



Mrs. Hugh's Grade Two Classroom News December 2019

Important Dates

- Nov. 28 – Canned Food Drive begins
- Nov. 28 – Moustache and Jersey Spirit Day
- Nov. 29 – Pro-D Day
- Dec. 4 – VES Elf Christmas Lunch
- Dec. 6 – MSMS Band Visit (10:30am)
- Dec. 6 – Deck the Halls
- Dec. 11 – Dress Rehearsal for Concert
- Dec. 12 – Christmas Concert
12:45 and 6:00
- Dec. 13 – Hot Lunch
- Dec. 13 – Report Cards go home
- Dec. 16 – Christmas Carol Assembly
- Dec. 17 – ELF the Musical presentation
in the gym at 9:45
- Dec. 20 – PJ and Santa Hat Spirit Day
- Dec. 20 – Last Day of School before
Christmas Break

Classroom News



We have successfully completed the first term of Grade 2! Your children have been working very hard to learn and do their best in class. I am pleased to see they have all shown growth already in Term 1! This is such an amazing group of students, and am looking forward to see what the rest of Grade 2 will bring.

Our December Virtue of the Month is Generosity. Throughout the month we will be focusing on:

- I am thoughtful about the needs of others
- I notice when someone needs help
- I give freely without expectations of reward.

December is already looking like a busy and exciting month for our school. Please stay tuned and check your child's planner and your email inbox for further information regarding the Important Dates listed to the left.

Birthdays this Month

December 13 – James



Canned Food Drive: During our school wide Canned Food Drive, our class has been asked to provide specific items for food hampers. Please send boxes of granola bars and Mr. Noodles.

Winter Clothing: As we settle into cooler weather, please ensure your child comes to school dressed appropriately for the weather. We try to go outdoors as much as possible, provided it is not pouring with rain. Warm jackets, boots, mittens, scarves, and toques will help keep your child warm, dry, and comfortable while playing outdoors.



Our Schedule

Tuesday: Library with Mrs. Chand

***Please return library books in the book bag each week. **If your child has been reading every night, s/he will have reached 100 nights of reading in December!** Please return the filled out purple reading log for our Super Reader Assembly!

Wednesday: Music with Mrs. Larsen

Thursday: PE

Friday: Music with Mrs. Larsen & Buddies



Christmas Concert!

We are very excited to be preparing songs for a Primary Christmas Concert. Grades K-2 will be presenting songs they have been working on, and you are invited to come and enjoy! The concert will take place on December 12 at 12:30 and 6:00. Students will be wearing pajamas for the performance. Please pay attention to your email or your child's planner for further details regarding this event.

Thank you!



What We're Learning

Reading: Last month I had the opportunity to read one-on-one with every student to assess their reading levels. RAZ kids has now been updated with new reading levels, and your child should now be bringing home reading books that suit their reading level. Please contact me if you have any questions regarding your child's reading progress.

Math: We spent last month estimating, and learning to put numbers on a number line to 20. We have also been working on basic addition and subtraction facts, and learning about Place Value. In December we will be focusing on measurement.

Writing: We had an author's celebration in November to celebrate all of our writing. The students were asked to pick their favourite piece out of their writing folder to edit and share with the class. The students seemed to enjoy sharing their stories with each other, and complimenting each other on their writing. This month we will be focusing on writing some "How To" writing. After we have practiced a few pieces, we will write some imaginative "How to" instructions using Christmas scenarios.



If you have any questions,
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*This website is kept up to date with important dates, school wide activities, and weekly spelling lists

*Also, check out the links provided for different learning activities for your kids to do at home (including a link for Raz-Kids).