



Grade 3

Mrs. Becke

November 7-10

Reminder: Remembrance Day Assembly on Friday November 10 @ 11:00am.

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| <p>Language Arts (Mrs. Becke)</p> | <p>This week, we will beginning our new theme, Magnificent Monstrosities (we got a bit delayed!) which will take us through October and November. The focus of this theme will be on folklore, creation of creatures through imagination, and more. We will be working on reading, writing and grammar activities around this theme for the next two months.</p> <p><i>Writing</i> Students will begin the week by writing a journal about the least scary monster in history. They will be working on SB Editing, Language Power Now, Correct the Sentence, Canada Writes and cursive writing. We will begin our new study and project on a “monster” of the world. Eventually, all of our chapters will be compiled into a textbook for our school library.</p> <p><i>Reading</i> Students will be working on reading comprehension based on stories, articles and more read independently, in small groups, or as a class. These pieces will be focused around our Magnificent Monstrosities theme. Students will begin working through their Ontario Reading books. We will begin our class read aloud novel, <u>Harry Potter & The Philosopher’s Stone</u>, by J.K. Rowling.</p> <p>This week, we will also begin our novel study on <u>The Lion, The Witch & The Wardrobe</u> by C.S. Lewis. Novel study work will be done at school with the exception of some activities.</p> <p><i>Spelling</i> This week’s spelling words for Group A will be words with long o sounds: over, broke, motion, below, choke, stolen, noble, moment, swallow, notice, spoke, croak, propose, hollow, although. Group B words will be words ending in -ing or -ed: swimming, swam, getting, coming, came, having, doing, ended, happened, happening, started, joked, received, smiled, smiling. <i>There will be a spelling test on Friday November 10.</i></p> |
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| Math (Mrs. Becke) | Students will be working on the Saxon Math program lessons 38-40. The lessons are: adding 3 or more single digit numbers, telling and showing time to five-minute intervals, and adding 7 and 8. We will be finishing up our graphing activity and our Who Am I? activity on Friday and participating in Mathletics on Thursday. <i>There will be an assessment (#7) on Friday November 10 2017.</i> |
| Science (Mrs. Becke) | Students will continue our physics unit, Forces That Cause Movement. We will be reviewing our concepts and materials in order to prepare for the test. <i>There will be a test on Wednesday November 8.</i> I am sorry to keep moving it - it has been a busy month for us! |
| Social Studies (Mrs. Becke) | We will continue our discussion of heritage and identities of early Canadian communities. This week, we will be making Native American mandalas and looking at Settlers. |
| French (Mr. Rodayan) | Students will review sight words and common expressions to help build on their understanding of French conversation prompts. They will continue with their vocabulary words to prepare for a "dictée" this week. |
| Music (Mr. Mason) | Students will begin their recorder testing for the fourth karate belt and will start practicing a new piece for the Christmas Concert. Ear training will continue. |
| Computers (Mr. Kudera) | Students will use Microsoft Word to complete an activity. |
| Visual Art (Mrs. Becke) | We will be beginning zentangles in the style of Faye Halliday! |
| Drama (Mrs. Becke) | We will be continuing to practice our Remembrance Day ceremony presentation. |
| Physical Education (Coach Henderson) | Low Organized Cooperative Games, with a focus on Cross country skills and drills. |
| Health (Mrs. Becke) | There will be no health this week! Looking forward to next week! |
| Media Arts (Mr. Kudera) | Students will explore destiny and will read and discuss "peace" and other topics relating to remembrance day. |