



# Grade Five Weekly Update

Friday, February 7, 2025

<b>English</b> Ms. Carey	This week in Grade Five English class, we focused on poetic techniques. Students identified the following: metaphors, extended metaphors, onomatopoeia, simile and alliteration. To show their understanding of each, students read a poem that contains such techniques and highlighted them and their impact on the poem. Students also used at least two of these techniques to create their own beautiful poems.
<b>Math</b> Ms. Sharma	This week Grade Five learnt about Shapes and their nets. They learnt how 3D shapes are drawn using nets and learnt how to draw nets. They did a small activity using different liquids and learnt how to measure the capacity using measuring cylinders. They worked on various problems and learnt the difference between capacity and volume.
<b>Science</b> Ms. Sharma	This week Grade Five worked on their food chain/web group project. They are very excited to present it and are working really hard on the project. They also made a plastic object in the class, with their peers and presented it in the class to learn about recycling plastic waste.
<b>History/Geography</b> Ms. Carey	This week in Grade Five History class, students learned about the beginning of Ancient Rome. They focused on the story of Romulus and Remus and followed the development of Ancient Rome. Each student created their own storyboard to highlight their understanding of the building of Ancient Rome.
<b>Global Perspectives</b> Ms. Carey	This week in Global Perspective, students worked together to focus on their analysing skills. Each student found and described patterns in data and discussed what they mean. Students analysed a graph that displayed the average maximum and minimum daily temperatures for each month.
<b>Visual Arts</b> Mme. Lechallier	The students are working on Mayan art by making masks. The students are really enjoying making the mask in papier mache

	for their mask. The students are moving on to the next step by shaping and modelling the face by material that is offered to them.
<b>French</b> Mme. Lechallier	This week the students are working on the winter vocabulary by answering questions and they are continuing working on their verbs. The students recital in pairs their poetry by acting it was so nice to see their imagination. After we have a quick debrief and which to do this exercise more often.
<b>Health &amp; Physical Education</b> Mr. Makubuya	This week our Grade Five and Six class completed their Weekly Health Plan and enjoyed some games of Ball Hockey.
<b>Music</b> Mr. Morales	The Grade Fives and Sixes have been enjoying rehearsals for the song Oye como va which they are preparing for the Spring Concert. Students are being exposed to various concepts including clave, cha cha, modal harmony, and improvisation.

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# Grade Six Weekly Update

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<b>English</b> Ms. Carey	This week in English class, Grade Six students finished their speaking unit. In doing so, each student focused on a celebrity that they would love to invite to speak with their classmates. Each student researched some basic information on their chosen person, planned and wrote a persuasive speech, then delivered it to their peers.
<b>Math</b> Ms. Sharma	This week Grade Six learnt about experimental probability and learnt the use of experiments to calculate experimental probabilities. They worked on various problems to understand the concept more. They were introduced to ratio and proportion and they learnt how to simplify and compare ratios.
<b>Science</b> Ms. Sharma	This week Grade Six learnt about different alloys and how they are used everyday in different objects of use. They learnt about different methods to separate mixtures in the laboratory. They separated a mixture of sand and water using filtration, separated sand water using sedimentation decantation method. They also made crystals of copper sulfate by evaporation in the laboratory.
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# Grade Seven Weekly Update

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<b>English</b> Ms. Carey	This week in English, Grade Seven students continued working on their play Romeo and Juliet. Students analysed Act 4 Scene 3. Students reflected on Juliet's Mother, Father and Nurse's response to Juliet's 'death' in this scene. Students compared and contrasted the reaction of all three characters.
<b>Math</b> Ms. Sharma	This week Grade Seven started working on ratios and proportions. They worked on simplifying ratios and sharing ratios. They worked on various problems related to the concept and were challenged to work individually to understand the concept.
<b>Science</b> Ms. Sharma	This week Grade Seven learnt about making rainbows and colours of light. They learnt how rainbows are formed in the sky and how they can also make a rainbow using a ray, glass prism and a screen. They discovered what happens when colours of lights are added and subtracted. They even learnt about why we see colours.
<b>History/Geography</b> Ms. Carey	This week in Grade Seven Geography class, students carried out a called to action project. Students worked together in small groups and organised a tree-planting campaign that they hung up on their grade seven billboard to showcase the importance of trees and why we need to plant more.
<b>Global Perspectives</b> Ms. Carey	This week in Global Perspectives Grade Seven students worked on their analytical skills. They analysed a graph, researched more information online to collect more data and presented their findings to their peers.
<b>Visual Arts</b> Mme. Lechallier	The students are working on Mayan art by making masks. The students are really enjoying making the mask in papier mache for their mask. The students have been working very well on their mask they are now painting.

<b>French</b> Mme. Lechallier	This week the students are working on the winter vocabulary by answering questions and they are continuing working on their verbs along with that the students are continuing working on learning their poesie. The students have been introduced to some reading stories by answering questions by true or false. With that the student wrote a test on winter vocabulary , verbs and sentences. The students took their poetry book and which each sentence they had to finish the sentence with their own word.
<b>Health &amp; Physical Education</b> Mr. Makubuya	This week our Grade 7 class reviewed their Managing Stress and Anxiety Test. Also enjoying some games of ball hockey.
<b>Wellbeing</b> Ms. Carey	This week in Wellbeing, our Grade Seven students reflected on our time visiting Villa Colombo last week. They each wrote down a reflection piece on what they did, how they felt and what they are looking forward to on their next visit.
<b>Music</b> Mr. Morales	The Grade Seven Class continues to expand on their arrangement of the song Guantanamera as they practise and learn about various concepts including montuno, clave, son, salsa, tumbao, improvised solos, and Spanish pronunciation.

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## IMPORTANT DATES

Monday, February 10	Science Fair Projects – Step Four due
Thursday, February 13	Picture Day – Retakes & Class Photos FPA Event: Valentine’s Day Party 2:45 p.m. - 3:25 p.m. Dress code: Red, pink, and white
Friday, February 14	PD Day – No classes
Monday, February 17	Family Day – No classes
Tuesday, February 18	Term Three begins