



Grade Five Weekly Update

Friday, September 20, 2024

English Ms. Carey	This week, the Grade Five class continued exploring the world of Shakespearean language. Students worked together to unravel the mystery behind some of the words used in the early years of modern English and were shocked at some of their discoveries. They had a lot of fun pronouncing the words and using them in sentences.
Math Ms. Sharma	This week, the Grade Five class started working on averages. They learnt about mean, mode, median, range. They worked on various problems and learnt how mode is the most popular number amongst all the numbers in the problems. In the combined class, they played Multiplication bingo to review two digits with two digit numbers. The rewards got them super excited!!
Science Ms. Sharma	This week, the Grade Five class started learning about the reproductive system. They learnt about the development and changes in the human body after puberty hits. They learnt about the functions of different organs of the reproductive system and how they work together in the process of reproduction. They were introduced to the topic: Diseases.
History/Geography Ms. Carey	This week, the Grade Five class continued working on their 'Surviving the Desert' guides. Students were divided into groups, they were set the task of creating a survival guide in order to survive in the desert for a month. Students used their prior learning of how animals, plants and people adapted to such conditions to help them create such guides. Each group presented their guide on Friday.
Global Perspectives Ms. Carey	This week, the Grade Five class continued working on their topics; together, they researched their chosen topic on a global scale and compared it to the issue on a local level. Students are really enjoying looking at the issues they have chosen and seeing how such issues are handled worldwide.

Visual Arts Mme. Lechallier	This week, the Grade Five class are still in the process of working into their project the Element of Art.
French Mme. Lechallier	This week, the Grade Five are working on number 1 - 50, day of the week, month, seasons. The students are still in the process of learning their poésie: c'est la rentrée.
Health & Physical Education Mr. Makubuya	This week, our Grade Five class participated in some spike ball and kickball games!
Music Mr. Morales	The Grade Fives and Sixes began playing together as an ensemble for the first time this week as students performed the first exercises in their Essential Elements textbooks. Students with previous experience were given new ways to challenge themselves with the simple exercises found at the beginning of the book.

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Please ask your child:

- a. What is mode? Ans. the most repeated number in a sequence.
- b. Calculate the mean of the sequence. 11,15,17,13,12,11. (Ans. 13.16)



Grade Six Weekly Update

Friday, September 20, 2024

English Ms. Carey	This week, the Grade Six class explored why writers use different sentence types in their writing. Students read a text where they identified what sentence types were used and how it added interest to the story.
Math Ms. Sharma	This week, the Grade Six class started working on square and cube numbers, cube and cube roots. They were very excited to learn about how they both are related to each other. They worked on various problems and were confident to work independently.
Science Ms. Sharma	This week, the Grade Six class learnt what tissues, organs and organ systems are and what their function is. They used sheets, threads and clay to make plant and animal cells in groups. They worked with Grade five on their power point presentation on unit: The human body.
History/Geography Ms. Carey	This week, the Grade Six class continued working on their 'Surviving the Desert' guides. Students were divided into groups, they were set the task of creating a survival guide in order to survive in the desert for a month. Students used their prior learning of how animals, plants and people adapted to such conditions to help them create such guides. Each group presented their guide on Friday.
Global Perspectives Ms. Carey	This week, the Grade Six class continued working on their topics, together they researched their chosen topic on a global scale and compared it to the issue on a local level. Students are really enjoying looking at the issues they have chosen and seeing how such issues are handled worldwide.
Visual Arts Mme. Lechallier	This week, the Grade Six class are still in the process of working into their project the Element of Art.

French Mme. Lechallier	This week, the Grade Six are working on number 1 - 80, day of the week, month, seasons. The students are still in the process of learning their poésie: c'est la rentrée.			
Health & Physical Education Mr. Makubuya	This week, our Grade Six class participated in some spike ball and kickball games!			
Music Mr. Morales	The Grade Fives and Sixes began playing together as an ensemble for the first time this week as students performed the first exercises in their Essential Elements textbooks. Students with previous experience were given new ways to challenge themselves with the simple exercises found at the beginning of the book.			
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Please ask your child:

1. What is the square of 4, square root of 4, cube of 3, cube root of 64?
(Ans: 16, 2, 27, 4)
2. What part of the plant has chloroplast?
(Answer: Leaf)



Grade Seven Weekly Update

Friday, September 20, 2024

English Ms. Carey	This week, the Grade Seven class worked on language skills, as a class we explored auxiliary verbs. Students defined what an auxiliary verb was, identified them in a sentence and created their own sentence using them. Each student followed the basic clause pattern to create these sentences.
Math Ms. Sharma	This week, the Grade Seven class worked on the topic Indices. They learnt about indexes, how to use positive and negative indices, and the index laws of multiplication and division. They had a great class, understanding about the concept and participated actively in the discussion.
Science Ms. Sharma	This week, the Grade Seven class learnt about the structure, function and components of blood. They had a discussion about how blood transports oxygen and glucose for respiration. They were asked to make a mind map of the Respiration unit.
History/Geography Ms. Carey	This week, the Grade Seven class explored how landforms are created and how they change. Students focused on earth's moving plates (plate tectonics), students discovered that when these plates collide it creates mountains and sometimes earthquakes and when they pull apart volcanoes are formed. Students illustrated their knowledge of this by creating a diagram to show how these plates move and the results of such movements.
Global Perspectives Ms. Carey	This week, the Grade Seven class continued working on their topics; together they researched their chosen topic on a global scale and compared it to the issue on a local level. Students are really enjoying looking at the issues they have chosen and seeing how such issues are handled worldwide.
Visual Arts Mme. Lechallier	This week, the Grade Seven class are still in the process of working into their project the Element of Art.

French Mme. Lechallier	This week, the Grade Seven class are working on number 1 - 100, day of the week, month, seasons, verbs auxillaire and 1 group in present , future, past and imperfect tense. The students are still in the process of learning their poésie: Mon cartable.
Health & Physical Education Mr. Makubuya	This week, our Grade Seven class participated in some spike ball and kickball games!
Wellbeing Ms. Carey	Following on from our discussion last week of personal goal setting and creating goals for school, this week the Grade Seven class created personal goals. Each student followed the pattern of setting the goal, timeline of goal, ways of achieving it and reflection of achievement. Each student will regularly check in on their goal to see if they are on track to achieve it.
Music Mr. Morales	The Grade Seven Class began playing together as an ensemble for the first time this week as students began performing the first exercises in their Essential Elements textbooks. Students with previous experience were given new ways to challenge themselves with the simple exercises found at the beginning of the book. The class was also given an assignment where they will do research on blues music that is due next week.

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Please ask your child:

- a. What are the functions of red and white cells in the human body?
- b. What is 5^0 ?



IMPORTANT DATES

Friday, September 27	FPA Pizza & Orange Shirt Day - Please send a small contribution for the Gord Downie and Chanie Wenjack Fund . Curriculum Night (6 - 7:30 p.m.) - Please fill out the RSVP form HERE if you haven't done so already. \$25 for aftercare (3:35 - 6:00 p.m.) - Light dinner included
Monday, September 30	Picture Day (Number One Dress)
Friday, October 11	PD Day - No classes
Monday, October 14	Thanksgiving Monday - No classes
Tuesday, October 15	Fall Clubs begin