



Grade Five Weekly Update

Friday, May 30, 2025

English Ms. Carey	This week in Grade Five English we focused on poetry at play. The students explored poetic licence, what interesting language and format is used to create a string poem and the difference between a cinquain poem and a Limerick. They identified the different features of the poems and then created their own one.
Math Ms. Sharma	This week Grade Five learnt how to rotate shapes around a centre(vertex) point and reflect shapes using a mirror. They worked on various problems to understand the concept more. They even drew an image on their own and drew a reflected shape using a diagonal line.
Science Ms. Sharma	This week Grade Five learnt how much time does each planet in the solar system take to complete one rotation and revolution around the Sun based on Earth days and years. The students even learnt about Galileo and how he invented the telescope and discovered craters on the moon, sunspots on the Sun and phases of the planet Venus.
History/Geography Ms. Carey	This week in Grade Five History class, we focused on Queen Marie Antoinette of France. Students discovered the reasons why her luxurious royal lifestyle turned the ordinary people of France against the royal family.
Global Perspectives Ms. Carey	This week in Grade Five Global Perspectives, students focused on what impacts our values and beliefs and how other people's perspectives can change how we view things. They worked together as a group, each group receiving three value cards, they responded to the prompt based on the cards they received. They determined if they agreed or disagreed with the prompt solely based on the perspective of someone else.
Visual Arts Mme. Lechallier	This week the students are continuing working on the project of Reggie Laurent on Abstract.

French Mme. Lechallier	This week the students are introduced to a passe compose tense of the 1 group song with imparfait . They keep working on a review for their test next week in the final test on June 11. They are reviewing farm animals, color, fruit, verbe auxillaire in present, futur, past tense and imperfect with 1 group in present tense along with day of the week, body part, feminin, masculin, write small sentences
Health & Physical Education Mr. Makubuya	This week Our Grade Five and Six class enjoyed themselves during the SSAF Track and Field day at York University!
Music Mr. Morales	The Grade Five and Six Class spent the week reviewing a variety of music for their upcoming performance at Villa Colombo. The class also continued working through exercises from their Essential Elements textbooks, moving at a faster pace than they have earlier this year.

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Regular Uniform	P.E. or Regular Uniform Field Trip to Wonderland	Number One Uniform	P.E. Uniform	P.E. Uniform



Grade Six Weekly Update

Friday, May 30, 2025

English Ms. Carey	This week in Grade Six English, students focused on how language is used to persuade the reader. They identified key words and phrases used as persuasive techniques and demonstrated that they can use persuasive language in their own writing.
Math Ms. Sharma	This week Grade Six learnt how to rotate shapes 90 and 180 degrees around a centre of rotation on a coordinate grid and enlarge shapes, using a positive whole number scale factor. They gave questions to their partners and enjoyed enlarging shapes by different scale factors.
Science Ms. Sharma	This week Grade Six performed an activity in the class to describe the difference between electrical conductors and insulators. They learnt what happens to current when we add more cells or more lamps in a circuit. They discussed various series circuit diagrams to understand how adding or removing a component can change the flow of current.
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Grade Seven Weekly Update

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English Ms. Carey	This week in Grade Seven English, students explored the features of superhero stories, considered aspects of voice in a text, compared and summarised genre conventions based on different accounts and devised their own superhero storyline.
Math Ms. Sharma	This week Grade Seven, learnt how to rotate shapes 90 and 180 degrees around a centre of rotation on a coordinate grid and enlarge shapes, using a positive whole number scale factor from the centre of enlargement. They worked on various questions to understand the concept.
Science Ms. Sharma	This week, Grade Seven, discovered that the Earth has a magnetic field and how the core of the Earth acts as a magnet. They learnt how to make an electromagnet and where are they used in daily life.
History/Geography Ms. Carey	This week in Grade Seven Geography Students focused on 'how can we use renewable resources sustainably?'. As a class, we focused on a case study in India, it suggested ways we can protect natural resources. Students then came up with their own ways that we can protect natural resources,
Global Perspectives Ms. Carey	This week in Grade Seven Global Perspectives, students focused on what impacts our values and beliefs and how other people's perspectives can change how we view things. They worked together as a group, each group receiving three value cards, they responded to the prompt based on the cards they received. They determined if they agreed or disagreed with the prompt solely based on the perspective of someone else.
Visual Arts Mme. Lechallier	This week the students are continuing working on the project of Reggie lauenrent on Abstract.
French	This week the students are working review the verb faire, aller,

Mme. Lechallier	devoir, pouvoir in present tense and keep working on a review for their test next week in the final test on June 9 and 11 They are reviewing farm animals, color, fruit, verbe auxillaire in present, futur, past tense and imperfect with 1 group in present, futur, past tense, imperfect along with some of the 3 group only in present tense along with day of the week, body part, feminin, masculin, write small sentences, write a small conservation, month, answering questions by ou, quand, pourquoi, qui.
Health & Physical Education Mr. Makubuya	This week Our Grade Seven class enjoyed themselves during the SSAF Track and Field day at York University!
Wellbeing Ms. Carey	This week in Grade Seven Wellbeing class, students worked together on 'ways we can be organised in everyday life'. Students suggested ways they can do so by creating their own daily schedules, preparing themselves the night before for the next day and to prioritise what needs to be done immediately vs what can be done at a later date. This was a really fun class as students got the opportunity to reflect on their daily lives and came up with ways they can become more organised.
Music Mr. Morales	The Grade Sevens enjoyed a composition assignment where they worked on creating an eight-bar chord progression in the key of C major while making an effort to play that harmony on their instrument. Students have also been preparing for their upcoming performance at Villa Colombo.

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IMPORTANT DATES

Monday, June 2	Grades 5 - 7 visit to Villa Colombe
Tuesday, June 3	Canada's Wonderland Physics, Science, & Math excursion (Grades Five to Seven) 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.