globe. The students also reviewed the basic map skills.
<b>Visual Arts</b> Mme Lechallier	This week the Grade Four were introduced to the Elements of Art; they had to follow the example and try to do the different lines.
<b>French</b> Mme Lechallier	This week the Grade Four were introduced to some review,

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<b>Health &amp; Physical Education</b> Mr. Makubuya	This week our Grade 4 class shared how they were active this summer and started our Striking and Fielding Unit.
<b>Music</b> Mr. Morales	The Grade Three and Four class spent the week discussing the string instrument family along with musical styles and the elements that create them. The class was also given basic instructions for holding and playing their instrument, and started working on a long term project, learning the song Breathe by Pink Floyd.

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## IMPORTANT DATES

Monday, September 18, 2023	After School Tutorials begin
Tuesday, September 22, 2023	Terry Fox Run
Monday, September 25, 2023	Picture Day. Please wear your Number One Uniform
Thursday, September 28, 2023	Curriculum Night
Friday, September 29, 2023	FPA Pizza Lunch Orange Shirt Day: National Day for Truth & Reconciliation (Please donate \$5 for the Downie & Wenjack Fund. Thank you)